# Fall Into The Season

& EXPERIENCE WHAT RAMSEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL HAS TO OFFER!

Adult Continuing Education Youth & Children's Programs



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### **ABOUT US**

Ramsey Community School is a self-sustaining, non-profit organization operating under the Ramsey Board of Education. A unique town treasure, RCS has proudly served the Ramsey community and surrounding communities with enriching and stimulating courses and excursions in a variety of interests for over 30 years. In 2013 the Ramsey Adult School officially changed its name to Ramsey Community School, a more reflective name of what the organization has truly become.

## RCS OFFICE LOCATION, CONTACT INFORMATION & OFFICE HOURS

The Administrative office handles all matters concerning Adult Continuing Education, Youth and Children's Program and bookkeeping for all programs, as well as Ramsey School District facilities.

Located in Dater School, 35 School St., Ramsey, NJ 07446 Park on and enter through the Shuart Lane entrance

Email: RCSGeneral@ramsey.k12.nj.us

Phone: 201-327-2025

Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:30am - 4:00pm

### **RCS STAFF**

Anne Marie Rawdon, Director Nancy Galek, Administrative Assistant Elaine Kehoe, Bookkeeper Maureen Nelson, Facility Coordinator

### THINGS TO KNOW

- You do not need to be a Ramsey or NJ resident to register.
- Pre-registration is required for all classes and trips. You must register through the RCS office; instructors cannot take registrations in class.
- Confirmations sent via email only; unless notified otherwise, your registration has been accepted. Include the RCS email address to your address book or account list to avoid spam filter problems with RCS emails.
- Mark your calendar as to time, date and location of class.
   Students are responsible for knowing their course schedule and directions to the designated school.
- All courses and trips are subject to cancellation. Students are phoned and emailed; full refunds are issued by whichever method of payment they originally made for the course.
- Cancelled classes will be made up, if possible, by adding a session to the end of the term or by other means agreeable to students and teacher.
- Students are responsible for knowing all policies including refund policies. No exceptions please.
- You must be 18 years or older to register for an adult education class unless otherwise specified.

### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

The Ramsey Community School reserves the right to change class locations, schedules, fees or instructors when necessary. RCS is not liable for any injury or property damage as a result of course taken. Students are responsible for knowing their class/trip schedule, location and directions to location. Cancelled classes will be made up, if possible, by adding a session to the end of the term or by other means agreeable to students and instructor.

### **SCHOOL CLOSING**

No Community School class will meet if the public schools are closed due to holidays, vacations or bad weather. In most cases, if there is a delayed opening the Community School will be open. Classes closed due to bad weather will be made up, if possible, by adding a session at the end of the term or by other means agreeable to students and instructor. Check the RCS website <a href="www.ramseycommunityschool.com">www.ramseycommunityschool.com</a> or call the Community School office at 201-327-2025 after 3:00pm for the updated information. Please note schedule is subject to change. Instructors will notify students at the first class of all scheduled meeting dates of the course.

### RCS CALENDAR

(RCS follows the RSD calendar)

September 25 Yom Kippur - District Closed

October 9 Columbus Day - District Open

November 9 and 10 NJEA Convention - District Closed

November 23 and 24 Thanksgiving Recess - District Closed

### **REGISTRATION / DISCOUNTS / REFUND POLICY**

### Registration

Tuition must be paid in full at time of registration (instructors are not permitted to accept registrations in class.) Registrations are processed in the order received (you must be 18 years or older to register for an adult ed. class unless otherwise specified.) We cannot reserve or hold enrollment spots. Online or telephone registrations require a Visa or MasterCard payment. Mail or walk-in registrations are payable by check, cash, money order or credit card. Make checks payable to "Ramsey Community School". Returned checks incur a \$35 service fee.

### THERE ARE FOUR WAYS TO REGISTER:

If you are a new student, you need to create a Student Profile; this can be done from the home page. If you are already registered as a student, please make sure your profile information is kept up to date with your most current data.

### Phone:

Call the RCS office at 201-327-2025. We accept Visa or Master-Card.

### Mail:

Complete a registration form and mail with your payment to: 10 Hubbard Lane, Ramsey Ramsey Community School, 35 School Street, Ramsey, NJ 07446. (Make all checks payable to the Ramsey Community School.)

The RCS office is located in the Dater School, 35 School Street, Ramsey.

### **DISCOUNTS**

Students eligible for a discounted course fee must register by phone at 201-327-2025 the first time in order to be coded as a discounted registration. Available discounts are:

Senior Citizen - Any student 60 years of age or older at time of registration is eligible to receive a Senior Citizen Discount if one is offered for the course. Seniors must submit proof of age prior to registration one time only, in order to be coded as a Senior Citizen in the computer to receive the discount. Afterwards, all future courses will automatically be applied the discount at registration check-out.

RSD Employee - Any current employee of the Ramsey School District is eligible to receive an Employee Discount if one is offered for the course (not applicable to relatives). Employees must contact RCS in order to be coded as an employee in the computer to receive the discount.

### **REFUND POLICY**

We make a commitment to our instructors so we need a commitment from you! We make a contractual commitment to 101 Williams Drive, Ramsey pay our instructors a salary so we need a commitment from our students as well. Therefore, no tuition can be refunded for any reason - including illness and/or medical - once a class has started. Before registering for a class or a trip please carefully read the refund policy below so you fully understand and agree to our refund policy:

Withdrawals at least 3 business days (weekends excluded) before the start of a class will be refunded, less a \$15 withdrawal fee. Withdrawals less than 3 business days (weekends excluded) before the start of a course cannot be refunded for any reason, including medical.

If Ramsey Community School cancels your course, you will receive a full refund by whichever method of payment you originally made.

Trip refunds: Less \$15 cancellation fee available ONLY IF TICKETS CAN BE RESOLD.

### **LOCATIONS**

Ramsey Community School classes take place in 5 district schools in Ramsey. Make sure you know the location of your class. Note: Some courses are offered in cooperation with Midland Park Continuing Education.

### **Dater School**

35 School Street, Ramsey (off North Central Avenue)

### **Hubbard School**

(off Wyckoff Avenue, Rear entrance is off West Oak on Hubbard School Lane)

### Ramsey High School

256 East Main Street, Ramsey

### Smith School

73 Monroe Street, Ramsey

(North Central Avenue to Morse Street left on Elbert into Smith lot) (GPS use 2 Monroe Street, Ramsey)

### **Tisdale School**

200 Island Avenue, Ramsey

(Franklin Turnpike to Madison Avenue, right on Island Avenue)

### **Faith Reformed Church**

95 Prospect Street, Midland Park, NJ

### **Midland Park Continuing Education**

Midland Park High School

250 Prospect Street, Midland Park, NJ

(Room assignments will be posted the first night of the class. Please register through the Ramsey Community School.)

### **MacFarren Field**

(Rt.17 N, take Williams Drive exit, follow road uphill, field on left.)

### **CRAFTS**

### **CROCHETING** - Beginner

Crochet is a beautiful craft that has been around for centuries. A fun, relaxing, and some might say meditative activity. You can create handmade hats, scarves, shawls, blankets, toys, and more, with just a hook and some yarn. This course is designed for beginners with little to no previous experience; you will learn about different yarns and hooks, basic stitches and techniques, how to crochet in rows and "in the round," how to read patterns and where to find them. As we progress, we will learn some simple stitch combinations and other crochet techniques. Attendees will choose a project and purchase appropriate yarn. An \$8 material fee includes a 5mm crochet hook, tapestry needle, and practice yarn, provided at first class.

Instructor: Clayton Leadbetter

Fee: \$125/118 SR CIT+\$8 8 Sessions – Starts 10/4 No class: 11/22

Wednesday, 5:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Eric Smith - Room 106

### **CROCHETING** – Amigurumi and Stuffed Toys

Amigurumi (essentially "small" stuffed, crocheted toys) have become quite popular, and you can make them too! Amigurumi and standard crocheted stuffed toys really only differ in scale. Most patterns can be easily translated to different sizes and weights of yarn. We will look at different options, patterns, kits, and materials available to make loveable stuffed animals, objects, and figures and discuss some of the special techniques and tricks that set them apart from standard crochet projects. Attendees should have prior crochet experience, know basic stitches, and be familiar with crocheting in the round; if you are new to the craft, we recommend starting with Beginning Crochet. Bring practice yarn and appropriate hook of your choice to first class. Instructor: Clayton Leadbetter

Fee: \$65/61 SR CIT 4 Sessions – Starts 10/4 Wednesday, 6:45 PM – 8:15 PM Eric Smith – Room 106



### **CROCHETING** – Mosaic Crochet

Mosaic Crochet is a method (well, several in fact) that allows you to create interesting, multi-color patterns and designs, using just basic stitches. There are lots of great patterns available for blankets and throws, pillows, hats, and more. The same techniques can also be used to add decorative elements into any sweater, afghan, or project you're making! We will cover all the basics to follow the graph patterns and successfully create your own mosaic crochet project! Attendees should have prior crochet experience and know basic stitches; if you are new to the craft, we recommend starting with Beginning Crochet. Bring 2 contrasting colors of practice yarn and appropriate hook of your choice to first class (worsted yarn and size H/5mm hook recommended). Instructor: Clayton Leadbetter

Fee: \$65/61 SR CIT 4 Sessions – Starts 11/1 No class: 11/22

Wednesday, 6:45 PM - 8:15 PM

Eric Smith - Room 106

### **KNITTING** – Beginner

Knitting is time-honored tradition in many cultures—and a relaxing, fun, and practical hobby for modern crafters! After mastering the basics, you'll soon be able to make beautiful hats, scarves, blankets, garments, and even toys! This introductory course is designed for beginners with little to no previous experience. We'll discuss different yarns and knitting needles, and you'll learn the basics, including how to cast on, make knit and purl stitches, read a pattern, make a gauge swatch, bind off, and more! Attendees will choose a beginner project and purchase appropriate yarn later in the class. A \$10 material fee includes a pair of straight, size 8 (5mm) knitting needles, tapestry needle, and practice yarn, provided at first class.

Instructor: Clayton Leadbetter

Fee: \$125/118 SR CIT+\$10 8 Sessions – Starts 10/2 No class: 11/20

Monday, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Eric Smith – Room 106

### SILVER & GOLD JEWELRY MAKING – Advanced Beginner

For those who have taken the beginner class or equivalent. Improve your skills and learn new ones. The course covers jewelry design, cutting metal, soldering, chasing and repousse, surface textures, finishing, polishing and cabochon stone setting. Prerequisite: Completed Silver and Gold Beginner.

Instructor: Ani Barber

Fee: \$165/157 SR CIT+\$20 10 Sessions – Starts 9/20 No class: 10/4 and 11/22 Wednesday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Dater School - Art Room 146

### **CRAFTS**

### SILVER & GOLD JEWELRY MAKING - Advanced

For those who have taken the beginner and advanced beginner Come join us for an exciting evening as you prepare homeclasses and for the advanced student, design and make your own jewelry with guidance in design, techniques and soldering from the teacher. Prerequisite: Completed Silver and Gold Beginner and Advanced Beginner. Instructor: Ani Barber

Fee: \$165/157 SR CIT+\$20 10 Sessions - Starts 9/19 No class: 10/10 and 11/21 Tuesday, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM Dater School - Art Room 146

### **CNC CARVING**

In this class you will gain basic knowledge about the design and carving process using a CNC machine. You will get to make your own small sign using the software and the CNC machine. Instructor: George Chrisafis

Fee: \$125/118 SR CIT+\$20 4 Sessions - Starts 9/19 Tuesday, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Room 117/Woodshop



### **BASIC HOME ELECTRICITY**

Provide basic understanding of home electricity in three sessions. This is for students who want to learn, understand and practice minor electrical repairs. This course takes the student through hands-on activities based on common electrical home repairs and follows a Black & Decker outline. Topics include: Electrical circuit, safety, testing and tools, fuses and circuit breakers, replacing plugs, switches, receptacles and light fixtures and wiring a new fixture. Instructor: George Chrisafis

Fee: \$100/94 SR CIT+10 3 Sessions - Starts 10/12 No class - 10/19

Thursday, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM Ramsey High School - CAD Lab

### **CULINARY**

### **PASTA** - An Italian Cuisine

made manicotti and lazy lasagna. We will prepare a tomato sauce for these festive dishes. The lasagna will be layered with rich ricotta cheese with ground beef and sausage. The meal will be complemented with a specialty salad with a homemade balsamic vinaigrette and garlic bread. You will taste and enjoy everything that is prepared. Bring to class: apron, dish towel and take home containers. Instructor: Joseph Scilieri

Fee: \$40+\$40 1 Session - Starts 9/21 Thursday, 4:00 PM - 6:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

### **PERFECT SWISS ROLL CAKE**

Students will be able to prepare and decorate a swiss roll cake. There will be a wide variety of flavor options for fillings as well as for decorating. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, oven mitts and take home container.

Instructor: Stephanie Ormaeche

Fee: \$35+\$16

1 Session - Starts 9/26 Tuesday, 6:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Eric Smith School - Room 153/Cooking

### **AUTHENTIC INDIAN COOKING**

In the first night of this hands-on class you'll discover how to prepare delicious recipes such as Dosas (rice crepes) the best South Indian delicacy that is very popular in authentic Indian households. Dosas are a perfect combination of protein, carbs and vegetables to make it a full healthy meal. In addition to Dosas, we will learn to make Chutney with coconut and some legumes. We will also learn how to make these Dosas even better with some yummy potato stuffing. Night two you learn how to make Poori Channa Masala (fried bread with chickpeas gravy). A Punjabi delicacy that is another full meal packed with protein and vegetables. Although Poori's are fried, they are the best match to Channa Masala (chickpeas). We shall make a quick salad to accompany this luxurious meal. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, paring and chopping knife, peeler and take home containers. Instructor: Subba Marellapudi

Fee: \$55+\$45

2 Sessions - Starts 10/2 Monday, 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

### **CULINARY**

### **COOKING HEALTHY FOR BUSY PEOPLE**

Join Natural Foods Chef and Holistic Health Coach Christine Okezie for this hands on cooking class. Learn time saving tips for meal planning, meal prep and batch cooking for optimal health and vitality. Recipes are Vegetarian, Gluten and Dairy

Free. Bring to class: apron, dish towel.

Instructor: Christine Okezie

Fee: \$40+\$15 1 Session – Starts 10/4 Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

### **ALL ABOUT PUMPKIN**

This is the perfect season to be creative with different pumpkin recipes. In this class you will fully participate in the preparation of Pumpkin Bisque Soup, Pumpkin Muffins, Pumpkin Bread and Pumpkin Cookies with a Cream Cheese frosting. This will be a festive and tasty adventure as you explore the different options available with pumpkin. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, oven mitts and take home containers. Instructor: *Joseph Scillieri* 

Fee: \$45+\$40 1 Sessions – Starts 10/5 Thursday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

### **EASY PIZZA and CINNAMON ROLLS**

Students will be able to make their own dough and take it home for later use. They will get a prepared dough (made by the instructor beforehand) and be able to complete the recipes while in class. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, oven mitts and take home container. Instructor: *Stephanie Ormaeche* 

Fee: \$35+\$16 1 Session – Starts 10/17 Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Eric Smith School – Room 153/Cooking

### **EVERYTHING CHICKEN**

In this class you will fully participate in the preparation of Chicken Marsala and Chicken Francaise. Our meal will be complemented with scalloped potatoes and string beans almondine. We will prepare a homemade chocolate mousse for dessert. Do not eat prior to class since you will eat everything prepared. Bring to class: apron, dish towel and take home container. Instructor: *Joseph Scillieri* 

Fee: \$45+\$45

1 Sessions – Starts 10/26 Thursday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

# BETTER HUMMUS and BABA GANOUSH DIPS with GEORGE

Wondering what dips to make for your next get together. Join George, where you will learn what it takes to make these great Middle Eastern dips. Bring to class: apron, dish towel and take home containers. Instructor: *George Chrisafis* 

Fee: \$40+\$15 1 Session – Starts 10/23 Monday, 6:30 PM – 9:00 PM Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

### **BLOOD SURGAR BALANCING FOODS**

Struggling with excess belly fat, sugar cravings, chronic fatigue, energy highs and lows? Learn why balancing your blood sugar is the key to optimal health and natural weight loss. Natural Foods **Chef Christine Okezie** can help you get off the blood sugar roller-coaster and show you how to cook delectable comfort foods with ingredients known for their blood sugar supportive properties. Throughout this inspiring class you will learn culinary nutrition techniques that you can apply to your favorite recipes. Recipes are Vegetarian, Gluten and Dairy Free. Bring to class: apron, dish towel. Instructor: *Christine Okezie* 

Fee: \$40+\$15 1 Session – Starts 10/25 Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

### **DELIGHTFUL ECLAIRS**

Students will be able to make their own pâte à choux , pastry cream and chocolate glaze. They will fill and decorate as well as have options to spice up their pastry cream fillings. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, oven mitts and take home container. Instructor: *Stephanie Ormaeche* 

Fee: \$35+\$16 1 Session – Starts 11/14 Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Eric Smith School – Room 153/Cooking

### **KOURABIEDES** - Christmas Greek Butter Cookies

This class will concentrate on learning the Greek style cookies called KOURABIEDES. During class, the instructor will demonstrate how to mix the cookie batter. Then the students will be guided and supervised how to make and shape the cookies. In class, students will get to taste the cookies. All ingredients will be provided. Bring to class: apron, dishtowel, oven mitts and take home container. Instructor: *George Chrisafis* 

Fee: \$40+\$7 1 Session – Starts 12/4 Monday, 6:30 PM – 9:00 PM Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

### **DANCE**

### **COUNTRY FUSION LINE DANCING - Beginner**

Country Fusion is a line dance/fitness program that incorporates actual country line dance choreography in a fun and positive way. It's a country dance party every class! Your heart rate increases as you dance, speeding up your metabolism and burning calories along the way. You will burn calories during the 50 minute LIIT-based line dance workout. Each dance is broken down into simple steps, to both contemporary and classic country tunes. You will also increase your core strength and flexibility while improving posture alignment. Beginners are welcome! Country Fusion is for everyone, come give it a try!

Instructor: Dee Dennin-Mebane

Fee: \$140/133 SR CIT 10 Sessions - Starts 9/21 No class: 11/9 and 11/23 Thursday, 7:15 PM - 8:15 PM

Hubbard School - Gym (Enter from West Oak Street)

### **COUNTRY FUSION LINE DANCING - Intermediate**

Country Fusion Intermediate - A dance and fitness class for those who are ready to kick it up a notch! This class builds on what you have already learned. After a guick review of the basic steps and dances taught in the beginner class, we will move on to more advanced choreography, learning new dances, and bringing the dance party to the next level! This class will move a bit faster than the beginner class, so prior line dance experience will be helpful, but is not required. This class is the hottest dance party around. Wear comfortable clothes. Bring to class: water. Instructor: Dee Dennin-Mebane

Fee: \$140/133 SR CIT 10 Sessions - Starts 9/19

No class: 11/21

Tuesday 7:15 PM - 8:15 PM

Hubbard School – Gym (Enter from West Oak Street)

### **LATIN DANCE** - Salsa, Bachata and Merengue

Your dance instructor will show and teach you the beginning steps of learning the Salsa, Bachata and Merengue. It will con- Fee: \$150/142 SR CIT sist of learning the history, music, different body actions, arm styling and different techniques while learning the basic struc- Tuesday 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM tured steps. You will also learn the footwork and partnering Eric Smith School - Cafeteria connections to take it onto a social floor. A partner is recommended but not required. Price is per person.

Instructor: Matt Hauer

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT 8 Sessions - Starts 10/2 No class: 11/20

Monday, 8:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Hubbard School – Gym (Enter from West Oak Street)

### SOCIAL BALLROOM AND LATIN DANCE - Intermediate

Let's soothe our souls and improve our dancing with the Intermediate class. We will add some more variations in the Foxtrot, Rumba, Cha-Cha and Swing and introduce TANGO and WALTZ. Completion of the Beginner class is a must. Experience how dancing can add excitement, fun, and healthy exercise to your life. Enrich your world with the sounds of wonderful music. Please sign up with a partner (price is per person). Wear to class: soft or suede leather soles for hardwood floors.

Instructor: Matt Hauer

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT 8 Sessions – Starts 10/2

No class: 11/20

Monday, 7:30 PM - 8:30 PM

Hubbard School – Gym (Enter from West Oak Street)

### **TAP DANCE** – Beginner to Advanced Beginner

Hear your feet tapping to the sounds of Broadway, Jazz, and the Classics while you learn and review the Shim Sham, Waltz Clog, Shuffle Off to Buffalo, and other classic tap steps. Learn routines to show off to your friends and family. Tap dancing is great exercise for both the mind and body in addition to being a lot of fun for everyone. Dress comfortably. Wear soft sole shoes or tap shoes. Instructor: Jackie Gersht

Fee: \$155/147 SR CIT 8 Sessions - Starts 9/27

No class: 10/18,11/1,11/15 and 11/22 Wednesday, 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM Eric Smith School - Cafeteria

### **PERFORMING**

### **ACTING AND COMEDY WORKSHOP**

This popular course includes improv exercises, theatre games, character creation, comedic monologues and more! Join the fun! Instructor: Bernice Wood-Harris

8 Sessions – Starts 9/26

### **FINDING MY JOY**

Let's make happiness a priority by infusing more fun into life! Discussions, creative games and practical tips to help achieve goals and find your bliss!

Instructor: Bernice Wood Harris

Fee: \$65/61 SR CIT 4Sessions - Starts 9/28 Thursday, 7:00 PM - 8:30 PM Dater School - Room 143

### **PERFORMING**

### **PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS – All Levels**

Learn piano with a unique and fun-loving teacher with over four decades of experience, formerly with the Berklee College of Music. These private, one-on-one, half hour lessons are designed for all ages, interests, and experience levels. Lessons can also be tailored to any high school student musician seeking to prepare for a college music major. There are no make-ups for private classes due to student absence. To register, call the Ramsey Community School office at 201-327-2025 to schedule a 30-minute private time slot. Required Material: music manuscript book. Instructor: *Kathy Sheppard* 

Fee: \$250

8 Sessions – Starts 9/19

No class: 10/31

Tuesday, 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM Tisdale School – Room 28

### **PRIVATE VOCAL LESSONS** – All Levels

Learn basic vocal techniques, including breath support, pitch and projection. Lessons are customized to each singer's voice and vocal goals. There are no make-ups for private classes due to student absence. To register, call the Ramsey Community School at 201-327-2025 to schedule a 30 minute private time slot. Bring to class: sheet music and water bottle.

Instructor: Kathy Sheppard

Fee: \$250

8 Sessions - Starts 9/19

No class: 10/31

Tuesday, 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM Tisdale School – Room 28

### **STUDIO**

### WATERCOLOR – All Levels

Beginners along with non-beginners are welcome. Lessons on color, value and techniques will be taught. A demonstration will be given at each class for both levels. Subject matter changes each session, and may include flowers, landscape, portraits, figures or still life. Supply list will be emailed prior to start of class. Instructor: *Peggy Dressel* 

Fee: \$165/157 SR CIT + \$10 8 Sessions – Starts 10/2

No class: 11/20

Monday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM Dater School - Art Room 146



### **LANGUAGE**

### **ITALIAN** - Beginner

This course will introduce you to the beginner grammatical features of this rich, romantic, and beautiful language. Basic vocabulary building, listening comprehension, pronunciation, and speaking ability will be the focus of this class. At the end of this course, you will learn the skills necessary for basic daily communication and simple interactions while traveling in Italy. Required text: Italian Made Simple by Cristina Mazzoni, (ISBN #978-0-7679-1539-7), Revised and Updated Edition available at Amazon.com. Instructor: Giovanni Pilosio

Fee: \$130/117 SR CIT
9 Sessions – Starts 9/20
Wednesday, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
Midland Park High School

### ITALIAN - Intermediate I

TI PIACE PARLARE ITALIANO? An intermediate class for the student who already has a good grasp of the Italian language. Extensive work on grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation, verbal fluency and idioms will be the focus of this class. Some history on culture and traditions will be introduced as well. Required text: Italian Made Simple by Cristina Mazzoni, (ISBN #978-0-7679-1539-7), Revised and Updated Edition available at Amazon.com. Instructor: Giovanni Pilosio

Fee: \$130/117 SR CIT 9Sessions – Starts 9/20 Wednesday, 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM Midland Park High School

### **ITALIAN** - Intermediate II

This course will focus on more advanced structures of the Italian language and their use in appropriate contexts. We will also continue to explore more idioms, together with the pronominal verbs. In this course we will be working from the textbook "Italian Made Simple" and from additional material which will be provided by the instructor. This course is for those who have completed Italian Beginner or Italian Intermediate I classes. Also, anyone who feels they have the appropriate skills based on the description is free and welcome to join us!

Fee: \$130/117 SR CIT 9 Sessions – Starts 9/18

No class: 9/25

Monday, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM Midland Park High School

### **LANGUAGE**

### **CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH** — Level I

Interested in brushing up on your beginner conversational skills in Spanish? Join us as we engage in conversations with one another related to ourselves, our families, our interests, our homes, our friends and our community.

Instructor: Noemi Rodriguez

Fee: \$75/70 SR CIT 6 Sessions – Starts 10/4 Wednesday, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM Dater School – Room 224

### **COMPUTER**

### INTRO TO THE GOOGLE PLATFORM

This course will teach how easily the Google suite of free products can help you organize your life and business. Learn the tips and tricks to using Google Drive, Google Docs, Google Sheets and Google Forms. Chromebooks will be provided.

Instructor: Vu Phan

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT 3 Sessions – Starts 9/19 Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Dater School – Media Center

### **EXCEL 1**

Learn about the very useful and powerful Microsoft spreadsheet program. The basic concepts and skills of Excel will be explored including worksheets, workbooks, opening files, saving files, entering data, formatting data, formulas, copying formulas, arithmetic and column summing. Learn about using AutoSum to enter summing formulas for rows and columns. Learn about AutoFill to copy hundreds of formulas. Learn to work with spreadsheet projects that involve several separate sheets and 3-dimensional workbooks. Students must have a working knowledge of the Windows operating system. Students should be reasonably skillful using a mouse. Bring to class: Laptop with Microsoft Excel application downloaded. Instructor: *Vu Phan* 

Fee: \$160/152 SR CIT 4 Sessions – Starts 10/17

No class: 10/31

Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Dater School – Media Center

### **EXERCISE**

### CORE TRAINING FOR STRENGTH and BALANCE

This class is for anyone that wants to build their core strength, stamina and cardio-vascular fitness and improve their balance without equipment. These exercises are so much fun that you won't realize you are training! All students must wear sneakers. Yoga mat and weights recommended. Bring to class:

water. Instructor: Joseph Tobin

Fee: \$135/128 SR CIT 10 Sessions – Starts 9/20 No class: 9/27 and 11/22 Wednesday, 7:15PM – 8:15 PM

Tisdale School – Gym

### **HATHA YOGA** – Beginner/Intermediate

Yoga can help develop increased flexibility, strength, endurance, better posture, as well as an overall feeling of well being. During this series, you will be guided through classic poses (asana) and focused breath (pranayama). You will learn how proper body alignment and yoga props can assist in asana as you evolve in your own Yoga practice. This class is suited for beginners to intermediate. Bring to class: mat, water, yoga strap, 2 yoga blocks (6"w), 2 yoga blankets. Instructor: *Christina Curry* 

Fee: \$135/128 SR CIT 10 Sessions – Starts 9/19

No class: 11/21

Tuesday, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Hubbard School—Gym (Enter from West Oak Street)



A co-ed course taught Tae Bo® style, of cardiovascular martial arts moves. A fun way to improve strength and balance while toning your muscles and burning fat. Great therapy for the mind and body! A no contact course. Participants will need: mat, water and wear athletic shoes. Instructor: *Becky Shields* 

Fee: \$135/128 SR CIT 10 Sessions – Starts 9/18

No class: 9/25

Monday, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM

Tisdale School - Gym

### **EXERCISE**

# KUNDALINI YOGA AND MEDITATION FOR BALANCING HORMONES

kundalini Yoga and Meditation is a powerful system for building physical, emotional and mental health. It precisely and consciously combines breathing exercises, hand position, eye-focus, mantra and postures to balance the glandular system and nervous system. The practice make you feel amazing, happy to be alive and comfortable and home in your body. This specialized group experience is designed to support the health of your heart, lungs, thyroid, digestive organs and adrenals, all of which are critical for a healthy metabolism and a strong immune system. Even if you have never done yoga or meditation before, this class is for you. If you have a mind, you can receive all the health benefits. If sitting on the floor is not available to you, many of the seated postures can be done in a regular chair. Bring to class: mat, water, light blanket, and seat cushing in the following shown to improve the (pronounced "Chee and stretch the body and stretch the body energy. Both Tai Cho These practices will tation and the begin comfortable loose of class: water. Instructions: Water in the proposition of the seated postures can be done in a regular chair. Bring to class: mat, water, light blanket, and seat cushing in the following proposition of the seated postures can be done in a regular chair. Bring to class: mat, water, light blanket, and seat cushing in the following proposition of the seated postures can be done in a regular chair. Bring to class: mat, water, light blanket, and seat cushing in the following proposition.

Fee: \$145/138 SR CIT
7 Sessions – Starts 10/3
Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Tisdale School – Gym

### **PICKLEBALL** - Beginner

Come learn the fastest growing sport in America! For those brand new to the game or those who have been playing but have never taken a formal lesson before. Classes include all the basic shots in the game, court positioning, etiquette, rules and scoring, and are taught by certified Pickleball instructors. All equipment is provided. Participants must wear sneakers and comfortable clothing. Bring to class: water.

Instructor: Kevin Smith

Fee: \$165/157 SR CIT
5 Sessions – Starts 9/20 – FULL
Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
5 Sessions – Starts 11/1 – ADD ON

No class: 11/22

Wednesday, 8:00 PM—9:30 PM

Dater School – Gym

### **PICKLEBALL** - Intermediate

This class is for those who have taken the beginner pickleball class or who have played for at least 6 months. Classes include all the basic shots in the game, court positioning, etiquette, rules and scoring, and are taught by certified pickleball instructors. All equipment is provided. Participants must wear sneakers and comfortable clothing. Bring to class: water.

Fee: \$165/157 SR CIT 5 Sessions – Starts 11/1

No class: 11/22

Wednesday, 6:30 PM - 8:00 PM

Bring to class: water. Instructor: Kevin Smith

Dater School – Gym

### TAI CHI and QI GONG for HEALTH

Tai Chi & Qi Gong are branches of Chinese Medicine practiced for good physical and mental health. Tai Chi's flowing movements increase brain plasticity and build strength. It's also shown to improve balance to reduce the risk of falls. Qi Gong (pronounced "Chee Gong") are gentle exercises to strengthen and stretch the body, increase fluid movement & cultivate life energy. Both Tai Chi & Qi Gong help to calm the nervous system. These practices will not strain the body. No experience needed. This class will practice Qi Gong warmups, Tai Chi walking meditation and the beginning of the Yang Style Tai Chi form. Wear comfortable loose fitting clothes and supportive shoes. Bring to class: water. Instructor: Lisa Marie Russell

8 Sessions – Starts 9/26
Tuesday, 6:15 PM — 7:00 PM— FULL
Tuesday, 7:15 PM — 8:00 PM—ADD ON
Eric Smith School – Gym



### **VINYASA YOGA**

Enjoy a slow, flowing yoga class, exploring fundamentals of alignment as we open and stretch the hips and shoulders. Stretch and strengthen the spine in a fun and safe way using breath awareness techniques, known as pranayama. Build strength and flexibility in a fun and safe way, where we gather our energy to cultivate healing, strength, and inner peace. Start where you are; all levels welcome. Bring to class: mat, water. Instructor: Lisa Goldstein

Fee: \$135/128 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 9/18
No class: 9/25 and 11/20
Monday, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
Dater School – Gym

### WOMEN'S REALITY - Self Defense in Today's World

Learn what it takes to protect yourself or loved ones whether at home, in the car or in public. These are techniques that are practical and effective from a certified Krav Maga instructor with 25 years experience. Wear loose fitting clothing and no jewelry. Instructor: *Anthony Raciatti* 

Fee: \$75

1 Session - Starts 9/27

Wednesday, 6:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Dater School - Gym

### **EXERCISE**

### **YOGA FOR A BETTER BACK**

Students will learn yoga sequences to relax and release muscles, as well as, sequences to strengthen abdominal, hip and back muscles utilized to support the spine. This practice will include movements which will promote good posture and help students to discover deeper awareness of their body. Bring to class: mat, water and yoga block. Instructor: *Carrie Dye* 

Fee: \$135/128 SR CIT 10 Sessions – Starts 9/20

No class: 11/22

Wednesday, 6:00 PM - 7:00 PM

Tisdale School – Gym

### **FITNESS HIKES** - Beginner to Intermediate

This hike is for active people who are comfortable hiking outdoors. We will meet at the Ramapo Valley County Reservation and hike various scenic trails throughout this beautiful park. It's tailor made for beginners and intermediate hikers. If you've never hiked before or can't remember the last time you did, this group is for you! You will learn skills that will get you up the mountain safely and efficiently. Enjoy the fall landscape while hiking 3-4 miles to train your heart. You will build core and muscle strength at scenic stops by stretching and completing core exercises. The view on these trails is breath-taking. Participants must have stamina to complete the hike. Wear self-wicking clothes and footwear for outdoor terrain. Bring to hike: water, bug repellent. Instructor: Joseph Tobin

Fee: \$90/85 SR CIT 3 Sessions – Starts 10/15 Sunday, 10:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Ramapo Reservation



### **SPORTS**

### **VOLLEYBALL CO-ED - Advanced**

This course is for the advanced player that has extensive volley-ball experience and a firm understanding of game play. You must be able to bump, pass, set and hit, and spike effectively. Players must be 18 and older. No beginner or intermediate level players should sign-up for this course. RCS reserves the right to change your placement, based on instructor input, to ensure the correct playing level for your safety and the safety of others. Please be courteous and arrive on time.

Instructor: Thomas Harper

Fee: \$150/142 SR CIT 12 Sessions – Starts 9/19

No class: 11/21

Tuesday, 8:15 PM - 9:45 PM

Dater School – Gym

### **VOLLEYBALL CO-ED** – Intermediate

This course is for the intermediate player that has some volley-ball experience and understanding of game play. Players must be 18 and older. No beginner or advanced level players should sign-up for this course. RCS reserves the right to change your placement, based on instructor input, to ensure the correct playing level for your safety and the safety of others. Please be courteous and arrive on time. Instructor: *Thomas Harper* 

Fee: \$150/142 SR CIT 12 Sessions – Starts 9/19

No class: 11/21

Tuesday, 6:45 PM - 8:15 PM

Dater School – Gym

### **TGA BEGINNER GOLF CLINICS**

Tee it up and have fun with TGA. Our multi-week program is ideal for adults new to the game of golf or just starting their golf journey. For adults, golf can be a great way to learn a lifelong sport that provides a way to stay active and prepare for the golf course. From proper fundamentals and rules/etiquette, TGA Trained Coaches teach students everything about the game. The program is designed to refine skill, achieve success, and provide a pathway to keep playing. Bring to class: water, at least 1 iron wedge or 7 iron and a putter. Instructor: *Kevin Rooney* 

Fee: \$150/142 SR CIT 5 Sessions – Starts 10/2 Monday, 8:00 PM – 9:00 PM Tisdale School - Gym



### **HEALTH & WELLNESS**

# HEARTSAVER ADULT & CHILD CPR/AED & INFANT CPR with FIRST AID COURSE

With this combination class, you will be registering for both the Heartsaver Adult & Child CPR/AED with Infant CPR class and the Heartsaver First Aid class at the same time and save money! See the individual class schedules for details.

Instructor: Richard Vander Wall

Fee: \$150

2 Sessions – Starts 10/10 Tuesday, 6:15 PM – 9:15 PM Dater School - Cafeteria

# HEARTSAVER ADULT and CHILD CPR/AED with INFANT CPR

Heartsaver CPR AED is a video-based, instructor-led course that teaches adult and child CPR and AED use, infant CPR, and how to relieve choking in adults, children, and infants. This course teaches skills with the AHA's research proven practice while watching techniques, which allow instructors to observe the students, provide feedback, and guide the students' learning of skills. This course is for anyone with limited or no medical training who needs a course completion card in CPR and AED use to meet job, regulatory, or other requirements.

Instructor: Richard Vander Wall

Fee: \$90

1 Session – Starts 10/10 Tuesday, 6:15 PM – 9:15 PM Dater School - Cafeteria

### **HEARTSAVER FIRST AID**

Heartsaver First Aid teaches critical skills to respond to and manage an emergency in the first few minutes until emergency medical services arrives. Learn first aid actions for choking, heart attack, and stroke victims as well as skills for handling injury and environmental emergencies including external bleeding, broken bones, sprains, bites and stings. This class is for people with limited or no medical training. Upon completion, you'll receive an American Heart Association Heartsaver First Aid certification card valid for 2 years. Instructor: *Richard Vander Wall* 

Fee: \$90

1 Session – Starts 10/17 Tuesday, 6:15 PM – 9:15 PM Dater School - Cafeteria

### MIND AND BODY

### **ANGEL MEDITATION**

Connect and feel the divine love and compassion of your guardian angels through contemplation, writing, and meditation. Experience guided exercises with use of breath, imagery, and mantra (word). Ask questions of your guardian angels. Learn and experience the benefits of regular meditation: it lowers anxiety, stress, blood pressure and cortisol levels alleviating depression. Experience peace by connecting with your own inner still-

ness plus learn to release relaxant hormones and boost your energy levels. Receive clairvoyant readings from Lindsey.

Instructor: Lindsey Sass

Fee: \$60

2 Sessions – Starts 11/7 Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM Ramsey High School – Room 101

# DEVELOP YOUR INTUITION & CLAIRVOYANT ABILITIES

Experience a powerful journey on advanced chakras while opening your intuitive abilities to discern life choices. Lindsey will assist you with her clairvoyant intuition as she will guide you toward opening your abilities. Decipher between fear based thought form and higher knowing. The term clairvoyance (from French clair meaning "clear" and voyance meaning "vision") is used to refer to the ability to gain information about an object, person, location or physical event through means other than the known human senses. Become clearer about your life path, love life and health issues learning to trust yourself.

Instructor: Lindsey Sass

Fee: \$60

2 Sessions – Starts 10/24 Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM Ramsey High School – Room 101

### **DISCOVER YOUR PAST LIFE REGRESSION**

Experience a journey back to a previous lifetime! In this workshop you will be guided on a journey, back to find and free yourself from old patterns and remnants of the past that may be hindering you today. We will explore the use of regression, intuition, dreams, meditation and free-association for past life recall. Core issue blocks, fears in relationships, health, prosperity and spirituality can be transformed through past life regression. You will experience an actual group past life regression.

Instructor: Lindsey Sass

Fee: \$60

2 Sessions – Starts 11/30 Thursday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM Ramsey High School – Room 101

### **SPECIAL INTEREST**

### **MAH JONGG**

Learn the modern American version of the Ancient Chinese game of Mah Jongg. Four people play the game at one time, but each play for them self. The game is similar in concept to Gin Rummy, but it employs more skill than luck. The game is not as difficult to learn as Bridge. Betting will not be discussed.

Instructor: Arlene Castleman

Fee: \$119/113 SR CIT +\$3 8 Sessions – Starts 9/19

No class: 10/31

Tuesday, 4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM Dater School – Faculty Room

### **BRIDGE** - Beginner

Have fun learning how to play the exciting game of Bridge. This Bridge class is for beginners and people returning to bridge after some years. Join us! *Instructors*: Pat and Fred Linnemeyer

Fee: \$125/118 SR CIT 6 Sessions – Starts 9/20 Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM Dater School – Room 147

### **DAY TRIPS**

### **LONGWOOD GARDENS** - Chrysanthemum Festival

Celebrate fall's favorite flower—in its many forms, many hues, and many varieties—during our captivating Chrysanthemum to sho Festival. Cherished for their exquisite beauty and delightfully significations, chrysanthemums take center stage this comformations are divided into 13 classifications, each pate: representing a distinct flower form, from the tiny pompon to the great irregular incurve-and all on full, radiant display. Lunch is on your own in the Terrace Café which offers a variety of specialty wraps, sandwiches and other delicious goodies.

Date: Thursday, 10/19 Time: 9:00 AM – 6:00 PM

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Fee: \$89.00

### **ESSEX STEAM TRAIN and RIVERBOAT CRUISE**

Essex Station, you'll board vintage rail cars pulled by an authentic steam locomotive. On the train excursion you will enjoy a three course lunch in one of their beautiful lunch rail cars. Lunch choices are: Beef Tips w/gravy, Baked Chicken, or Eggplant Parmesan. Please indicate your meal choice when registering. The train meanders through the scenic countryside to Deep River Landing, where you're escorted onto the Becky Thatcher Riverboat. Aboard Becky's 1-1/4 hour cruise along the Connecticut River, you'll delight in breathtaking scenery and view historic landmarks such as Gillette Castle and Goodspeed Opera House. When Becky returns to Deep River Landing, the steam train welcomes you for the return trip to Essex Station.

Date: Thursday, 10/26 Time: 8:00 AM - 6:15 PM

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Fee: \$139.00

# A WONDERFUL UNIQUE NYC ADVENTURE AWAITS US! - Lunch at Carmine's

Our first stop, The Frick Collection, is a museum known for its distinguished old master paintings and outstanding examples of European sculpture and decorative arts. It began with Henry Clay Frick (1849–1919), who bequeathed his home, sculptures, and decorative arts to the public, including works from the Renaissance through the nineteenth century. It has grown extensively since opening in 1935. This is a self-guided tour. Then it's off to Carmine's Uptown for a delicious family style lunch. Last but not least, a stop at Zabar's Market for some time to shop and take home some delectable delights! There is a significant amount of walking, including stairs. Please wear comfortable walking shoes. Tour led by Melinda Scarso.

SOLD OUT

Date: Thursday, 11/9
Time: 9:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Fee: \$129.00



### **DAY TRIPS**

# WEST POINT HOLIDAY CONCERT - Champagne Brunch at Thayer Hotel

The hotel tells the story of West Point and the Nation with museum pieces hanging throughout the hotel as well as having guest rooms that are dedicated to inspirational West Point graduates. Weaving the impact of West Point into America's story are a broad cross-section of contributions in the hotels' actual guest rooms dedicated to the likes of medal of honor recipients, an astronaut, the first woman West Point grad to achieve the rank of general officer, the first African-American graduate of West Point, ground-breaking physicians, captains of industry, and great military leaders. Enjoy a magnificent Champagne buffet in the Eisenhower Room of the beautifully decorated Thayer Hotel at approximately 11:00am. Then we'll enjoy the Yule extravaganza at 2:00pm featuring the US Army Band and talented singers and Santa. Modest walking required.

Must bring photo ID.

Date: Sunday, 12/3
Time: 10:00 AM – 5:00 PM
Pick-up: MacFarran Field

Fee: \$129.00



# NYC BOTANICAL GARDENS HOLIDAY TOUR - Lunch at Emilla's

Join us today on a festive holiday celebration! Our first stop will be the New York Botanical Gardens Holiday display which features both their annual miniature train show in addition to an amazing display of New York landmark buildings, both past and present, made of only natural materials. Then it's on to a DELI-CIOUS lunch at Emelia's Restaurant (a Bronx-Arthur Avenue Little Italy prized eatery). Our menu choices include: a salad, pasta (penne marinara), a choice of chicken parmigiana, broiled salmon or eggplant rollatini. All served with vegetables. Dessert includes pastries, cheesecake and coffee or tea. Please indicate your meal choice when registering. After lunch we will have time to explore (on our own) the many great food and unique gift shops located on famed Arthur Avenue which will be filled with holiday goodies. Our NYC holiday adventure will definitely add to our Christmas spirit! This trip includes a fair amount of walking. Please wear comfortable walking shoes. Tour led by Melinda Scarso.

Date: Thursday, 12/14 Time: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Fee: \$145.00



# RIVERSIDE CHURCH CHRISTMAS CAROL SING - Lunch at Carmine's

This longstanding tradition at The Riverside Church has become an essential part of Christmas in New York City. The service of music and light combines carillon, organ, harp, bell ringers, and all of the choirs of the church. It culminates in a ritual sharing of candlelight illuminating the Nave. The nondenominational church, founded by John D. Rockefeller, is famous for its size and elaborate Neo Gothic architecture. Fabulous early four course family style meal, at approximately 12:00 pm at Carmine's Uptown (tip included) is highlighted by salad, roasted red peppers and mozzarella, rigatoni with broccoli and sausage, penne vodka, eggplant parmigiana, chicken with lemon and butter and flourless chocolate torte.

Date: Sunday, 12/17
Time: 10:45 AM - 6:00 PM
Pick-up: Ramsey High School

Fee: \$176

### THEATRE AND SHOWS

### LA BOHEME OPERA - Lincoln Center

Music Director Yannick Nézet-Séguin conducts Puccini's timeless tragedy for the first time at the Met, leading soprano Eleonora Buratto and tenor Stephen Costello as the bohemian lovers Mimì and Rodolfo, and sopranos Sylvia D'Eramo and Leah Hawkins and baritone Davide Luciano as the on-again-offagain Musetta and Marcello. Later in the run, James Gaffigan takes the podium to conduct a second exceptional cast in Franco Zeffirelli's beloved staging, with sopranos Susanna Phillips and Latonia Moore, tenor Charles Castronovo, and baritone Quinn Kelsey. **Enjoy time for dinner on your own.** 8:00 PM curtain. Rear Orchestra Seating.

Date: Tuesday, 10/17
Time: 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
Pick-up: Midland Park High School

Fee: \$129.00

### THE NUTCRACKER BALLET - Lincoln Center

The quintessential New York City Holiday experience, *George Balanchine's The Nutcracker, whisks away children and adults alike with Tschaikowsky's immortal score. A cast of 150 delectable characters with sensational sets and costumes transports audiences to the luscious land of sweets for waltzing treats to delight the entire family.* Enjoy time for dinner on your own. 7:00 PM curtain. Second Ring Seating (Handicap Accessible).

Date: Tuesday, 12/12 Time: 3:30 PM - 11:00 PM Pick-up: Midland Park High School

Fee: \$199.00



### & JULIET - Stephen Sondheim Theatre

Created by the Emmy®-Winning writer from "Schitt's Creek," this hilarious new musical flips the script on the greatest love story ever told. & Juliet asks: what would happen next if Juliet didn't end it all over Romeo? Get whisked away on a fabulous journey as she ditches her famous ending for a fresh beginning and a second chance at life and love—her way. Juliet's new story bursts to life through a playlist of pop anthems as iconic as her name, including "Since U Been Gone," "Roar," "Baby One More Time," "Larger Than Life," "That's The Way It Is," and "Can't Stop the Feeling!"—all from the genius songwriter/ producer behind more #1 hits than any other artist this century. Break free of the balcony scene and get into this romantic comedy that proves there's life after Romeo. The only thing tragic would be missing it. 7:00 PM curtain. Rear/Side Orchestra seating.

Date: Tuesday, 10/24
Time: 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
Pick-up: Tisdale School
Fee: \$152.00

### **KIMBERLY AKIMBO - Booth Theatre**

The winner of more Tony Awards than any other show this season! Kimberly Akimbo is the Tony Award-winning Best Musical about growing up and growing old — in no particular order. It features a book and lyrics by Pulitzer Prize and two-time Tony Award winner David Lindsay-Abaire (Rabbit Hole), music by twotime Tony Award winner Jeanine Tesori (Fun Home), choreography by Danny Mefford (Dear Evan Hansen) and direction by award-winning director Jessica Stone. Kimberly (two-time Tony Award winner Victoria Clark) is about to turn 16 and recently moved with her family to a new town in suburban New Jersey. In this "howlingly funny heartbreaker of a show" (The New Yorker), Kim is forced to navigate family dysfunction, a rare genetic condition, her first crush...and possible felony charges. Ever the optimist, she is determined to find happiness against all odds and embark on a great adventure. 7:00 PM curtain. Orchestra Seating.

Date: Tuesday, 10/24
Time: 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
Pick-up: Tisdale School
Fee: \$162.00

### **SHUCKED** - Nederlander Theatre

An unlikely hero, and unscrupulous con man, and a battle for the heart & soil of a small town. SHUCKED is the Tony Award®-winning musical comedy *The Wall Street Journal* calls "flat out hilarious!" Featuring a book by Tony Award winner **Robert**Horn (*Tootsie*), a score by the Grammy® Award-winning songwriting team of Brandy Clark and Shane McAnally, and directed by Tony Award winner Jack O'Brien (*Hairspray*), this corn-fed, corn-bred American musical is sure to satisfy your appetite for great musical theater. 7:00 PM curtain. Rear/Side Orchestra seating.

Date: Tuesday, 10/24
Time: 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
Pick-up: Tisdale School
Fee: \$142.00

### **SWEENEY TODD - Lunt-Fontanne Theatre**

For the first time since 1980, Broadway audiences will experience Stephen Sondheim's Tony Award®-winning score as it was performed in the original production—with Jonathan Tunick's original 26-player orchestration on an epic scale. Tony Awardwinning director Thomas Kail (Hamilton) helms the return of this musical thriller starring Tony and Grammy® nominee Josh Groban (Natasha, Pierre & The Great Comet of 1812) as Sweeney Todd, and Tony winner Annaleigh Ashford (Sunday in the Park with George, Kinky Boots) as Mrs. Lovett. After 15 years in exile, Sweeney Todd, an unsettling man with a mysterious past, arrives in a dark and gritty London, hungry for vengeance against the judge who destroyed his life. Todd joins forces with Mrs. Lovett, the unhinged proprietress of a failing pie shop, and together they develop a spine tingling plot to exact revenge. When the lights go down and the curtain goes up, you won't dare look away. Enjoy time for dinner on your own. 8:00 PM curtain. Rear Orchestra Seating.

Date: Wednesday, 11/29
Time: 4:00 PM - 11:00 PM
Pick-up: Midland Park High School

Fee: \$149.00

### **OVENIGHT TRIPS**

# PIGEON FORGE, GATLINBURG AND SMOKY MOUNTAINS SHOW TRIP

Board your spacious motorcoach and set off for the breathtaking Smoky Mountains! Your exciting trip package includes: 5 nights lodging (3 consecutive nights in the Smokies); 5 Breakfasts and 3 Dinners. Two Morning Shows: Smith Morning Variety Show & Patty Waszak Show; One Afternoon Show: Magic of Terry Evanswood; Three Evening Shows: Soul of Motown; America's Hit Parade & Country Tonite; Guided Tour of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park; Free Time in Historic Downtown Gatlinburg. Shows subject to change. Tour escorted by Melinda Scarso. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Call the RCS office at 201-327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: Monday 10/9 – Saturday 10/14, 2023 Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$1,059 Double: \$839 Triple: \$819

### JEWELS OF ITALY TOUR - Venice, Florence and Rome

You could spend an eternity exploring the enchanting Italian capitals of Venice, Florence and Rome, but this exciting 7 day, 6 city and 6 night journey will deliver a multitude of memorable experiences that will linger long after you've returned home. Take a walk down memory lane - one that spans centuries of tradition, heritage and culture, as you encounter such iconic sights as the mighty Colosseum, the Leaning Tower of Pisa and Florence's spectacular Duomo. Your exploration of this veritable open-air museum will leave you enriched and inspired. Includes: Bus transfers to and from Newark Airport to Midland Park, Direct flights to Venice and returning from Rome, All hotels, Airport transfers and transfers to and from your hotels in Italy, 6 Breakfasts, 5 Dinners and 1 Lunch. Full itinerary available by request. Tour escorted by Maggie Kauker. We highly recommend trip insurance. A \$300.00 per person nonrefundable deposit is required upon registration. Call the RCS

office at 201-327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: Tuesday 4/30—Tuesday 5/7, 2024 Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$3,899 Double: \$3,599



### **CANADA** - Island of Coudres

Escape to the Island of Coudres in Canada's beautiful region of Charlevoix Region of Quebec. Enjoy a guided tour of Quebec City, Guided tour of the beautiful Island of Coudres, Whale watching cruise on Bay of St. Catherine, Ferry ride to St. Anne De Beaupre Shrine, Visit the Albert Gilles Cooper Museum. Includes: 5 Nights Lodging (3 nights on the Island of Coudres), 5 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch and 5 Dinners. Required: Valid U.S. Passport or Passport card. Tour escorted by Melinda Scarso. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Call the RCS office at 201-327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: Saturday 5/18 —Thursday 5/23, 2024 Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$1,778 Double: \$1,519 Triple: \$1,499

### LAKE GEORGE and SARATOGA SPRINGS

Our "sweetest" lakeside tour! Cruise on shimmering Lake George and view the mansions lining the shore. Tour Lake Placid with your guide, including the former Olympic Village. A guided tour of Saratoga Springs features parks and mineral springs, for which the area is well known. Try the hula with the Tiki's Polynesian dancers for a wee bit of "Hawaii" by the lake! Includes: 3 Nights Lodging, 3 Adirondack Breakfasts, 3 Dinners, Guided tour of Lake Placid, Guided tour of Saratoga Springs, Cruise on Lake George. Tour escort to be determined. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Call the RCS office at 201-327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: Monday 6/3 – Thursday 6/6, 2024 Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$1,100 Double: \$815 Triple: \$799

### **OVERNIGHT TRIPS**



### **WASHINGTON D.C.**

This patriotic tour brings you to the locations where history is made and remembered. Two guided tours including: WW II Memorial, Capitol Hill, Embassy Row, The Korean War Veterans Memorial, the Vietnam Memorial, the Smithsonian, the Martin Luther King, Jr. National Memorial, the Lincoln Memorial, and more! Admission to Museum of the Bible containing six floors of exhibits and many ancient biblical artifacts. Admission to George Washington's Mount Vernon Estate & Garden. Tram ride through Arlington National Cemetery. Fee includes: 4 Nights Lodging in the Washington D.C. area, 4 Breakfasts and 4 Dinners. Tour escorted by Terry Seiders. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Call the RCS at (201) 327-2025 office for a complete itinerary.

Date: Friday 6/28 - Tuesday 7/2, 2024 Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$1,109 Double: \$899 Triple: \$879

### **CASTLES OF NEW YORK and THOUSAND ISLANDS**

Journey to a bygone era! Cruise aboard a replica steamboat on the scenic St. Lawrence River. Tour Boldt Castle, a monument of love built by George Boldt for his wife, Louise. Wing's Castle, a unique architectural marvel on the Hudson, and stately Singer Castle on the St. Lawrence completes your journey. Included: 3 Nights lodging (2 nights at Edgewood Resort), 3 Breakfasts, 1 Boxed Lunch, 3 Dinners, Boldt Castle, Singer Castle, Wing's Castle, Millbrook Vineyards and Winery Tour, St. Lawrence River Cruise and New York State Capital Building. Tour escorted by Terry Seiders. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Call the RCS office at 201-327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: Monday 8/12 – Thursday 8/15, 2024 Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$1,185 Double: \$899 Triple: \$875

### **CANADA** - Nova Scotia

See the beauty of Prince Edward Island, New Brunswick with Acadia National Park. Enjoy a visit to historic Halifax, Peggy's Cove and Lunenburg. Admission to King's Landing Historical Settlement. Visit picturesque Prince Edward Island, Explore Acadia National Park. Visit the waterside town of Saint John located on the shore Bay Fundy. Includes: 8 Nights Lodging Nights in Canada, 3 Nights in Maine), A guided tour of Acadia National Park, 8 Breakfasts and 6 Dinners. Required: Valid U.S. Passport or Passport card. Tour escorted by Terry Alnor. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Call the RCS office at (201) 327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: Wednesday 9/11—Thursday 9/19, 2024 Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$2,465 Double: \$1,920 Triple: \$1,900

### **ALSO COMING IN 2024!!!**

Canyonlands, Arches and Mesa Verde
National Parks—October

**Biltmore Holiday Estates— December** 

# RCS REGISTRATION FORM

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