

Youth Programs

Introduction to Abacus

AGES: 5–12 years (SEE BELOW)

Throw away your calculator! In this introductory course, students will learn about the abacus and how to use this ancient tool to calculate simple addition and subtraction. Students will also learn techniques for improving concentration, visualization, and memory. Each student will receive their own abacus. Children must be able to write numbers from 0–9. (Min/Max: 6/12). Instructor: Play Abacus Staff.

Fee: \$80/\$95 (6 wks)

Location: F&RC–Multi-Purpose B

Actv.#	Sec.#	Day	Date	Time	Ages
305229	01	Wed.	9/14–10/19	4:15–5:15pm	5–7 yrs
	02	Wed.	9/14–10/19	5:30–6:30pm	8–12 yrs
	03	Wed.	10/26–12/7	4:15–5:15pm	5–7 yrs
	04	Wed.	10/26–12/7	5:30–6:30pm	8–12 yrs

No class 11/23

Chess Wizards

AGES: 5-14 YEARS (GRADES K–8)

We've got one of the state's finest and most award-winning chess academies right in our backyard. Chess Wizards offers specifically designed classes that cater to all levels of chess ability. Each child is challenged by fun games and lessons from real Wizard teachers. Chess enhances cognitive development, improves both verbal and mathematical skills, and increases all levels of academic performance. (Min/Max: 10/15). Instructor: Chess Wizards.

Fee: \$100/\$125 (8 wks)

Location: F&RC–Barrington A

Actv.#	Sec.#	Day	Date	Time
305207	01	Thur.	9/15–11/10	4:30–5:30pm

No class 10/20

Dog Obedience & Puppy Training

AGES: 10 YEARS AND UP

Dogs who have formal training are always better companions. This class emphasizes a positive approach to behavior modification at home as well as in the show ring. Trainers must be at least 10 years old, and verification of vaccinations (rabies, parvo, distemper) is required. Please bring a six-foot leather leash, proper fitting training collar (no prong spike collars allowed), treats, a fanny pack or carpenter's apron, and white-soled gym shoes for the

trainer. (Min/Max: 5/16). Instructor: Karen Leoni

Fee: 55/68 per dog (6 wks)

Location: Citizens Park-Pavilion

Actv.# 305504

Dog Age	Sec.#	Day	Date	Time
Under 6 mos.	01	Sat.	9/17-10/29	8:30-9:30am
	04	Sat.	11/5-12/17	8:30-9:30am
6 mos. and up	02	Sat.	9/17-10/29	9:30-10:30am
	05	Sat.	11/5-12/17	9:30-10:30am
Previous Training	03	Sat.	9/17-10/29	10:30-11:30am
	06	Sat.	11/5-12/17	10:30-11:30am

No class 10/15, 11/26



A Touch of Etiquette

In today's rush-rush world, all children can use a few lessons on manners and etiquette. These skills will last a lifetime! Classes include A Touch of Etiquette manual and workbook to take home. For more information, go to www.touchofetiquette.com.

Manners 101 for Scouts

AGES: ALL GIRL/BOY SCOUT TROOPS

Boy and Girl Scouts can earn their Manners badge! We'll learn about both dining and social graces, including introductions, conversations, proper table setting, and technique. This private class can be customized to meet the needs of the troop and will be scheduled individually. Instructor: Lauren Brynjelsen, a Touch of Etiquette. To register, contact Kim Sweeney at 847-304-5294 or ksweeney@barringtonparkdistrict.org.

Fee: \$13 per child

Location: Class can be held at your school or at F&RC

Actv.#	Sec.#
305225	07

Social Grace

AGES: 5–14 YEARS; GRADES K–8 (SEE BELOW)

Give your son or daughter a gift that will last a lifetime – good manners. Children learn skills including introductions and handshakes; conversation; what makes a good listener; manners at home and school; and telephone/Internet etiquette. (Min/Max: 5/20). Instructor: Lauren Brynjelsen, A Touch of Etiquette.

Fee: See below; Location: F&RC–Barrington A

Actv.#	Grade	Sec.#	Day	Date	Time	Fee
305225	K–1	01	Tue.	9/13	5:00–6:30pm	\$35/\$48
	2–4	02	Tue.	9/20	5:00–7:00pm	\$45/\$58
	5–8	03	Tue.	9/27	5:00–7:00pm	\$45/\$58

Dining Dynamics

AGES: 5–14 YEARS; GRADES K–8 (SEE BELOW)

There's nothing more embarrassing than making etiquette mistakes at a formal or business dinner. Teach your children at a young age how to avoid these mistakes. We'll cover skills including formal and informal table settings (silverware, napkins, etc.); European vs. American-style dining; the proper way to eat different courses, and more. (Min/Max: 5/20). Instructor: Lauren Brynjelsen, a Touch of Etiquette.

Fee: see below; Location: F&RC–Barrington A

Actv.#	Grade	Sec.#	Day	Date	Time	Fee
305225	K–1	04	Tue.	11/1	5:00–6:30pm	\$35/\$48
	2–4	05	Tue.	11/8	5:00–7:00pm	\$45/\$58
	5–8	06	Tue.	11/15	5:00–7:00pm	\$45/\$58

