

JORDAN COMMUNITY

EDUCATION & RECREATION



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FALL/WINTER 2018

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



JOIN US FOR ONE OF OUR "RUN/WALK"
EVENTS ON SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8th!

15th Annual "1/2 Mile Family Fun Run" *All ages (children under 8 must be with adult)*

This is a fun race to do with the whole family! You'll start at the River Valley School and head down the hill into Lagoon Park. All finishers will receive a medal. **For entry form and fee and to learn more about the race see page 38.**

Saturday, September 8; River Valley School; race starts at 9am

35th Annual "Run/Walk of the Mill 5K/10K Race" *All welcome*

Wind your way through Jordan on this beautiful course! Don't be shy – German attire welcome and we even have prizes for the best dressed male and female! **For entry form and fee and to learn more about the race see page 39.**

Saturday, September 8; Jordan Middle School; 10K race starts at 7:45am / 5K race starts at 8am

**CHIP
TIMING!**

STAY IN TOUCH



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We are here to help!

INSIDE THIS BROCHURE

August brings to mind the end of summer and the beginning of another school year. Back to school brings a change in seasons and a change in routine. It's a great time to start over.

Here at the CERC, we want you to come into the CERC so you can lead the life you want outside of the CERC. Now is a great time to begin a healthy new routine. Community Ed and Rec is here to help you out! We encourage to look through these pages and register for a class that interests you.

For all the runners out there, the **annual Run of the Mill 5K, 10K and Family Fun Run will be on Saturday, September 8**. The Run of the Mill is a fun way to kick off Heimatfest!

Nathan Warden
Director, Community Ed/Rec



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ABOUT US COMM ED & REC STAFF



NATHAN WARDEN

Director – Community Education and Recreation / The CERC

As the director, I love providing opportunities to support life long learning both in the classroom as well as on the athletic field. One of the most important (and fun!) areas of work I do is investing in our ECFE and preschool students.

MARY OTTO

Program Coordinator – Kids' Company & Early Ed-Ventures

Our programs provide quality experiences for children pre-k to 6th grade, focusing on the core values; honesty, respect, responsibility, and compassion. We focus on these values while enjoying the kids and having fun ourselves.



JENNA WENDORF

Program Coordinator – Early Learning Services

It's rewarding to work in an area that is so critical to the development of the youngest in our community. The programming we have implemented continues to inspire... from the pyramid model, the inclusion model, and finally, our collaboration with K-4 programming.

ANDI NOLD

CERC and Enrichment Coordinator

I am passionate about community education because we are able to create opportunities for individuals to discover their strengths and passions while connecting to their community.



BO WASURICK

*Recreation, Youth Sports, and Facilities Coordinator
Activities Coordinator/Assistant AD Middle School Activities*

I enjoy having the opportunity to create an exciting, fun, and positive environment of trust in which student athletes can develop skills mentally, physically, and emotionally. We focus on these values while enjoying the kids and having fun ourselves.

KARLI VANDEPUTTE

CERC/Community Education and Recreation Administrative Assistant

I love being part of a department that allows me to see children grow and develop through all the different community education activities and to be able to do so in a facility that brings a community together.



NEW AND EXCITING OFFERINGS

AT COMMUNITY ED & REC

MUSIC AND MOVEMENT!



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Music Together Class

Award-winning music and movement classes for infants, toddlers, preschoolers and the grown-ups who love them. Experience delightful ways to interact musically with your child, all designed to support music development and overall development. **Learn more on page 16!**

LET'S GET CREATIVE!

Coffee and Crafts

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Join Jordan adults for coffee and work on your own creative crafts at the CERC. Bring your small craft projects including knitting, crocheting, cards or scrapbooking projects. Visit and share ideas. **Learn more on page 30!**

MOMS, DAUGHTERS, AND NIECES...

Ladies Self Defense

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Self defense and awareness designed for females. Training and discussion about threats to your safety, physical tactics, and how to escape from being held. **Learn more on page 17!**

EVENING CLASS!

Insanity Live PM

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Get ready to destroy fat and calories with the ultimate high intensity, cardio-conditioning and strength program. Step outside your comfort zone and push your body to insane limits! Based on the popular DVD series, Insanity live is the ultimate full body endurance workout! **Learn more on page 31!**

CAREGIVER YOGA!

Vinyasa and Afternoon Yoga

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Come together to practice aligning our breath and movement. These classes will **nourish your body and mind while your children have supervised activities.** **Learn more on page 32 and 33!**

EARLY LEARNING & FAMILY EDUCATION

Jordan Public Schools offers early childhood education and preschool opportunities for all families with children between the ages of birth to age five. We recognize that families provide children's first and most important learning environments and parents are children's first and most significant teachers.

Our Early Childhood Family Education (ECFE) programs offer a variety of services and activities to bring families together to share the joys and challenges of parenthood and develop confidence in their own abilities. Our preschool programs ensure children enter kindergarten with the skills and behaviors necessary to be successful in future learning.

We are anticipating another wonderful start to the school year with many families already taking advantage of our program enhancements such as busing, curb side drop off, snack cart, and additional class offerings. Our staff continues to strengthen the school experience for students while improving their practice in a collaborative model utilizing district staff development opportunities.

For general preschool or ECFE questions, please contact our ELS office at 952-492-3233.

Sincerely,

Jenna Wendorff

Early Learning Services Coordinator



EARLY LEARNING SERVICES STAFF

Community Ed/Rec Director

Nathan Warden

ELS/Special Services Coordinator

Jenna Wendorff

Early Ed-Ventures Coordinator

Mary Otto

ELS Administrative Assistant

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Trisha Hentges, Allison Koepp, Marisa Woitas, and Sadie Zimmerman

ECSE Teacher (3 to K)

Lauralie Axtell

Early Interventionist (birth to 3)

Rachel Vollbrecht

Parent Educator

Mary Hanek

Equity/Outreach Specialist

Malik Peer

District Interpreter

Maria Bahe



A Rating Tool for Selecting High Quality
Child Care and Early Education

**Parent Aware
Rated Program**



Highest Possible Rating



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SMARTPHONE APP

"Jordan Public Schools"



SOCIAL MEDIA

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EARLY LEARNING INTERVENTIONS

Did You Know?

The Jordan Public School believes that early education and interventions are the foundation of all learning. Along with our *Parent Aware Rated* preschool and ECSE programs, **we also offer early intervention services to families with children birth to Kindergarten**, ensuring even our youngest are reaching their milestones and receive help *when extra help is needed*.



Birth to 3 Intervention

Our Early Intervention staff will provide a system of services that help babies and toddlers with developmental delays or disabilities. Based on the family needs and priorities, the school staff will help the family problem solve and give information and ideas of activities they can do to enhance play and daily routines. They also help to connect families with community resources and supports as needed.

**For more call
(952) 492-4212.**

Age 3–6 Intervention

The **Early Childhood Special Education (ECSE) Preschool Program** provides learning experiences in all areas of development including social, self help, motor, communication, and cognitive skills. Children who have been identified with a developmental delay can benefit from many types of services within the ECSE classroom including speech, occupational, physical and vision therapies and assistive technology. ECSE services can also be provided in an inclusive setting within the regular preschool program offered in our Elementary School (Early Explorers Preschool).

**For more call
(952) 492-4285.**

Preschool Screening

Has your three year old been screened?

The early childhood years from birth to the start of kindergarten are an important time of rapid learning and growth. Early Childhood Screening is a quick and simple check of how your child is growing and developing. Between the ages of 3 and 4, screening can detect possible health or learning concerns so that children can get help before they start school. Screening is required of all children in Minnesota prior to Kindergarten entrance.

See page 13 for dates and registration information.

**For more call
(952) 492-3233.**

EARLY LEARNING



Help Me Grow

The Jordan Public School District is one of six districts who are served through the HELP ME GROW-SCOTT COUNTY early intervention system for children ages Birth through five. HELP ME GROW-SCOTT COUNTY focuses on child and family strengths, needs and priorities. We recognize that your family is the first and best teacher of your child and that children learn best through play. We work to enhance and support your family's knowledge as you help your child learn and develop throughout daily activities and routines.

This service is offered at no cost to the parent/care giver regardless of income or immigrant status and will provide information, support, and referral services to families of children with special needs. If you are concerned about your child's growth, development, or learning, please call 492-4285.

Is your child on track?



HelpMeGrowMN.org
1-866-693-4769



EARLY CHILDHOOD FUN FOR ALL!

Busy Babies

Ages 6 weeks to 12 months/walking

Come spend time with other parents and babies! Learn new songs, fingerplays, games, and some baby sign language! We will focus on a different theme for each session and you will leave equipped with many new ideas for your little one!

FALL SESSION - 11 WEEKS

Fridays, Sep 21 - Dec 14 (no Oct 16, Nov 23); 11am – 12pm
\$55/ session, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Sep 14; Sibling Care: \$33/session

WINTER SESSION - 10 WEEKS

Fridays, Jan 11 - Mar 15; 11am – 12pm
\$50/ session, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Jan 4 Sibling Care: \$30/session



Creative Kids

Ages 2.5 to 5 years

Preschoolers and their parents are invited to spend time playing together and exploring a variety of activities; art, learning games, science, dramatic play, sensory, movement, music, and much more! During this time, children stay and play with the Licensed Early Childhood Teacher and assistant while parents go to meet with a Parent Educator to discuss topics helpful to this age group.

FALL SESSION - 13 WEEKS

Tuesday PM, Sep 18 - Dec 11; 6pm - 7:30pm
\$143, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Sep 11; *No sibling care available for PM class

WINTER SESSION - 11 WEEKS

Tuesday PM, Jan 8 - Mar 19; 6pm - 7:30pm
\$121, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Jan 1; *No sibling care available for PM class

Ones and Twos Together

Ages 1 and 2 (must be walking)

Children and their parents are invited to spend time playing together while they learn. Each class will include learning stations, circle time, and a child-only class experience. During this time, children stay and play with the Licensed Early Childhood Teacher and assistant while parents go to meet with a Parent Educator to discuss topics helpful to this age group. Classes will also include informal parent discussion on topics suggested by parents during the first class.

FALL SESSION - 12 WEEKS

Monday AM, Sep 17 - Dec 10 (no Nov 5)
9am - 10:30am; \$132, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Sep 10

WINTER SESSION - 9 WEEKS

Monday AM, Jan 7 - Mar 18 (no Jan 21, Feb 18)
9am - 10:30am; \$99, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Dec 31

NEW!

Play & Learn for Toddlers and their Grown Ups *Ages 1 to 2 years*

Enjoy an hour of activities designed especially for your toddler's level of development! We'll do songs, art and interactive play to encourage language development and motor skills. There is no parent/child separation for this class.

FALL SESSION - 12 WEEKS

Monday PM, Sep 17 - Dec 10 (no Nov 5); 5:45pm - 6:45pm \$132, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Sep 10; *No sibling care available for PM class

WINTER SESSION - 9 WEEKS

Monday PM, Jan 7 - Mar 18 (no Jan 21, Feb 18); 5:45pm - 6:45pm \$99, ECCE Classroom

Reg by Dec 31; *No sibling care available for evening class

Preregistration is necessary for all ECCE Classes. Para hablar con alguien en español acerca de esta informacion, por favor, llame a Maria Bahe (492-4349).

EARLY CHILDHOOD FUN FOR ALL!

EXCITING NEW OFFERING!

NEW!

Preschool with Training Wheels

Ages 3 to 5 years (Must turn 3 by February 1st, 2019 AND be fully potty trained)

This new class helps prepare your child for their future preschool classes, but still gives the parents an opportunity to connect! **Wednesday** will be a child-only class where you drop your child off for class and give them the chance to experience being a preschooler. **Friday** will be treated as a typical ECFE class; spending time with your child during the first half of class and then separate into a parent class with our Parent Educator for the second half. Join us in this new adventure and sign up for *Preschool with Training Wheels*!

FALL SESSION

Wed/Fri, Sep 19 - Dec 14; 9am - 10:30am

\$264, ECFE Classroom

Reg by Sep 12

WINTER SESSION

Wed/Fri, Jan 9 - Mar 20; 9am - 10:30am

\$231, ECFE Classroom

Reg by Jan 2

Let's Build with Dad!

Ages 2 1/2 to 5 years

Come for a night of fun! Create a special project with dad. Bring a hammer, and we will provide all other supplies. Let's create together!

Friday, Nov 2; 6pm - 7pm

\$15/ child and adult, ECFE Classroom

Reg by Oct 26

Make a Gingerbread Train

Ages 2 1/2 to 5 years

All Aboard! The gingerbread train is leaving the station on December 2nd. Enjoy the night creating your own gingerbread train. CHOO CHOO!

Friday, Nov 30; 6pm - 7pm

\$10/ child, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Nov 23

Holiday Cooking and Crafts with Mommy

Ages 2 1/2 to 5 years

Come join us for a special holiday class with your child. We'll be making gifts and cookies to share with your family and friends. Register early!

Friday, Dec 7; 6pm - 7:30pm

\$14.50/ child, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Nov 30

Do You Want to Build a Snowman?

Ages 2 1/2 to 5 years

We'll be putting a spin on this favorite winter activity by staying inside and doing fun activities and crafts inspired by Olaf and other Frozen characters!

Friday, Jan 25; 6pm - 7pm

\$10/ child, ECFE Classroom

Reg by Jan 18

Jedi Training

Ages 2 1/2 to 5 years

We are teaming up with the Bauer Fine Arts Academy for this spectacular event! Come down to the dance studio to learn some dance moves and use the Force to do awesome art projects! If you want, you can come dress as a Jedi and join the good side!!

Friday, Feb 22; 6pm - 7pm

\$10/ child, Bauer Fine Arts Academy in Jordan

Reg by Feb 15

FAMILY FUN NIGHT!



For children age birth to 5 and their families

Bring your family and join us for a night at the Jordan CERC!

Our first “Family Fun Night” was a HUGE success and a great opportunity for kids to have fun and for both families and kids to meet new people in our early childhood community!

The gym will be open with inflatables and many fun things to do!

Friday, October 12 at 6pm - 7:30pm



EARLY LEARNING SPECIALS & EVENTS

Child Safety Fair

Ages Birth to 5

The Jordan Volunteer Fire Department and Jordan ECFE is hosting the Child Safety Fair at the Jordan Fire Department. Come join us for some interactive presentations from the Jordan Police Department and Jordan Fire Department. Check out artwork from all Jordan Kindergarteners and Preschoolers. Join us for free safety information and fun! **Open to the Public.**

Thursday, October 11; 10am - 12pm

FREE, Jordan Fire Department

No registration needed



EARLY LEARNING

Jordan Public School District



Early Childhood Family Education

ECFE OPEN HOUSE

Children Birth-5 and their families

Tuesday, September 11, 2018

ECFE Classroom at JES

6pm – 7pm

Come and see what ECFE is all about! See the ECFE classroom and meet the staff!

PRESCHOOL TIME TO EXPLORE!

EARLY EXPLORERS



Jordan Public Schools Preschool

of our elementary school - art, music, gym, media center, outdoor STEAM exploration, and a hot lunch option for full-day preschool.

Early Explorers activities include circle time, art, music and movement, story time, stations, a library day and a snack. We have a literacy-based curriculum that incorporates the SMART room, iPad Small Group Time, Handwriting without Tears and SMART board activities, meeting State Indicators of Progress, Kindergarten Readiness, and field trips through the year. Personal and social wellness is nurtured through the Pyramid Model – a positive intervention strategy supporting social-emotional well being of child. Our inclusive classrooms recognize the diversity of students, enabling all students to access the curriculum, fully participate in learning activities and demonstrate their knowledge and strengths at assessment.

Registration fee \$70

Online registration NOW OPEN! > www.bit.ly/preschool_reg

Early Explorers, a Parent Aware 4-Star Rated Program, is a caring, warm and happy place for preschoolers to learn and grow. Our preschool offers an expanded traditional curriculum in a preK-4 setting. This means learning beyond the traditional preschool room! *To prepare for Kindergarten and beyond, your child will be oriented to the amenities*

2018-2019 FULL-DAY PRESCHOOL:

Age 4 and 5 (Turning 5 year during 2018-2019 school year)

Mon – Thurs 8:30 am – 2:30 pm / \$430 month

Mon/Wed 8:30 am – 2:30 pm / \$215 month

Tues/Thurs 8:30 am – 2:30 pm / \$215 month

2018-2019 HALF-DAY PRESCHOOL:

Age 4 and 5 (Turning 5 year during 2018-2019 school year)

Mon-Thurs 12:00 pm – 3:00 pm / \$215 month

Age 3 and 4 (Turning 4 year during 2018-2019 school year)

Mon/Wed/Fri 8:30 am – 11:15 am / \$165 month

Tues/Thurs 8:30 am – 11:15 am / \$115 month

Young 3's (Fully potty trained / age 3 after 05/31/18; before 02/15/19)

Tues/Thurs 9:00 am – 11:00 am / \$110 month (no bus option)

***May attend one or two days of Young 3's at shown cost*



**WE HAVE A
PRESCHOOL
BUSING
OPTION!**

Is before or after preschool care an issue?

Take advantage of our in-house extended care program. **Early Ed-Ventures** is a program designed to provide a safe and positive environment in cooperation with Early Explorers Preschool.

2018-2019 REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!

WRAP-AROUND EXTENDED CARE



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Early Ed-Ventures is a *wrap-around program* designed to provide a safe and positive environment in cooperation with Early Explorers Preschool.

Is before or after Early Explorers preschool care an issue? Take advantage of our in-house extended care program.

Early Ed-Ventures is housed at the Jordan Elementary School. Early Ed-Ventures has planned activities designed to meet each child's physical, emotional, social and developmental needs. This is a great option for families that wish to have extended care or have difficulty with transportation before or after preschool.

Early Ed-Ventures HOURS:

6:00 am - 6:00 pm

Early Ed-Ventures is closed approximately 15 days/calendar year

Early Ed-Ventures FEES:

Non-refundable registration fee of \$50 per year

Full Day: \$37

Half Day (5 hours or less): \$27

To enroll for the 2018-2019 school year, please call Mary Otto at (952) 492-4261 for a registration packet.

EARLY LEARNING PTO

Early Learning Services PTO



Our PTO Members

Becky Knight - Chair

Amanda Franklin - Treasurer

Danielle Tieben - Secretary

Heather Bennett

Katie Buell

Becki Consoer

Holly Halldorson

Thao Habeck

When are the meetings?

- The PTO (Parent Teacher Organization) meets the second Tuesday of every month at 6:30pm in the ELS parent room. Meetings are open to anyone with a child in the ELS program; contact ELS at (952)492-3233 with questions.

What is the ELS PTO Advisory Council?

- This group is dedicated to supporting the students and staff at ELS. We are a group of parents that volunteer to enhance the student's educational experience with time, effort, concern, and funds. We are always looking for parents who would like to volunteer.
- The funds we raise are used to provide field trips, support ELS programming, purchase supplies and equipment, and offer events for the families in the program.

Why should you join?

- You can take an active part in your child's education.
- It is a great way to meet new friends and other parents.
- You can give back by offering your time and talents.



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PTO BABY SHOWER

Friday

September 14, 2018

11:15am - 12:15pm

ECFE Classroom

FREE



If you have added a NEW BABY to your family in the last six months the Early Learning Services PTO wants to celebrate with you! **Join us for a FREE Baby Shower** where you can talk to other parents, enjoy a light lunch, and laugh, sing, and smile as you experience a circle time with your baby. This is a great opportunity to get a glimpse into the ECFE Busy Babies Class (Fridays April 13th through May 11th from 11am to 12pm) We look forward to meeting the newest members of the Jordan Community!

SCHOLARSHIPS, SIB CARE, & SCREENING

Scholarships Available Sliding Fee Scale

Fees help cover the costs for each class. No family will be turned away due to inability to pay. Reduced rates and scholarships are available. Call (952) 492-3233 for information on scholarships or reduced fees. If your income is less than these guidelines, you are eligible for waived or reduced fees.

Annual Income					
House Size	Under 15K	15-25K	25-45K	45-85K	85K
2-3	1/2	3/4	Full	Full	Full
4-5	1/4	1/2	3/4	Full	Full
6-7	\$30	1/4	1/2	3/4	Full
8+	\$10	\$30	1/4	1/2	3/4

La ayuda de honorarios cubre los gastos para cada clase. Ninguna familia será girada lejos debido a la inhabilidad de pagar. Los precios reducidos y las becas están disponibles. **Llame (952) 492-3233 para la información en becas o honorarios reducidos.** Si sus ingresos son menos que estas pautas, usted es elegible para honorarios renunciados o reducidos.

Ingreso Anual					
En Casa	Bajo 15 Mil	15-25 Mil	25-45 Mil	45-85 Mil	85 Mil
2-3	50%	75%	100%	100%	100%
4-5	25%	50%	75%	100%	100%
6-7	\$30	25%	50%	75%	100%
8+	\$10	\$30	25%	50%	75%

EARLY CHILDHOOD SCREENING



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Todos los niños entre las edades de 3-5 tienen que pasar por la investigación preescolar (preschool screening) requerido por el estado de Minnesota.

For Info:
www.bit.ly/screening_about

To Register:
www.preschoolscreening.youcanbook.me

SCREENING DATES

Friday, September 7	Friday, February 15
Friday, September 21	Friday, March 8
Friday, October 12	Friday, April 12
Friday, November 16	Friday, April 26
Friday, December 14	Friday, May 10
Friday, January 11	

Sibling Care Policy

No older or younger siblings are to be in the classroom during class time. ECFE offers sibling care for brothers and sisters ages birth to Kindergarten of registered children.

Sibling Care Cost per Weeks: \$3 per session

Reminders:

- Drop in care must be called in before class and is not guaranteed available.
- All siblings must also have a current immunization record on file.
- Sibling care is not available for evening classes.

Preregistration is necessary for all ECFE Classes. Para hablar con alguien en español acerca de esta información, por favor, llame a Maria Bahe (492-4349).

For ELS offerings register at www.jordan.k12.mn.us/commed or 952-492-3233 **13**

REGISTRATION PAYMENTS & REMINDERS

Register & Pay Online

Jordan Community Ed & Rec uses a class registration and payment system called **ACTIVE Net**. As a part of the Community Ed & Rec, all Early Learning Services programming to include ECFE and preschool will now use this system for registration and payment.

How to sign up for a Community Ed & Rec ACTIVE Net account?

1. Go to www.jordan.k12.mn.us
2. Under "Community Ed & Rec", choose "Class Registration & Payment"
3. Choose "Sign Up" (blue button)

How to sign up for Community Ed & Rec classes using ACTIVE Net?

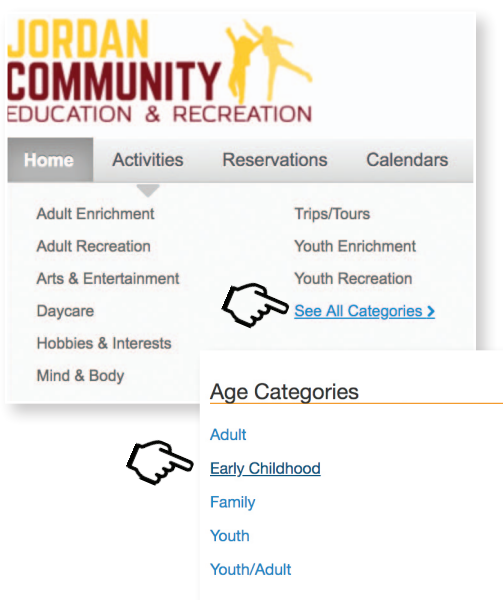
1. Go to www.jordan.k12.mn.us
2. Under "Community Ed & Rec", choose "Class Registration & Payment"
3. Log into your account
4. Choose from "Activities" along top grey bar
5. Select "See All Categories" (see picture)
6. Select "Early Childhood" under age categories (see picture)

ACTIVE Net on Smartphone!

Look for the ACTIVE Net icon on the updated "Jordan Public Schools" smartphone app. Quick access to paying on your smartphone when needed!



ACTIVE Net on the web!



Reminder:

A **\$20.00 administrative fee** will be charged for withdrawing from a class. Refunds for classes or special events must be requested 5 working days prior to the start of class or event. No refunds will be granted after this date. Please register at least one week prior to the start of class or special event.

ECFE Location:

ECFE classes are held in the Jordan Early Learning Services wing at the Jordan Elementary School. The classrooms are located in the south-west corner of the building. Park on the south-west side, and enter through the main doors, turning right after entering the building.

Please Note:

- Phone registrations will be guaranteed only after payment has been received.
- Please notify our office of cancellations at least 3 working days prior to first class meeting in order to receive a refund. No refunds are given for missed classes. No refunds on either special events or classes will be given after registration deadlines unless an event has been cancelled. **A \$20.00 administrative fee will be charged for withdrawing from a class.**
- Classes are filled on a first-come, first-serve basis. In order to hold a class, a minimum of five families must be registered. **You ARE registered unless notified otherwise.**
- Jordan ELS **requires all students to have a current birth certificate, immunizations, photo release, and state enrollment forms on record.** These forms must be on record before the second class in a series.

KIDS' COMPANY BEFORE & AFTER CARE

Jordan Public Schools



Before and After

School Program

Kids' Company is a program designed to provide a safe, supervised, recreational and enriching environment before and after school for children in Kindergarten through 6th grade held in Jordan Elementary School.

We offer a designated room that provides comfort and an abundance of games, toys, and crafts. We offer a gym that allows the children to improve on large motor skills playing soccer, bowling, tag, jump rope, or simply building a fort. We have access to an on-site playground where the children can climb, slide, or swing.

Kids' Company is also available in the summer with some awesome activities and planned trips!



Kids' Company HOURS:

6:00 am - 8:00 am - School days

2:45 pm - 6:00 pm - School days

6:00 am - 6:00 pm - No school days

Not open holiday break & spring break

Kids' Company FEES:

6:00 am - 8:00 am \$8

2:45 pm - 4:30 pm \$8

2:45 pm - 6:00 pm \$11

Non-refundable registration fee of \$50 per year

For more information, please call Mary Otto at Kids' Company:
952-492-4261 or kidsco@isd717.org

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

NOTICE!

PARENTS/GUARDIANS: Please remember it is your responsibility to notify your child's teacher if they are attending any after school programs. This will decrease any confusion or fear if a child needs to go to a class or get on a bus. Thank you!

Music Together Class

Ages 0-5 Instructor: Music Together in the Valley

Award-winning music and movement classes for infants, toddlers, preschoolers and the grown-ups who love them. Experience delightful ways to interact musically with your child, all designed to support music development and overall development. The rich music environment in class, full of opportunities for experimentation and play, will help your child grow into a confident, lifelong music maker! Classes are mixed-aged so siblings can attend together. Tuition includes CDs and a song book so the fun and learning continues at home.



FREE DEMO CLASS (one demo per family please):

Friday, Sep 14; 9:30am - 10:15am; **Reg by Sep 7**
Friday, Sep 21; 10:30am - 11:15am; **Reg by Sep 14**
Friday, Dec 14; 9:30am - 10:15am; **Reg by Dec 7**
Friday, Dec 14; 10:30am - 11:15am; **Reg by Dec 7**

FALL SESSION: Fridays, Sep 28 - Dec 7 (no Nov 23)

Session 1: 9:30am - 10:15am

Session 2: 10:30am - 11:15am

Cost below, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 21 Min 6 / Max 12

WINTER SESSION: Fridays, Jan 11 - Mar 15

Session 1: 9:30am - 10:15am

Session 2: 10:30am - 11:15am

Cost below, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Jan 4 Min 6 / Max 12

Cost: \$186 for 1st registered child in a family \$99 for each additional sibling 8 months or older. Siblings under 8 months on the first day of the session attend for free. To receive multi-family member discount contact Community Ed & Rec to register.



Abrakadoodle Holiday Gift Making

Grades K-5 (2018-2019 school year)

All New Gifts! Get a head start on the holidays with this fun gift making class. This year you'll make silly snowmen on canvas board, sculpt gingerbread men or clay ornaments, use chalk to create penguins playing in the snow and more. These projects are perfect gifts for your friends and family or keep them for yourself!

Mondays, Nov 19 - Dec 10; 3pm - 4pm

\$59/ \$69 after Nov 12, JES Room 67

Reg by Nov 12 Min 6 / Max 20

Abrakadoodle Color, Color Everywhere

Grades K-5 (2018-2019 school year)

Get wildly creative in this colorful class. Make your own wild things inspired by the creature in "Where the Wild Things Are", sculpt a 3D owl, paint with scissors (like Matisse), create a colorful chalk peacock and watercolor some fall leaves. In this fun fall class, we'll explore lots of medium, and create some awesome art. **Students will be supervised after school until class starts. JMS students will be responsible for walking to JES.**

Mondays, Oct 1 - Oct 29; 3pm - 4pm

\$69/ \$79 after Sep 24, JES Room 67

Reg by Sep 24 Min 6 / Max 16

YOUTH ENRICHMENT

Mad Science Fantastic Forces

Grades 1-5 (2018-2019 school year)

Instructor: Laurie Schmidt

Come along on a Mad Science tour de force! Feel angular momentum move you, and investigate inertia in action. Observe how the forces of flight affect airplane performance and use air pressure to levitate ping pong balls! Learn about structural engineering when you build a bridge, and electrical engineering as you build circuits. Discover the link between sound and vibration, the forces required to shape a gemstone, and how to use density to clean up an oil spill. And of course, get a great signature Mad Science take-home every day! Class content varies depending on series length.

Students will be supervised after school until class starts. JMS students will be responsible for walking to JES.

SESSION 1

Thursdays, Oct 4 - Nov 1 (no Oct 18); 3:20pm - 4:20pm

\$70/ \$80 after Sep 27, JES Room 67

Reg by Sep 27 Min 10 / Max 20

SESSION 2

Thursdays, Nov 15 - Dec 13 (no Nov 22); 3:20pm - 4:20pm

\$70/ \$80 after Nov 8, JES Room 67

Reg by Nov 8 Min 10 / Max 20



Mad Science Science Comes Alive

Grades 1-5 (2018-2019 school year)

Instructor: Laurie Schmidt

Discover how Science Comes Alive with Mad Science! Wonder at the marvels of natural science as you explore how animals adapt to their environments, how bugs defend themselves, and how life can survive at the bottom of the sea. Discover the secrets of science's impact on the brain through magic tricks and art. Explore chemistry as you

figure out the difference between solutions and suspensions and experience the power of chemical reactions. Delve into the science of paleontology and learn about life long gone: the dinosaurs! And of course, get a great signature Mad Science take-home every day! Class content varies depending on series length. **Students will be supervised after school until class starts. JMS students will be responsible for walking to JES.**

SESSION 1

Thursdays, Jan 10 - Jan 31; 3:20pm - 4:20pm

\$70/ \$80 after Jan 3, JES Room 67

Reg by Jan 3 Min 10 / Max 20

SESSION 2

Thursdays, Feb 7 - Mar 7 (no Feb 21); 3:20pm - 4:20pm

\$70/ \$80 after Jan 31, JES Room 67

Reg by Jan 31 Min 10 / Max 20

Ladies Self Defense

Ages 14+ (female only) Instructor: Todd Beck

Self defense and awareness designed for females. Training and discussion about threats to your safety, physical tactics, and how to escape from being held. There will be some physical exertion, dress in comfortable clothing. Female family members will benefit from discussion and training.

Saturday, Oct 13; 1pm - 4pm

\$25, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 6 Min 6 / Max 20

NEW!



Instructor Spotlight

Todd Beck

My goal is to take my training and experiences in using force to help you prepare for stressful situations. Todd Beck is a retired First Sergeant, SWAT Commander, Unarmed Combat Koga instructor, and owner of Mobile Armory Firearm Training Company.

YOUTH ENRICHMENT



Extreme STEM Lever Developers

Grades 1-5 (2018-2019 school year)

STEM Enrichment using LEGO® bricks for the 21st Century learner. Each {YEL!} STEM class follows four basic components: **Teach It!**... Each class students are taught the basic STEM engineering concepts behind each project. **Build It!**... Students use LEGO® bricks to build a dragster, balancing beam and design their own catapult. **Explore It!**... Then they use the project to explore basic engineering concepts - this session is focused on lever concepts. **Play It!**... Finally they play with their project, modify it, create extensions and have fun working with it. **Students will be supervised after school until class starts.**

Wednesdays, Oct 3 - Nov 7; 3pm - 4:10pm

\$75/ \$85 after Sep 26, JES Room 67

Reg by Sep 26 Min 6 / Max 16

Extreme STEM Pulley Engineers

Grades 1-5 (2018-2019 school year)

STEM Enrichment using LEGO® bricks for the 21st Century learner. Each {YEL!} STEM class follows four basic components: **Teach It!**... Each class students are taught the basic STEM engineering concepts behind each project. **Build It!**... Students use LEGO® bricks to build a street sweeper, racer and design their own egg beater. **Explore It!**... Then they use that project to explore the basic engineering concepts - this session is focused on pulleys concepts. **Play It!**... Finally they play with their project, modify it, create extensions and have fun working with it. **Students will be supervised after school until class starts.**

Wednesdays, Jan 30 - Mar 6; 3pm - 4:10pm

\$75/ \$85 after Jan 23, JES Room 67

Reg by Jan 23 Min 6 / Max 16

Jordan Junior Choir

Grades 3, 4, 5 (2018-2019 school year)

Instructor: Elizabeth Egger

Jordan's got talent! Do you want to sing even more than you do during the school day? If so, this choir is for you! There is no audition required. All that is required is a desire to sing and a positive attitude! This is a great chance to meet new friends, build confidence, and sing fun music! This group will be featured throughout the year, including a special High School collaboration. Rehearsals will run all school year on Thursdays after school. We can't wait to see you there!

Rehearsals: 3pm - 4pm; JMS Choir Room 22

Rehearsals on Thursdays

October 4, 11, 25 (no Oct 18)

November 1, 15, 29 (no Nov 8)

December 6, 20 (no Dec 13, 27)

January 3, 10, 17, 24, 31

February 7, 14, 21 (no Feb 28)

March 7, 21, 28 (no Mar 14)

April 4, 11

Performance #1

Caroling on Thursday, December 20, 2018. Details TBA

Performance #2

Monday, February 25, 2019 at 6pm

Midwinter Concert with Jordan High School Choirs
at JHS auditorium

Performance #3

Celebrate Jordan Performance on

Sunday, April 7, 2019. Details TBA

Junior Choir Party

Thursday, April 11, 2019 3pm - 4pm. Details TBA

Fee: \$45 for the year! (this includes
t-shirt, please indicate shirt size
on registration)

Register by Oct 1

Min 20 / Max 50



YOUTH ENRICHMENT

Fall/Winter Tutoring

INDIVIDUAL Private Tutoring Sessions **Grades K-8 (2018-2019 school year)**

After school tutoring sessions are available to provide the academic boost your student needs in a 1:1 setting. Our tutors specialize in math and reading support. Each session focuses on skills practice, strategies, and homework help.

Each one hour session (math or reading) is \$35. Limited slots available but you can sign up for multiple sessions. Sessions are on a first come, first serve basis so register today! Weekly times will be scheduled following registration and will be set up by the tutoring coordinator and the family.

Please contact Autumn Warden at 952-994-2694 to schedule your tutoring sessions. Thank you!

Session: September - February

****There will be no sessions during school breaks or weather related closings. \$35/session (includes materials)**

GROUP Homework Sessions

Grades 4-12 (2018-2019 school year)

Homework groups are specifically designed to work on the material that is being taught in the classroom. Students will work at their own pace in an interactive, structured setting. If there is a concept that they are struggling with, instructors will be able to take the time to work through it and provide extra examples. If students do not have homework or finish early, the group will play games focused on current content and test prep.

Monthly Sessions: (must register each month)
Homework **group sessions are \$27/ hour and a half.** By signing up monthly, you agree to pay for the month regardless of your student's attendance.

Please contact Autumn Warden at 952-994-2694 to register for a homework group. Times and dates will be determined by the availability of the group.

Youth Firearm Safety

Ages 11 - 15 Instructor: John Breimhorst



This course is only offered once a year and is a must for all boys and girls, ages 11- 15 who go hunting. In class you will learn safety rules about guns and hunting. All hunters

under the age of 15 must pass a written test to receive their certificate. No firearms are to be brought to the first session. No ammunition is allowed at any class. **There is no fee for this class and it is open to Jordan school district residents only.** Sponsored by Fish Lake Sportsman Club.

CLASSES/TEST:

Sep 11, 13, 18, 20 (written test and range)

6pm - 9pm

Regional Training Facility (Scott County) 17706 Valley View Drive, Jordan

Reg by Sep 5

Max 35

FIELD TRIP

Saturday, Sep 22; 8am

Cost: FREE; this class is open to Jordan school district residents only. Registration is required.

Join us for the 15th Annual "1/2 Mile Family Fun Run" taking place during Heimatfest !

This is a fun race to do with the whole family! You'll start at the River Valley School and head down the hill into Lagoon Park. All finishers will receive a medal.

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#CERCPERK School Year Edition!

— FOR MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS —
Weekdays (only) Starting Monday, September 10
3pm – 5pm only

Starting September 10th, all Middle school students (see qualifications below) may use the CERC gym after school (3pm - 5pm) without an adult present. Early release days will be from 1pm - 3pm. Please note, this will only apply on school days (not on weekends or non school days)

To utilize the Middle School CERC perk, students and parents must:

- ✓ Student must be a member of the CERC
- ✓ Student scholarships are available for those that qualify (forms available at the CERC)
- ✓ Read, sign, and return the Middle School CERC Perk Letter of Understanding
- ✓ Forms can be found online or at the CERC front desk.
- ✓ Please turn completed form in to the CERC front desk prior to participation

Questions: Please contact Andi Nold at Community Education (952) 492-6211 or anold@isd717.org

PRESCHOOL PLAYTIME AT THE CERC!

Preschool Playtime

Ages 0-5

Hey kids, YOUR RULE THE GYM! Kids, with a supervising adult are welcome to run around, bounce, and play in the gym. **Play equipment will be provided. Bring your clean trikes, riding toys or balls.** No need to preregister!

Mondays and Thursdays

9am - 11am

FREE for CERC members

Non-members \$2/child (adult(s) free)

CERC Gym

No reg needed



YOUTH RECREATION



Fitness Boot Camp with Mindfulness and Yoga Fun

Ages 5 - 10

Instructor: Sam Chathu - Fitness Boomers, Certified Youth Fitness Trainer

This fun boot-camp has a little of everything for BOYS & GIRLS! There will be fun with various types of obstacle courses and ultimate yoga challenges. Participants will practice different poses and discuss topics around happiness, positivity and respect. The class will focus on learning balance, flexibility, agility, coordination, speed, and motor skills in a group setting.

Friday, Nov 2; 3:15pm - 4:15pm
\$25, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 26 Min 5 / Max 15

Middle School Yoga Fun Boot Camp

Ages 11-15

Instructor: Sam Chathu - Fitness Boomers, Certified Youth Fitness Trainer

This uplifting yoga session will focus on fine tuning alignment and developing greater awareness of the body, mind and breathing. We'll also learn to be positive, concentrate, create and spread positive energy. We will have fun with up-beat music, movement and exercise in a group setting.

Friday, Nov 2; 4:30pm - 5:30pm
\$35, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 26 Min 5 / Max 15

Tae Kwon Do (Korean Karate)

Ages 6+ Instructor: Linda Kroells

Learn self-defense, self-confidence, self-control, respect and physical fitness. Beginning students will learn techniques necessary for first rank gold stripe. Advanced students continue at their present rank. All levels welcome.

SESSION 1

Weds, Sep 19 - Oct 24; 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 12 Min 18 / Max 40

SESSION 2

Weds, Nov 7 - Dec 12; 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 31 Min 18 / Max 40

SESSION 3

Weds, Dec 19 - Jan 30 (no Dec 26); 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Dec 12 Min 18 / Max 40

SESSION 4

Weds, Feb 6 - Mar 13; 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Jan 30 Min 18 / Max 40

Youth Cheerleading Clinic

Boys and Girls, Grades K-8 (2018-2019 school year)

Instructor: Alex Bourdeaux, Annie Shurson and High School Cheerleaders

All boys and girls interested in learning how to lead cheers and support their teams with school spirit and enthusiasm are invited! **The participants will perform at the football game on Friday, September 14th.**

JES students will be walked over to the high school, JMS students will be responsible for walking to the high school.

4 CLASSES

Mon-Thurs, Sep 10 - Sep 13; 3:15pm - 4:15pm

\$30 (w/ pom-poms and t-shirt), JHS Multi Purpose Room

Reg by Sep 3 Min 12

**** Friday, September 14 – Participants should arrive at JHS Multi Purpose room at 6:20pm.**

YOUTH RECREATION

FALL / WINTER SOCCER SHOTS

Soccer Shots - Mini: *Ages 2 – 3*

Soccer Shots Mini is a high-energy program introducing children to fundamental soccer principles such as using your feet, dribbling and the basic rules of the game.

FALL SESSION

Sat, Sep 15 - Nov 3; 9am - 9:45am
\$108 (includes jersey), Field Behind JES (backup is CERC)
Reg by Sep 14 Min 5 / Max 25

WINTER SESSION

Sat, Jan 5 - Feb 23; 9am - 9:45am
\$108 (includes jersey), at CERC
Reg by Jan 4 Min 5 / Max 25



INCLUDES

stickers, stamps, end of season prize and certificate of completion for all soccer sessions

Soccer Shots - Classic: *Ages 4 – 5*

Soccer Shots Classic utilizes creative and imaginative games to focus on basic soccer skills like dribbling, passing and shooting. We also highlight a positive character trait each session such as respect, teamwork and appreciation. Closed-toed shoes and shin guards.

FALL SESSION

Sat, Sep 15 - Nov 3; 10am - 10:45am
\$108 (includes jersey), Field Behind JES (backup is CERC)
Reg by Sep 14 Min 5 / Max 25

WINTER SESSION

Sat, Jan 5 - Feb 23; 10am - 10:45am
\$108 (includes jersey), at CERC
Reg by Jan 4 Min 5 / Max 25

Soccer Shots - Premier: *Ages 6 – 8*

Soccer Shots Premier focuses on individual skill, fitness and sportsmanship to be challenged through fun games and team interaction. Children will also be introduced to basic tactical elements of game as they prepare to play on competitive teams. Closed-toed shoes and shin guards.

FALL SESSION

Sat, Sep 15 - Nov 3; 11am - 11:45am
\$108 (includes jersey), Field Behind JES (backup is CERC)
Reg by Sep 14 Min 5 / Max 25

WINTER SESSION

Sat, Jan 5 - Feb 23; 11am - 11:45am
\$108 (includes jersey), at CERC
Reg by Jan 4 Min 5 / Max 25

5th & 6th Grade Volleyball League *Grades 5-6 (2018-2019 school year)*

This is a recreational league partnered with Belle Plaine, Cleveland, St. Peter, TCU, New Prague and LeSueur-Henderson. We will be playing games on Saturdays vs. these towns. This league is to learn fundamentals and give the players an opportunity to improve by playing in game situations.

PRACTICES

Tues & Thurs; Aug 21 - Oct 13
Rotating by grade at 3:30pm - 5pm OR 5pm - 6:30pm

GAMES

Saturday morning games Sep 15 - Oct 13
\$90, CERC Gym
Reg by Aug 17 Min 8 / Max 24

Jordan Youth Cross Country Team *Grades 5-6 (2018-2019 school year)*

Instructor: Ben Nylander, JHS Varsity Coach

This is an excellent opportunity to experience cross country. Students will practice with varsity cross country members and also be involved in youth cross country races against other area teams.

PRACTICES

Tuesday, Sep 18 and Thurs, Sep 27; 3:15pm - 4:15pm
\$25 (includes t-shirt), JHS Multi Purpose Room
Reg by Sep 11

RACES

Oct 2; Ney Nature Center Near Henderson
Oct 9; Jordan
Oct 23; Ney Nature Center Near Henderson
Times TBD

YOUTH RECREATION



YOUTH BASKETBALL

GRADES K-6 Basketball

STAY TUNED FOR INFO

Watch your backpacks, Facebook, Twitter & email for information coming out later this fall regarding our K-6 Basketball Program!

Kevin Lynch Basketball Clinic

Grades 5-8 (2018-2019 school year)

The Kevin Lynch Basketball clinic is designed to prepare players for the upcoming season with an emphasis on shooting. Clinicians will also work on fine tuning their dribbling and passing skills. Plus, you'll get a free t-shirt!

Mondays, Oct 1 - Oct 22; 6pm - 8pm

\$75, CERC Gym

Reg by Sep 24

Min 15 / Max 50



Kevin Lynch

Kevin Lynch has a serious passion for the game, as he has been organizing and running these clinics the past 20 years. He is a former high school Mr. Basketball, All Big Ten guard with the University of Minnesota Golden Gophers, and NBA player with the Charlotte Hornets. Now, he does TV commentary for the Minnesota Timberwolves.

Trap Team – Fall League *Grades 6-12 (Age 12 by July 31 & Firearms Safety Certificate)*



The Jordan High School Trap Team is open to all Jordan School District students. Nobody rides the bench in trap, everybody shoots each week and helps contribute to the team score and the girls shoot right alongside the boys. The fall league is more recreational in nature but

coached by the same coaches as our spring competition league so you will be coached how break targets safely and consistently. This is the perfect opportunity for new students to try the sport with less of a commitment than spring league and any of our existing students who want to keep up on their skills. No high school lettering is available for fall league. Students must have their own 12 (preferred) or 20 gauge shotgun in good working order. Cost is inclusive of league fee, target fees and shotgun shells.

Thursdays, Sep 13 - Oct 25; 4pm

\$175, Minneapolis Gun Club or Minnesota Horse and Hunt Club

Reg by Aug 31

Min 5

YOUTH FOOTBALL



YOUTH FOOTBALL

DEADLINES

\$10 Early Registration Discount: Participants will receive a \$10 discount on their registration if they sign up by 4pm on August 1.

\$20 Late Registration Fee: Participants will be allowed to register up to the start of play provided there is room on the roster. There will be a late fee of \$20 for any registration past the registration deadline.



PARENT MTG AND PICTURE DAY

Team announcements, schedules, and Uniforms will be provided at the Photo Day/Parent Meetings.

Teams K-4th Photo Day/Parent Meeting

- Friday, August 24, 2018 at JMS Commons
- 6pm – Kindergarten Nerf Football
- 6:45pm – Intro to Flag Football (1st & 2nd Gr.)
- 7:30pm – Flag Football (3rd & 4th Gr.)

Teams 5th-6th Photo Day/Parent Meeting

- Tuesday, August 21, 2018 at JMS Commons
- 6pm – Tackle Football (5th & 6th Gr.)
- 7pm - 8pm – Practice to follow

NOTIFICATIONS

For text notifications and updates please go to **www.remind.com** to register or **download the "Remind" app**. Then text one of the following to number "81010".



- Teams K-4 - @jordanFFB1
- Teams 5-6 - @jordanYTFB1

For Our Coaches

COACHES MTG

All Jordan Community Football Coaches should attend the coaches meeting and instructional clinic. This will be a chance to review our program goals, policies, and philosophy as well as learn the basics of teaching the sport the Jordan Way.

- Monday, August 13, 2018; JMS Quotation Lab Rm 202
- 5:30pm – Flag Football Coaches
- 6:30pm – Tackle Football Coaches

TEAM DRAFT

The third through fourth grade flag football teams and fifth through sixth grade tackle football teams will be drafted by the coaches. There will be a specific format for each of the drafts to ensure the fairest teams possible. Each coach will have information from the Hubmen Youth Football Combine to help in their evaluation of the players.

- Monday, August 20, 2018; CERC Multi Room
- 5:30pm – Flag Football Coaches
- 6:30pm – Tackle Football Coaches

YOUTH FOOTBALL

TEAMS GRADES K-4

Kindergarten Nerf Football

For boys and girls in Kindergarten during the 2018-2019 school year. This is an introduction to flag football for all of our 2018 Kindergarten gridiron crew. It is a great opportunity to begin to learn the game, get active, and play some football. Each player will receive a team shirt at picture day. Each team will have the opportunity to play at halftime of the Hubmen Football Game on October 5th.

Thursdays, Sept 6 - Oct 11
5:30pm - 6:30pm, Field GS1
\$50; **Reg by Aug 17**

Intro to Flag Football

For boys and girls in 1st and 2nd grade during the 2018-2019 school year. This is an exciting way to introduce the elementary age children to the game of football. Flag football does not incorporate drive blocking or tackling thus not requiring any protective equipment. The players will learn the basics of offense and defense play, team spirit, and will have a lot of fun in the process. Each player will receive a team shirt at picture day. Each team will have the opportunity to play at halftime of the Hubmen Football Game on October 5th.

Tues/Thurs, Sept 4 - Oct 11
5:30pm - 6:30pm, Field GS1
\$60; **Reg by Aug 17**

Flag Football

For boys and girls in 3rd and 4th grade during the 2018-2019 school year. Flag Football is a fun, safe, and exciting way to introduce the game of football to young athletes. At this level we will work on the fundamentals of passing, catching, and running. There is no blocking or tackling in flag football as it focuses on learning base level concepts, rules, and philosophies. Teams at this level will have a lot of fun as the children compete and continue to develop as players. Each player will receive a team shirt at picture day. Each team will have the opportunity to play at halftime of the Hubmen Football Game on October 5th.

Tues/Thurs, Sept 4 - Oct 11
5:30pm - 7pm, Field GS1 and Field GS2
\$65; **Reg by Aug 17**

GRADES 5 & 6 TACKLE

Tackle Football

For boys and girls in 5th and 6th grade during the 2018-2019 school year. Putting it all together. This program focuses on developing safe and responsible techniques that will allow children to enjoy the game of football on into the future. This league will require some travel to neighboring towns. The goal of tackle football is to help each young athlete grow and develop as a person through the situations and challenges that the game provides.

Helmets and shoulder pads will be provided by Jordan Community Ed on the August 16th equipment handout following the Combine (see page 29).

Practice: Tues/Thurs, 6:30pm - 8pm for Aug 21 - Sept 6
5:30pm - 7pm for Sept 11 - Oct 11
Fields GS1 and GS2

Games: Saturdays, Sept 15 - Oct 13, Fields GS1 and GS2
\$100; **Reg by Aug 1**

We Need Your Help

To make Jordan Community Athletics a great experience we need great volunteer coaches. Coaches that make a solid commitment to the program will receive a credit at the end of the season for half off the price of their athlete's registration fee. All participants will pay full price and credit vouchers will be entered into athlete's accounts at the conclusion of the season. Thank you in advance for your part in making this an amazing, positive, and educational experience for the young athletes of our community.



YOUTH

YOUTH FOOTBALL SPECIAL EVENTS



YOUTH FOOTBALL HUBMEN HALFTIME GAMES

The Kindergarten - 4th grade teams will play at halftime of the Hubmen football game **on October 5th**. This will be a great exhibition for the kids to play under the lights in front of the community.



The Hubmen Youth Combine will be part of a large Jordan Community Football Kickoff Night. The event is designed to provide the 3rd through 6th grade football players the opportunity to work through drills similar to those used in the NFL Combine altered to be age appropriate. The goal is to offer young athletes a great experience while receiving a base physical evaluation as it relates to football skills.

This year, the combine will be hosted by the entire Hubmen High School Football Program. This will offer each athlete a great opportunity to work with the Hubmen athletes as they

work through drills together. At the conclusion of the combine, the youth athletes are encouraged to stick around and watch the high school team practice and implement some of the techniques they just worked through with them. We are looking for a fun and exciting evening of the elementary and high school kids working together to build the Hubmen Football Program.

- Thursday, August 16, 2018; Ames Field
- 6pm – Grades 3-6
- Following – Tackle Football (5th & 6th Gr.) Equipment will be handed out after the Combine.
- **FREE – MUST PREREGISTER by Aug 9**

YOUTH FOOTBALL HUBMEN BOWL

The **final event of the 2018 Youth Football Season** will be the Hubmen Bowl. This Saturday event will feature a 3rd and 4th grade Flag Football tournament and a pair of 5th and 6th grade tackle football games. All games will be played on the Ames Field Turf.

- Saturday, October 13, 2018; Ames Field
- 1pm - 5pm – Grades 3-4
- 5:30pm - 7:30pm – Grades 5-6



CAMPUS & COMMUNITY LOCATIONS



Additional community fields:

Jackie Holzer Memorial Park - "Holzer Field"

- 900 Syndicate Street, Jordan, MN

Lagoon Park

- 300 Park Drive, Jordan, MN

Jordan Baseball Park - "The Mini-Met"

- 401 Rice Street South, Jordan, MN

YOUTH DRIVER'S EDUCATION

General Overview:

The Jordan Community Education Driver's Education program is for students, ages 15-18, who live or attend school within Jordan School District 717. The driver's education program includes classroom instruction, and behind-the-wheel training.

Classroom Instruction:

30 hrs

Classroom includes lecture, class discussion, guest speakers, films, written work from the textbook and written tests. Upon completion, students will be issued a blue card.

Behind-The-Wheel (BTW):

6 hrs

Behind-the-Wheel allows a student to practice driving on public streets and highways with an instructor in a dual control (two brake) car. Please contact Community Education when your student has received their permit and we will schedule Behind the Wheel. There is a \$40.00 per hour charge to make up for a missed Behind-the-Wheel. You MUST call 952-492-6211 at least 24 hours prior to cancel appointment. Upon completion of behind-the-wheel, students will be issued a white card. A lost or misplaced white card will cost \$10 to replace.



Fall Session: Must be 15 years of age by the last day of class to register for Fall Driver's Education. Min 12 / Max 22

Instructor: Mike Coddington

Dates: Monday - Friday, Oct 22 – Nov 2

Class Time: 3:15pm - 6:15pm

Location: JHS Computer Lab Room 312

Behind The Wheel (BTW): Offerings mostly in the summer with a few offerings in the Fall & Spring. Please call Community Ed at 952-492-6211 once your student receives their permit.

Mandatory Parent and Student Meeting

Monday, October 29, 2018

6:30pm – 8pm

JHS Lecture Room

\$342 Total Cost for Classroom, ZED and BTW

\$171 – due at class registration

\$171 – due FIRST DAY of class

NOTICE: In case of rising gas costs, an additional gas fee may be added.

** MANDATORY **

Parent and Student Information Meeting

Additional information will be covered during this valuable mandatory meeting. Please see your class information for the scheduled meeting time.

Instructor Spotlight

Carol Guncheon

Carol Guncheon has more than 25 years of experience working with Microsoft Office products, programming them, and teaching others how to use them. She has worked as a software trainer for Twin Cities companies, as well as out of state. Patient, experienced, and knowledgeable.

Continuing Word

Ages 18+ Instructor: Carol Guncheon

This class is for those who are familiar with Microsoft Word and are ready to learn more. Topics covered include using tabs, indents, bullets and numbering; working with longer documents (ex., page numbers, headers and footers); working with tables, and taking advantage of some of Word's time-saving features.

Tuesday, Oct 2 & 9; 7pm - 9pm

\$67, JMS Computer Lab

Reg by Sep 25 Min 3 / Max 8

Intro to Excel

Ages 18+ Instructor: Carol Guncheon

This class is for those who are new to or struggling with Microsoft Excel. The class will touch on the use of Excel's built-in screen elements and will cover basic spreadsheet concepts: creating a spreadsheet, making basic changes, formatting it for emphasis or to make it attractive, and printing it. Familiarity with keyboard and mouse is required.

Tuesday, Nov 13 & 20; 7pm - 9pm

\$67, JMS Computer Lab

Reg by Nov 6 Min 3 / Max 8

Excel Formulas & Functions

Ages 18+ Instructor: Carol Guncheon

This class is for those who have some experience using Microsoft Excel. Formulas and functions are covered in depth. The class also covers how to format your spreadsheet based on values within it.

Tuesday, Dec 11 & 18; 7pm - 9pm

\$67, JMS Computer Lab

Reg by Dec 4 Min 3 / Max 8

Natural Solutions with doTERRA Essential Oils

Ages 18+ Instructor: Jennifer Martin

Are you ready for natural solutions for your health and home?

Let's discuss the top doTERRA essential oils

and how they can positively impact your physical and emotional health. You'll learn why these oils are such a powerful, natural, safe and effective option for mood, memory and non-toxic cleaning. Each participant will make a non-toxic cleaner, roller bottle oil and Epsom salt soak.



Thursday, Sep 27; 6pm - 7:30pm

\$25, JMS Quotation Lab 202

Reg by Sep 14 Min 2 / Max 20

7 College Planning Tips You Don't Know About But Should

Instructor: Karen Padgett/College Inside Track

Designed for parents and grandparents with college-bound students.

Families often know more about the next appliance they are going to buy than the college education they are going to purchase, leading many to make avoidable mistakes that cost them thousands and hinder their ability to find the best fit for their child. Come learn from a national expert the insider tips that will greatly enhance your understanding of the college process, reduce anxiety and position your child for success. *Class will cover:* 1) How to avoid mistakes many families make when trying to identify colleges that are the right fit. 2) Behind the scenes view of how financial aid really works 3) Actionable strategies to save thousands of dollars 4) Tips for working with your teenager on a stressful and emotional process.

Monday, Oct 22; 7pm - 8pm

\$5, JMS Quotation Lab 202

Reg by Oct 15 Min 4 / Max 25

ADULT ENRICHMENT

Ladies Self Defense

Ages 14+ (female only) Instructor: Todd Beck

Self defense and awareness designed for females. Training and discussion about threats to your safety, physical tactics, and how to escape from being held. There will be some physical exertion, dress in comfortable clothing. Female family members will benefit from discussion and training.

NEW!

Saturday, Oct 13; 1pm - 4pm

\$25, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 6

Min 6 / Max 20

Dog Obedience and Behavior Level 1

Instructor: Jennifer Wilmes

Discover how to teach your dog a sense of self-calming, self-control, attention and appropriate house and social manners. Behavior modification is a science and applies to all animals, regardless of age. Learn how to use the commands sit, down, stay, come and heel using both hand and voice signals. Force free and positive reinforcement.

Please bring to class: a regular buckle collar, martingale, harness or Gentle Leader (please no pinch, choke or e-collars) 4-6 foot long leash (no retractable leashes) treats/food for the dog which should be bite size or smaller. Wear comfortable shoes as we will be doing some moving around! Also bring proof of vaccinations; required vaccinations are DA2PP & Rabies (if over 16 weeks).

Sundays, Jan 6 - Feb 10; 2pm - 3pm

\$135, Unleashed Behavior and Training Services, 15631

Old Brick Yard Rd, Shakopee, MN 55379

Reg by Dec 30

Min 4 / Max 6

Coffee and Crafts

Ages 18+ Instructor: Barb Tieben

Join Jordan adults for coffee and work on your own creative crafts at the CERC. Bring your small craft projects including knitting, crocheting, cards or scrapbooking projects. Spend time visiting with residents, share ideas and gain inspiration from fellow crafters. Coffee provided. Come any time between 10am and noon.



Mondays, starting Sep 10; 10am - 12pm
FREE, CERC Lounge

No reg necessary

AARP Smart Driver Course

Instructor: Daryl Rieck

Drivers age 55 and older have an opportunity to save on their auto insurance premiums. Merely attending a 55 Alive/ Mature Driving class provides a 10% discount. The class offers methods that help compensate for normal age-related hearing, vision and other physical changes. No driving or written test is required. Those attending receive and follow along in a workbook, view slides and receive additional information from a qualified volunteer instructor. Upon completion, each person receives a Completion Certificate. Those who have never attended a 55 Alive/Mature Driving course must attend an 8-hour course, held over two days, four hours each. One only need take the class once every three years to retain the insurance discount. Thereafter, one has an option to take the 8-hour course again or take a 4-hour refresher course. You must bring your driver's license to class.

SESSION 1: 8 Hour Course

Tue/Wed, Sep 25 & 26; 6pm - 10pm

\$24, JMS Quotation Lab 202

Reg by Sep 18

Min 10 / Max 30

SESSION 2: 4 Hour Refresher Course

Tuesday, Oct 23; 1pm - 5pm

\$22, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 18

Min 10 / Max 30

Freezer Meal Prep Class

Ages 18+ Instructor: Autumn Warden

Do you wish you could prepare meals ahead of time but never take the time to do it? Is meal planning a chore you would like to avoid? If you like the idea of going to a place to prepare your own meals, but find distance and time an easy excuse, take the hassle out of mealtime by grabbing some friends for an afternoon of preparing healthy meals, locally, that you can take out of the freezer anytime. Meals will range between \$15 - \$30 depending on ingredients used for a family of four. Please contact Autumn Warden at 952-994-2694 with any questions.

Sunday, Oct 28; 1pm - 4pm

Class is Free / Prepped meals will be available for purchase, JMS FACS Lab 311

Reg by Oct 15

Min 3 / Max 10

ADULT RECREATION! LET'S MOVE!



Insanity Live AM

Ages 16+ Instructor: Nate Wood

SESSION 1 Sep 4 - Oct 11; **Reg by Aug 28**

SESSION 2 Oct 16 - Nov 27 (no Nov 22); **Reg by Oct 9**

SESSION 3 Dec 4 - Jan 17 (no Dec 25, Jan 1); **Reg by Nov 27**

SESSION 4 Jan 22 - Feb 28; **Reg by Jan 15**

EACH SESSION

Tues/Thurs, 6am - 7am, CERC Multi Room

\$80 CERC members / \$90 non members

Min 5 / Max 30

Insanity!

Get ready to destroy fat and calories with the ultimate high intensity, cardio-conditioning and strength program. No matter what your fitness level, your certified instructor will help you challenge your body and push you to limits you never thought you could reach. Step outside your comfort zone and push your body to insane limits! Based on the popular DVD series, Insanity live is the ultimate full body endurance workout!

Insanity Live PM

Ages 16+ Instructor: Nate Wood

SESSION 1 Sep 6 - Nov 29 (no Nov 22); **Reg by Aug 30**

SESSION 2 Dec 6 - Feb 21; **Reg by Nov 29**

EACH SESSION

Thursdays, 6pm - 7pm, CERC Multi Room

\$80 CERC members / \$90 non members

Min 5 / Max 30

**NEW
TIME!**

- School Year (post Labor Day) Open Gym of the CERC -

OPEN GYM SCHEDULE

Day/Time	Activity	Location	More Detail
MONDAY 7pm - 9pm	Adult Co-Ed Volleyball	CERC Gym	
TUESDAY 6pm - 7pm 7pm - 9pm 7:15pm - 10pm	Family Pickleball Adult Pickleball Power Co-Ed Volleyball	CERC Gym CERC Gym JMS Gym	High School Grad+
WEDNESDAY 7pm - 9pm	Men's Basketball	CERC Gym	
THURSDAY 6pm - 7pm 7pm - 9pm	Family Pickleball Adult Pickleball	CERC Gym CERC Gym	High School Grad+
FRIDAY 5am - 10am	Family & Adult Pickleball	CERC Gym	
SATURDAY 11am - 5pm	Batting Cage	CERC Gym	Must be 14+ or under 14 with an adult to use the pitching machine
SUNDAY 11am - 3pm 4pm - 6pm 6pm - 8pm	Tennis Batting Cage Women's Basketball	CERC Gym CERC Gym JMS	Must be 14+ or under 14 with an adult to use the tennis machine Must be 14+ or under 14 with an adult to use the pitching machine

ADULT

YOGA BREATH AND MOVEMENT



Yoga was originally used in India over 5000 years ago to calm the mind and strengthen the body. Come together to practice aligning our breath and movement. In these non-competitive settings, modifications will be offered for each individual. These classes will nourish your body and mind, enhance your self-awareness and increase your mental focus.

Tuesday Evening Hatha Yoga

Ages 14+ Instructor: Debi Kohlhardt

- Relaxation through gentle movements while building strength.
- Deepen your connection to your mental and physical self through longer holding of postures.
- Beginners welcome.

SESSION 1 Sep 18 - Oct 23; **Reg by Sep 11**

SESSION 2 Nov 13 - Jan 8; **Reg by Nov 6**
(no Nov 20, Dec 25, Jan 1)

SESSION 3 Jan 15 - Feb 19; **Reg by Jan 8**

EACH SESSION

Tuesdays, 7:15pm - 8:15pm, CERC Multi Room
\$48 CERC members / \$60 non members
Min 5 / Max 30

Wednesday Gentle Daytime Yoga

Ages 14+ Instructor: Debi Kohlhardt

- Gently paced class.
- Mindful stretching of your body to allow for whole-self relaxation.
- For those healing from an injury or looking to increase balance, flexibility and strength.

SESSION 1 Sep 5 - Oct 24; **Reg by Aug 29**

SESSION 2 Oct 31 - Jan 2; **Reg by Oct 24**
(no Nov 21, Dec 26)

SESSION 3 Jan 9 - Feb 27; **Reg by Jan 2**

EACH SESSION

Wednesdays, 11:15am - 12pm, CERC Multi Room
\$56 CERC members / \$70 non members
Min 5 / Max 30

Thursday Afternoon Yoga

Ages 14+ Instructor: Debi Kohlhardt

- Pause before heading into your evening with yoga.
- Stretch, exhale, flow and center yourself with empowering exercise.
- **Supervised activities for children included with class registration.**

SESSION 1 Oct 4 - Nov 15 (no Oct 18); **Reg by Sep 27**

SESSION 2 Jan 10 - Feb 7; **Reg by Jan 3**

Additional registrations welcome after deadline IF minimum is met.

EACH SESSION

Thursdays, 3:30pm - 4:15pm, CERC Multi Room
\$36 CERC members / \$45 non members
Min 5 / Max 30

Wear comfortable clothing, bring a yoga mat and a water bottle

YOGA BREATH AND MOVEMENT

Thursday Vinyasa Yoga

Ages 14+ Instructor: Liz Brick

- All levels of experience welcome.
- Flowing sequences ideal for increasing your strength and growing your practice.
- **Supervised activities for children included with class registration.**

SESSION 1 Sep 13 - Oct 11; **Reg by Sep 7**

SESSION 2 Oct 25 - Nov 29 (no Nov 22); **Reg by Oct 18**

SESSION 3 Dec 3 - Jan 17 (no Dec 27); **Reg by Nov 26**

EACH SESSION

Thursdays, 9am - 10am, CERC Multi Room

\$38 CERC members / \$50 non members

Min 4 / Max 20

Saturday Vinyasa Yoga

Ages 14+ Instructor: Alissa Thompson

- All levels of experience welcome.
- Flowing sequences ideal for increasing your strength and growing your practice.

SESSION 1 Sep 15 - Oct 13; **Reg by Sep 8**

SESSION 2 Oct 27 - Dec 1 (no Nov 24); **Reg by Oct 20**

SESSION 3 Dec 8 - Jan 12 (no Dec 22); **Reg by Dec 1**

SESSION 4 Jan 26 - Feb 23; **Reg by Jan 19**

EACH SESSION

Saturdays, 8:45am - 9:45am, CERC Multi Room

\$40 CERC members / \$50 non members

Min 3 / Max 15

Sunday Night Restorative Yoga *Ages 14+ Instructor: Liz Brick*

Come join this gentle style yoga class. It's a way to pause and care for yourself as one week ends and before another begins.

SESSION 1 Sep 9 - Oct 7; **Reg by Sep 2**

SESSION 2 Oct 28 - Nov 25; **Reg by Oct 21**

SESSION 3 Dec 9 - Jan 13 (no Dec 23); **Reg by Dec 9**

EACH SESSION

Sundays, 6pm - 7pm, CERC Multi Room

\$45 CERC members / \$60 non members

Min 3 / Max 15

YOGA WORKSHOPS

Chair Yoga Workshop

Ages 14+ Instructor: Debi Kohlhardt

Chair yoga skips the up-and-down typical in a yoga class. Awaken your body and stretch around aches, as you ease your mind. In this workshop, you will learn which poses stretch your body best. You will leave with an individualized set of exercises, and the confidence to do them! All poses will use chair support. Breath work and meditation will be explored. This class will increase circulation and bone density with weight-bearing standing postures.

Thursday, Oct 4; 9:30am - 11am

\$15, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 27 Min 5 / Max 30

Caregiver Yoga Workshop: Help your Kids Calm Their Emotional Storm

Ages 18+ Instructor: Liz Brick

If you are a parent or caregiver of a special child challenged by health issues such as Autism, ADD, Anxiety, or Depression come learn how to use yoga to support your child's well being. Yoga balances the mind and body taking it out of a fight-or-flight state. This workshop will provide practical calming techniques to try with your kids at home. Empower your kids to learn how to emotionally regulate through breath and movement techniques. Wear comfy clothes to practice the techniques.

Monday, Oct 1; 6:30pm - 8:30pm

\$30, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 24 Min 2 / Max 10

IT'S VICKI! OUR PERSONAL TRAINER!

Move Your Body

Ages 50+ *Instructor: Vicki Fricke, Certified Trainer*
Everybody, Move Your Body! This class is designed as a low impact, basic movement class with the option of adding hand weights. Bring a mat and hand weights. Complete waiver prior to attending first class.

SESSION 1 Mon/Wed, Oct 1 - Dec 12

SESSION 2 Mon/Wed, Jan 7 - Jan 30

EACH SESSION

Mon/Wed, 9:30am - 10am

FREE, CERC Multi Room

Step Class

Ages 16+ *Instructor: Vicki Fricke, Certified Trainer*
Full body workout focused on cardio with the option of using a step box. Open to all fitness levels. Bring a water bottle, towel, mat and hand weights.

SESSION 1 Oct 2 - Oct 30; **Reg by Sep 25**

\$30 CERC members / \$40 non members

SESSION 2 Nov 13 - Dec 11; **Reg by Nov 11**

\$30 CERC members / \$40 non members

SESSION 3 Jan 8 - Jan 29; **Reg by Jan 1**

\$25 CERC members / \$35 non members

Tuesdays, 6pm - 7pm, CERC Multi Room

Min 8 / Max 16



Instructor
Spotlight

Vicki Fricke

AAS in Health and Exercise Science, ACE Personal Trainer certification, ACE Life/Fitness Coach certification, numerous other health, fitness certifications including Special Population and Women's Fitness Training. 30+ years Group Exercise Instructor (STEP, Yoga, HIIT, Hi/Low Impact, Water, Strength, Boot Camp, etc.) 12+ years Personal Trainer. Vicki believes that everyone has the potential to improve in all areas of their lives, especially in their health & fitness. She specializes in designing fun but effective workouts that show her students and clients they CAN do things and achieve goals they never thought they could.

PERSONAL TRAINING SESSIONS with VICKI FRICKE

Take advantage of our in-house personal trainer...
years of experience to help you kick start your goals!

- 30 minutes session: \$20
- 60 minute session: \$40
- Small group sessions for 2 – 4 people available upon request

Call or text Vicki to arrange at 952-200-2531

– Non-member of the CERC will be charged an additional daily usage fee per session –

KICKIN' IT UP A NOTCH!

Instructor Spotlight

Andrea Darling

I am an active member of the Zumba Instructor Network (ZIN) and I am certified in Zumba, Strong by Zumba, Zumba Toning, Zumba Step, and a group fitness instructor through the American Council on Exercise (ACE). I believe in continuous learning and so I have attended the annual Zumba Instructor Convention for the last five years. Come join the Zumba party!



Zumba

Ages 16+ Instructor: Andrea Darling
Zumba fuses Latin and International rhythms with easy-to-follow moves that result in a high-energy cardio and body sculpting class, all while having fun! All levels are welcome! No walk-in rate available.

SESSION 1 Sep 5 - Oct 24; **Reg by Aug 29**

\$56 CERC members / \$68 non members

SESSION 2 Nov 7 - Dec 19; **Reg by Oct 31**

\$49 CERC members / \$60 non members

SESSION 3 Jan 2 - Feb 20; **Reg by Dec 26**

\$56 CERC members / \$68 non members

Wednesdays, 6:30pm - 7:30pm, CERC Multi Room
Min 8 / Max 30

Tae Kwon Do (Korean Karate)

Ages 6+ Instructor: Linda Kroells

Learn self-defense, self-confidence, self-control, respect and physical fitness. Beginning students will learn techniques necessary for first rank gold stripe. Advanced students continue at their present rank. All levels welcome.

SESSION 1

Weds, Sep 19 - Oct 24; 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 12 Min 18 / Max 40

SESSION 2

Weds, Nov 7 - Dec 12; 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 31 Min 18 / Max 40

SESSION 3

Weds, Dec 19 - Jan 30 (no Dec 26); 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Dec 12 Min 18 / Max 40

SESSION 4

Weds, Feb 6 - Mar 13; 4:45pm - 5:45pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Jan 30 Min 18 / Max 40

Toning to the Core

Ages 15+ Instructor: Teena Medick

Toning to the Core is a strength/flexibility and core class which works all of your muscles in an hour. This is a fun way to strength train your entire body, engaging different muscle groups at the same time. **Please bring your own stability ball and a set of 5lb weights.** This class is for all levels. Call Teena at 715-218-4401 with questions.

MONDAY SESSIONS

SESSION 1 Mondays, Sep 17 - Oct 22; **Reg by Sep 10**

SESSION 2 Mondays, Nov 5 - Dec 10; **Reg by Oct 29**

SESSION 3 Mondays, Jan 7 - Feb 11; **Reg by Dec 31**

SESSION 4 Mondays, Feb 25 - Apr 1; **Reg by Feb 18**

WEDNESDAY SESSIONS

SESSION 1 Wednesdays, Sep 12 - Oct 17; **Reg by Sep 5**

SESSION 2 Wednesdays, Oct 31 - Dec 12; **Reg by Oct 24**

** \$42 CERC members / \$49 non members

SESSION 3 Wednesdays, Jan 9 - Feb 13; **Reg by Jan 2**

SESSION 4 Wednesdays, Feb 27 - Apr 3; **Reg by Feb 20**

EACH SESSION **

6am - 7am, CERC Multi Room

\$36 CERC members / \$43 non members; Min 6 / Max 18

JOIN THE CERC FIT CLUB!

**A seven-week journey
designed to challenge!**



The first rule of Fit Club, is that you don't talk about Fit Club.

The CERC **Fit Club** is a **seven-week journey designed to challenge men and women physically and nutritionally**. If you have the perseverance, we will resurrect your physical fitness for maximum impact to help you lead the healthy lifestyle you crave. Throughout the seven weeks, you will be required to complete **weekly challenges on your own within the context of community and accountability which is primarily through online connections**. Challenges will be sent out electronically. All fitness levels are encouraged to participate. This club is perfect for the time-crunched individual.

CERC Fit Club

Ages 18+

Kickoff Meeting: Wednesday, January 2, 2019 at 7:30pm

Program runs: January 3, 2019 - February 21, 2019

FREE for CERC member(s) / \$15 non-member(s)

Registration is required

Reg by Dec 26



Dance Classes by Victor Albrecht

Victor Albrecht has taught dance in the Twin Cities area through school districts, community centers, clubs and homes for over 30 years. He teaches adults and teens, group and private lessons. He is an Arthur Murray Dance Studio Instructor, trained in Bronze Standard dances: Fox Trot, Waltz, East & West Coast Swing, Rumba, Cha-Cha, Samba, Mambo, and Tango. He is also trained Silver Standard dance patterns plus Bossa Nova, Bolero, Viennese Waltz, Paso Doble and Old Time Polka, Polka Hop, Schottische, Waltz, and Disco. He has extensive training in Couple Dances and Country Western 2-step, 3-step, line dances and various partner dances.

Country Western Line Dance

This class offers music, dance and exercise into one form. These lessons will offer 3 to 4 line dances. We will range from slow and easy to a bit more challenging-- but still basic patterns. **Wear comfortable shoes.** Dances to be taught- Electric Slide, Four Corners, South Side Shuffle, and the Scoot as well as others.

3 CLASSES

Fridays, Oct 26 - Nov 9; 6pm - 7pm
\$29/ person, Falcon Ridge Elementary School
1200 Columbus Ave., N, New Prague
Reg by Oct 19 Min 10 / Max 30

Country Western 2-Step

This all-time favorite dance is back! Learn the two-step, the three-step and the swing, all with a little bit of country! You'll master the exciting and fun under arm turns, the wraps and the corner steps. Dance is a fun way to exercise. Wear comfortable shoes. This class is for couples or pairs only so grab a friend and sign up today! **Youth age 15-17 are welcome to register when accompanied by a registered adult.**

3 CLASSES

Fridays, Oct 26 - Nov 9; 8pm - 9pm
\$59/ couple, Falcon Ridge Elementary School
1200 Columbus Ave., N, New Prague
Reg by Oct 19 Min 10 / Max 30

Ballroom Dance for Beginners

This all-time favorite dance class offers you the perfect overview of popular social dances and will create confidence for the next wedding dance or other occasion that arises. Learn the conversation and corner step in the smooth fox trot, sometimes called slow dancing. The basic box step and waltz steps will be taught in the elegant ballroom waltz. Basics, underarm turns and alternating turns will be taught in the "hot" East Coast Swing. Couples please.

3 CLASSES

Fridays, Oct 26 - Nov 9; 7pm - 8pm
\$59/ couple, Falcon Ridge Elementary School
1200 Columbus Ave., N, New Prague
Reg by Oct 19 Min 10 / Max 30

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**Join us for
Run/Walk of
the Mill 5K/10K
Race taking
place during
Heimatfest!**

Whether your first or fifteenth race, this is a perfect way to reach your goals and have fun! Wind your way through Jordan on this beautiful course! Don't be shy – **German attire welcome and we even have prizes for the best dressed male and female!**

FAMILY FUN RUN!

Jordan's 15th Annual 1/2 Mile Family Fun Run Saturday, September 8, 2018 at 9am

Where: Race begins at River Valley School and ends at Lagoon Park. River Valley School is located at 100 Hope Avenue, Jordan, MN 55352 and ends at Lagoon Park, 300 Park Drive, Jordan, MN 55352.

Entry Fee:
(non-refundable)

Adults are FREE!

Children 8 & under must be accompanied by an adult

WITH T-SHIRT:

\$10 pre-registration fee

\$15 Race day registrations also taken at River Valley School from 8:30am - 8:50am

WITHOUT T-SHIRT:

\$5 pre-registration fee

\$10 registration fee

Registration:

Make check out to:

Jordan Community Education

Mail to or drop off at:

500 Sunset Drive, Suite #3, Jordan, MN, 55352

Course:

Race begins at River Valley School. The 1/2 mile course is primarily flat and down hill. This race includes some optional fun obstacles. Race concludes at Lagoon Park. Strollers are allowed, but **no bikes, roller blades or pets.**

Awards:

All finishers receive a participation medal.

Heimatfest Celebration: The Run of the Mill is held in conjunction with the Jordan Heimatfest Celebration, a day-long celebration of life in the Jordan Community. Parade - 11 am, Park events - noon, Fireworks - 9 pm

FAMILY FUN RUN ENTRY FORM

Name: _____ Sex: (circle) M or F Age: _____ T-shirt size: _____

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Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Age on day of race: _____

T-shirt sizes: S (Youth) M (Youth) L (Youth) S (Adult) M (Adult) L (Adult) XL (Adult) XXL (Adult)

I hereby release Jordan Community Education/Rec. and the Jordan Chamber of Commerce from any responsibility for injuries or damages that I may suffer as a result of my participation in this event. I also understand and agree that any sponsor may subsequently use for publicity and/or promotional purposes my name and/or photographs or videotapes of me participating in this event without obligation or liability to me. I also understand that the entry fees I pay are not refundable. I have read the entry information provided and certify my compliance by my signature below.

Signature _____ Date _____

RUN/WALK OF THE MILL!

**CHIP
TIMING!**

Jordan's 35th Annual Run/Walk of the Mill 5K/10K Race Saturday, September 8, 2018 at 10K at 7:45am / 5K at 8am

Where: Race/walk begins at Jordan Middle School and ends at Lagoon Park.
Jordan Middle School is located at 500 Sunset Drive, Jordan MN 55352.

Entry Fee:

5K

\$15 No shirt pre-registration
\$18 No shirt race day
\$20 Pre-registration includes long sleeve shirt
\$25 Race Day Registration 6:45am-7:45am
\$30 Dri-Fit (must register by Aug 24)

10K

\$25 No shirt Pre-registration
\$28 No shirt race day
\$30 Pre-registration includes long sleeve shirt
\$35 Race day registration 6:30am-7:30am
\$40 Dri-Fit (must register by Aug 24)

Pre-register
and receive \$5
in Heimatfest
bucks!

Registration:

Make check out to: Jordan Community Education
Mail or drop off at: 500 Sunset Drive, Suite #3, Jordan, MN, 55352
Online at: www.jordan.k12.mn.us

Course:

Race Begins at Jordan Middle School. The 5K route is flat and downhill. The 10K route is more challenging and includes hills and gravel roads. Both races finish at Lagoon Park. Strollers are allowed, but **no bikes, roller blades or pets.** Walkers should register for the 5K route.

Awards:

Results are posted in the Jordan Independent Newspaper.
Medals awarded to the two top male and female finishers in each category.
Prize awarded to the top male and female runner in best German attire!

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RUN/WALK OF THE MILL ENTRY FORM

Shirt type (circle) **Dri-Fit**** **Cotton** **No Shirt** **** (must be prereg by Aug 24 for Dri-fit option)**

Race (circle) **5K** **10K** (race fee in non-refundable)

Name: _____ Sex: M _____ F _____

Street: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Age on day of race: _____

T-shirt size (Adult): S _____ M _____ L _____ XL _____ XXL _____ Email: _____

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Signature _____ Date: _____

***If under 18 years of age, parent or guardian must sign below.

Parent: _____ Date: _____

ADULT

THE CERC HOURS AND INFORMATION

THE CERC

JORDAN
PUBLIC
SCHOOLS

COMMUNITY ED
AND REC CENTER

HOURS: Labor Day – Memorial Day

Monday – Thursday	6am* – 10pm
Friday	6am* – 9pm
Saturday – Sunday	8am* – 9pm

***4am - open security fob access only**

(Hours subject to change based on facility usage.)

SUMMER HOURS: Memorial Day – Labor Day

Monday – Thursday	6am* – 9pm
Friday	6am* – 7pm
Saturday	8am* – 7pm
Sunday	10am* – 7pm

***4am - open security fob access only**

All Holidays, CERC will be open with security fob access only



ONLINE

jordan.k12.mn.us/cerc



PHONE

952-492-6211



MAIL

500 Sunset Drive, Suite #3
Jordan, MN 55323



SOCIAL MEDIA

@jordanCERC

HEALTH CARE

REIMBURSEMENT:

Does your membership pay for itself?

- Receive up to \$20 per month in reimbursement once you meet your health care plan's minimum # of visits per month.
- Eligibility criteria varies. Please check with your personal insurance provider to ensure our facility meets their criteria.
- May take up to 3 months to start receiving reimbursements.

DAILY USER FEES:

Resident	\$5
Non-Resident	\$7
Elevated walking/running track*	\$3

**Walking track is FREE for senior citizens age 60+*



THE CERC MEMBERSHIP

CERC BY THE
NUMBERS

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batting cages and
other many other
rec options

2

locker
rooms

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lane elevated
walking/running
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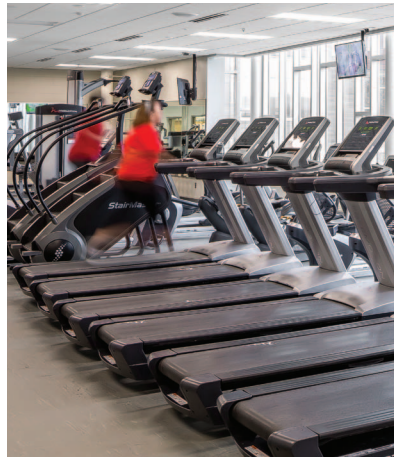
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room for meetings and
celebrations, etc.

2,400

sq ft fitness center
with state of the art
equipment

45,000

sq ft of community
space to gather, get
fit, and have fun!



– Always Accepting Memberships –

Annual Membership Fees 2018:

	Resident*	Non-Resident
Family**	\$375	\$475
Adult	\$265	\$350
Senior (60+)	\$95	\$125
Student	\$95	\$145
Elevated walking/ running track***	\$50	\$60

Monthly Membership Fees 2018:

	Resident*	Non-Resident
Family**	\$40	\$55
Adult	\$25	\$35
Senior (60+)	\$15	\$25
Student	\$15	\$25

ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP PERKS

–SPLIT PAYMENTS–

Pay half up front and the final half 3 months from sign up date!

–DAILY PASS–

For New and Renewed ANNUAL Memberships – bring a friend!

FAMILY Annual Memberships receive 4 Daily Passes (value up at \$28)

SINGLE Annual Memberships receive 2 Daily Passes (value up at \$14)

FREE GIFT!

Consider becoming a CERC Legacy Member visit our website for more information

* "Resident" defined as living in the ISD 717 Jordan School District.

** Family is defined as main contact, spouse/significant other and children residing at the same address.

*** Walking/running track is FREE for senior citizens 60+.

**** Ages 12 and under must be accompanied by an adult to be in the CERC.

Register at www.jordan.k12.mn.us/commed or 952-492-6211

TRIPS ADVENTURE AWAITS!

“The Gin Game” – Sidekick Theatre

Two sharp-witted residents of a retirement home are drawn together over a game of gin in this funny and touching play. Over time their games passes from cordial to flirtatious to a battle of wills, as their vulnerabilities and secrets gradually bubble to the surface. Starring Candace Barrett and Raye Birk, two of the finest actors in the Twin Cities who have appeared in many productions at the Guthrie, as well as in movies and television shows. (Please note: The show contains limited strong language.)

Menu: Roast Beef with Gravy, Hot rolls, cold salad, Au Gratin Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetable, Assorted Dessert, Coffee

Friday, September 21, 2018

Depart Jordan 11am *(departing from Clancy's Bar & Pizza Parlour 220 Triangle Lane)*

Return 4:30pm

\$85 (lunch, show ticket, coach bus

transportation) **Register by Friday, September 7, 2018**



“Holiday Inn” – Chanhassen Dinner Theatre



The New Irving Berlin Musical tells the story of Jim, who leaves the bright lights of show business behind to settle down on his farmhouse in Connecticut. He quickly discovers life just isn't the same without a bit of song and

dance. Jim's luck takes a spectacular turn when he meets Linda, a spirited schoolteacher with talent to spare. Together they turn the farmhouse into a fabulous inn with dazzling performances to celebrate each holiday, from Thanksgiving to the Fourth of July. But then Jim's best friend Ted tries to lure Linda away to be his new dance partner in Hollywood. Will Jim be able to salvage his latest chance at love? Join us to find out! Dinner seating is at 11am before our 1pm show.

Saturday, November 10, 2018

Depart Jordan 10:35am *(departing from Clancy's Bar & Pizza Parlour 220 Triangle Lane)*

Return 4pm

\$95 (dinner, show ticket, coach bus transportation)

Register by Friday, October 12, 2018

JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS JOURNALIST

Communicating information, events, and activities of the Jordan Public Schools for over 37 years

Dear Jordan Parents, Guardians and Community Members,

Fall is always an exciting time in our schools as we renew our commitment to providing a high quality education to our students! It is an opportunity for us to reconnect and to start fresh. We appreciate the opportunity to serve our education community and community as a whole.

In this section of the Journalist, you will find updates about programming and projects from building and district administrators. We're thankful for our high quality staff and their commitment to providing our kids and community with exciting and fulfilling experiences. Please take time to read through our important updates and check out the variety of Jordan Community Education course offerings.

To stay current regarding school district happenings or events, and to read about the positive events, exciting learning, and innovative programming occurring at Jordan Public Schools, please visit our website at jordan.k12.mn.us. If you have a smartphone and would like to stay connected with our district please consider downloading the free "Jordan Public Schools" app from your app store. Also, remember to follow us on Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram at "isd717."

As always, please consider volunteering at one of our schools or getting involved with one of our district's committees.

Sincerely,

Matthew M. Helgersen
Superintendent



MORE ABOUT OUR DISTRICT!

- Read about our projects updates! We are accomplishing a lot at ISD717!
- Kick Start to Kindergarten highlights!
- JHS has new offerings for students!
- Getting closer to the mascot refresh!



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SCHOOL DISTRICT PROJECT UPDATES



- The east set of 4 tennis courts on the north side of the middle school received a complete makeover. The old asphalt was removed and new asphalt was poured and painted, trees were cut on the west side to eliminate the invasion of their roots in the courts, new fencing was installed, new poles and nets were installed, and finally new light fixtures were installed to allow all 4 courts to be lit up at night.
- Installation of new doors and locking mechanisms at the stadium is occurring.
- The complete wireless system is being rebuilt, with new wireless access points being installed in all buildings.
- The CERC multi-purpose room is getting a ceiling camera installed and a system that will allow for school board meetings to be broadcast live in real time.

DISTRICT-WIDE

- An access card reader is being added to the northwest corner of the middle school adjacent to the tennis courts.
- Electric pull downs are being added to the 5th and 6th grade "Einstein Lab" to make this space versatile and conducive to project based learning.
- Parking lot cracks will be filled and sealed, and the lot stripes are being repainted.

MIDDLE SCHOOL AND CERC

- The media center received a major furniture upgrade at the end of this past spring and during this summer. The furniture is much more "kid centered" and is collaborative and much more conducive to project based learning.
- The cafeteria will have new tile installed along the south wall and the entire cafeteria space is getting a fresh coat of paint.
- The parking lot cracks are being filled and sealed and all of the lines will be repainted.
 - Note that we're moving the ECCE parent drop-off and pick-up to the back of the building. Parents and guardians will be receiving more information about this change to promote a safer way to bring our early learners to school from Mrs. Barnett prior to the start of the school year.
- Ceiling tile replacement throughout the building continues to occur, building upon the work that has been done the past three summers.
- Three of our first grade classrooms, the main entry, and the office will have new carpet installed to match the carpet installed in the hallway along the kindergarten and 1st grade wing last summer.



- All new door hardware/locks are being installed throughout the building.
- Additional Chromebook carts will be available for classrooms and students.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

SCHOOL DISTRICT PROJECT UPDATES

- New HVAC controls are being installed as phase two of a multi-phase conversion in the entire HVAC system.
- Auditorium upgrades such as new light fixtures and a new cyclorama are being installed.
- New student centered spaces are being created with the remaking of the lecture room, classroom adjacent to the lecture room, and a lab space within the media center.
 - A writable pivot wall is being installed on the south side of the media center, a garage door was installed in the classroom adjacent to the lecture room and media center, and new flexible, project based furniture has been ordered for these spaces. Additionally, new lighting is being installed in some of these spaces and a fresh coat of paint is being applied.
- The gym ceiling and walls were cleaned and painted this summer. As part of our mascot rebranding process, the refreshed gym walls will get new logos over the next several years.

HIGH SCHOOL



- Parking lot cracks will be filled and sealed, and the lot stripes are being repainted.
- A new set of Chromebooks for students in grades 10-12 will be deployed replacing the set purchased 3 years ago.

- The district is working with DLR Group to synthesize the work done, and input given during the long range facility planning process that occurred over the 2017-2018 school year with school and community committee members. We'll be working cooperatively to put the plan on paper that incorporates the components which most effectively incorporates the pieces of the conversations to date.
 - This plan will then be shared with the committee and then with the board between July 31st and November 1st of 2018. After that time, the district will publish this future facility plan so the community will be able to view it. While the district has no definitive plans on when the next phase of school site development will occur, it has taken steps to plan for the future.

FACILITIES PLANNING



- A 40 acre parcel was purchased several years ago, the district submitted for annexation of this parcel into the City of Jordan during the spring/summer of 2018, and has had a series of work sessions and conversations with stakeholders to plan for the future. Additionally, a recent demographer's study was completed to help the district plan for future enrollment trends.

*Thank you for being an
important part of our
school community!*



Nutritional Services Welcomes students back to school! This year we have improved many areas of our program and will continue to do so all year long. We have been **fortunate to have received three grants for the Midwest Dairy Council** that has allowed us to provide fresh made smoothies and a Second Chance Breakfast option at our high school in the past. This year we have been given a grant to improve our breakfast program at our elementary school. We will be receiving a kiosk and extra milk coolers to implement breakfast in different areas of the school along with a new hot holding cabinet for use in our kitchen. The grants we receive are very important in being able to provide new initiatives for our program.



Second Chance Breakfast cart at JHS is always a big hit!

New this year is a **two week gluten free cycle menu for all students that are diagnosed with celiac disease** and are not able to eat any foods that contain gluten. This menu will be specific to the needs of students that cannot eat gluten and will provide them with a variety of nutritious, gluten free foods. We also have a gluten free policy in place to help provide guidelines for parents and what the school district can and cannot provide. Please contact your student's school nurse or myself if you have any further questions.

Last spring we introduced a new coffee option at our high school. Jordan Java is now being served in our snack room! We serve two flavors of coffee each day and a variety of fat free flavored creamers that students can add to personalize their java. We have also **added new menu items**; Turkey Pot Pie, Burritos, Pasta dishes, and Rice Bowls just to name a few. Look for more new entrees this coming year! We look forward to seeing all of you in our cafeterias this coming school year! — *Andrea Schaak, Nutritional Services Director*



The unpacking of the new CNC machine, a generous part of the Jiv Pauly donation, was an exciting day in the district!

Over the past several months we've had one large group Foundation Formation Meeting where we invited in representatives from the New Prague and Mahtomedi Education Foundations. After this step, an "Executive Committee" was formed to do the important start-up work necessary to get the foundation moving forward. Our Foundation Formation Executive Committee has worked hard to develop draft bylaws and mission and vision statements. In addition, the team has worked to establish a PO Box, tax ID number, and take care of other business associated with start-up of the foundation. Late this summer a board of directors and officers will be elected. The foundation will exist to fundraise to provide student scholarships and mini classroom grants to teachers. The late Jiv Pauly provided funds for a variety of projects and upgrades at Jordan Public Schools. A large sum of money remains and will serve as "seed money" for the newly formed Jordan Education Foundation. Look for more information about potential "kick-off" events and other ways you can be involved with the foundation in the near future via the Jordan Journalist, social media, the district's website, and the Jordan Independent.

SCHOOL DISTRICT THE LATEST

SPECIAL SERVICES

The Special Service Department is excited for the upcoming 2018-2019 school year! The Special Services Department continues to work and update curricular resources and supports throughout the district. The elementary school special education department just purchased a new math resource that meets the needs of our students in grades K-4. Along with our special education department, our English Language staff is also purchasing updated curricular resources to meet our English Language Learners needs in grades K-12. The Jordan Special Education Advisory Council or SEAC would like to invite parents of students with special needs to participate in the 2018-2019 SEAC meetings. SEAC usually meets three to four times during the school year. In addition to SEAC, the Jordan American Indian Parent Advisory Council or AIPAC would also like to invite parents of students who are identified as Native American Indian to participate in the 2018-2019 AIEC meetings. This council usually meets three to four times during the school year. If interested in joining SEAC or AIPAC or just being a part of an email list, please contact Chad Williams, Special Services Director at cwilliams@isd717.org or 952-492-4230. — *Chad Williams, Special Services Director*

School Psychologist – Brian Emmeck

The Jordan Special Services Department would like to welcome Brian Emmeck as our new school psychologist for the Elementary and Middle School. Brian graduated from the University of Wisconsin - River Falls with a Masters and Education Specialist Degree in School Psychology. Brian spent the past year in the North St. Paul School District #622 as a School Psychologist leading special education evaluations and their MTSS and intervention procedures.

**NEW
STAFF!**

Speech/Language Pathologist – Sarah Curren

The Jordan Special Services Department would like to welcome Sarah Curren as our new Speech and Language Pathologist for the Middle School. Sarah graduated from the University of Minnesota - Duluth with a Masters Degree and Speech and Language Pathology. Sarah spent the past year as an intern in Duluth at Essentia Health and Duluth Edison Charter Schools NorthStar Academy.

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ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2018-2019



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 District Calendar 2018-2019 Final

July 2018

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June 2019

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	No School
	No School (Teacher Workshop Day)
	2 Hour Early Release - Staff Development
	1-4 No School (1-4 Pre-School Conferences)
	Kick Start to Kindergarten
	Kindergarten Pre-School Conferences
	Parent-Teacher Conferences
	End of Quarter/Midterm

August

- 23 No School: New Teacher Staff Development
- 27-31 No School: Teacher Staff Development (Flex Day Friday)
- 29 High School Open House/Curriculum Night
- 30 Middle School Open House/Resource Night

September

- 3 No School: Labor Day
- 4-5 No School: 1-4 Back to School Conf. and Curriculum
- 4-5 Kick Start to Kindergarten
- 4 School Begins 5-12 (9 Freshman Focus) (10-12 online)
- 5 First day in building for grades 10-12
- 6 School Begins for grades 1-4
- 7 Kindergarten Conferences Optional
- 10 School Begins for grade K and Pre K
- 28 2 Hour Early Release - Staff Development

October

- 15 High School Conferences (by invitation)
- 16 Middle School Conferences (Digital Learning Day Gr. 5-8)
- 18-19 No School: Education MN Conference

November

- 2 End of 1st Quarter/Midterm
- 5 No School: Teacher / Staff Development
- 5 Elementary School and Middle School Conferences
- 8 Elementary School Conferences
- 12 High School Conferences
- 21 2 Hour Early Release - Staff Development
- 22-23 No School: Thanksgiving Break

December

- 24-31 No School: Winter Break

January

- 1 No School: Winter Break
- 2 No School: Teacher Staff Development
- 18 End of 2nd Quarter and 1st Semester
- 21 No School: Martin Luther King Jr. Day / Staff Dev. Day

February

- 8 2 Hour Early Release - Staff Development
- 18 No School: President's Day
- 21 Middle School Conf. (by invitation) (Digital Learning Day Gr. 5-8)

March

- 18 Elementary and High School Conferences
- 19 Middle School Conferences
- 21 End of 3rd Qtr/Midterm/Elementary School Conferences
- 22 No School: Teacher / Staff Development
- 25-29 No School: Spring Break

April

- 19 No School: Holiday

May

- 3 2 Hour Early Release - Staff Development
- 27 No School: Memorial Day

June

- 1 Commencement
- 5 Last Student Day/Early Out/End of 4th Qtr and 2nd Sem
- 6 No School: Teacher Workshop

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Jordan ES: 952-492-2336

Jordan MS: 952-492-2332

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Make-Up Days due to 7 or more Emergency Closing Days Designated as: 1/21/19, 2/18/19, & 3/22/19

Note that the 1st day of school closed by weather will not be made up, and the 2nd through 6th day will be Digital Learning Days



The district website and our smartphone app will have the latest calendar updates for each school and activities. Events on the calendar often have extra details worth checking out! With questions, contact Kat Pass, Communications and Marketing Director, at kpass@isd717.org or 952-492-4408.

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Jordan Elementary Families,

The staff at Jordan Elementary School would like to welcome you to the 2018-19 school year! Our JES staff has been very busy over the summer months preparing for a new school year with your children. We are committed to the same hard work and effort that earned us the MN School of Excellence recognition last school year, and will continue to focus on the various areas of learning that will propel our students and staff forward to achieve high levels of success.



In order for students to become strong 21st Century learners, we will focus our attention this year on student engagement, social-emotional learning, and students becoming lifelong readers and writers. Student voice and choice will be at the heart of instruction. Teachers will facilitate learning around the state standards and challenge each student to apply and extend their understanding of grade level concepts. Students will be engaged in meaningful and purposeful lessons, projects, and discussions with the intent of nurturing students' interests and passions. Mindfulness practices will be supported in all classrooms, knowing that if students can regulate their bodies and emotions, academic success will follow. Many students will walk into learning areas in the fall to find a variety of flexible learning spaces and furniture to meet their unique learning styles. These options will help prepare our students as they move on in their education at the middle and high schools, as well as beyond Jordan Public Schools.

The summer months have also been busy with the custodial staff and summer crew working diligently to get everything ready for the first day of school. We have had extensive work done at JES with flexible furniture added to the Media Center/Flex Classroom areas, new carpet in three classrooms in the K-1 wing and main office, tiles added to the walls in the lunchroom, and rekeying of all doors in the building ensuring even more safety and security for our students.

Be on the lookout for a school mailing to coming home in August detailing important school and District information. For new and returning JES families, please review the articles on the following page about our Back to School Conferences for grades 1-4 and about our new Kick Start to Kindergarten program that are happening on September 4th and 5th. The first day of school for grades 1-4 will be on September 6th, with Kindergarten's official start date being September 10th.



I encourage you to stop by any time to visit and experience the amazing work and events at Jordan Elementary School. We have fantastic staff and students and we invite you to share in all of the learning happening throughout the school year!

With warm regards,

Melissa Barnett, Principal
Jordan Elementary School
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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL



**Say
Cheese!**

**Student pictures will be
held during school
on September 27**

Back-to-School Conferences/ Curriculum Event, Grades 1-4

Before school starts in the fall, all students and families in grades 1-4 will meet individually with their teacher to drop off school supplies, discuss grade levels expectations and curriculum, pay for lunches, turn in paperwork, and be assessed in reading. **Kindergarten families will have a separate event during the evening on September 6 (see Kick Start to Kindergarten article on page 51).**

The JES Back to School Conferences/Curriculum days will be held on **Tuesday, September 4 from 12pm-7:30pm and Wednesday, September 5 from 9am-4:30pm.** Students and families will meet with their homeroom teacher for approximately 30 minutes (15 minutes to in the

classroom with teacher and 15 minutes for a reading assessment. Afterwards, students and families will have the opportunity to travel around the building checking in with our specialist teachers (Music, Art, Phy.Ed. and Media/Tech), SPED and support staff, school nurses, or office and lunchroom staff. **Please remember that in order for students to be enrolled at JES, we need to have a birth certificate and proof of immunizations or a conscientious objection form on file.** Students will not get their picture taken during this time; instead they will be taken during the school day on September 27th.

JES families will receive a letter in mid August about the Back to School Conference Days and who your child's teacher is for the fall. The letter will contain information on how to sign-up online for a conference time on either September 4th or 5th. If you did not receive a letter, are new to the District, or do not have access to our school website to register for these conferences, please contact the JES office at 952-492-2336. **We only have one time slot available for each student to meet with the classroom teacher and complete assessments, so please plan accordingly if you have a dual household.**

BACK TO SCHOOL REMINDERS

Arrival/Dismissal Times

Students can enter the building between 7:45am-8:10am (breakfast runs from 7:45am-8:05am). Students not eating breakfast will wait in the multi-purpose room until released by school staff. Dismissal is between 2:45pm-3pm. If your child is sick please call before 8am using the student attendance line at 952-492-4444.

JES School Supply Lists

For K-4 school supply lists, visit our website or access via the Jordan smartphone app.

Communications

Teachers and school administration communicate frequently through email. Please update your email (as well as phone or address) if you have changes. Submit changes through your Infinite Campus Parent Portal or by contacting the District Office at 952-492-6200.

Breakfast & Lunches

Kindergarten students being able to eat breakfast free of charge. Breakfasts will be \$1.80 and lunches \$2.60. **Students who were approved for a free or reduced lunch last year will still need to turn in the new application for this school year.** Menus, access to the Infinite Campus Parent Portal Food Service, and other pertinent lunch information can be accessed on our website. For your convenience, families can set recurring lunch payments in Infinite Campus. With questions, call the District Office at 952-492-6200.

Drop-Off & Pick-Up

Student pick up and drop off will be in the **back of the building between 7:45am-8:10am & 2:45pm-3pm.** Parents will enter and exit via Aberdeen. If you need to drop off or pick up at any other time during the school day please use the front of the building.



ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

KICK START TO KINDERGARTEN!

Starting this fall, all kindergarten students will experience a different start to the school year.

We are excited for our newest students to join us for our Kick Start to Kindergarten transitional program on **September 4 and 5**. The goals of the new Kick Start program are:

- Build positive relationships and create a strong community of learners.
- Support an academic and social-emotional learning transition into school, with children experiencing a typical full day in Kindergarten without students in grades 1-4 in the building (hands-on learning activities, specialists, recess, breakfast/lunch, play/social time, etc.)
- Understand each student's unique needs and place them into classrooms that best support their learning for the upcoming school year.



IMPORTANT KINDERGARTEN DATES

September 4th and 5th

- **Kick Start to Kindergarten from 8:10am - 2:50pm**
 - Breakfast is available from 7:45am to 8:05am.
 - Kids' Company **will not be available** these two days.
 - Busing will be available on regularly scheduled routes.
 - If families choose to drive your child to school, **pick-up and drop off will occur in the back of the building** off of Aberdeen Avenue from 7:45am-8:10am in the morning and 2:45pm-3pm in the afternoon.

September 6th and 7th

- **Kindergarten students WILL NOT HAVE SCHOOL on Thursday (9/6) and Friday (9/7)** to allow the staff to prepare for kindergarten classes resuming on Monday, September 10th.
 - Kids' Company **will be open** all day on Thursday and Friday, September 6th and 7th from 6am – 6pm, for Kindergarten families who are already registered for Kids' Company.

September 6th and 7th

- **Welcome to Kindergarten Open House at 6:30pm - 7:30pm**
 - Principal Mrs. Barnett and Assistant Principal Carol Lagergren will welcome Kindergarten students and families to Jordan Elementary School.
 - Families will learn the placement of their child into a classroom and hear more about grade level curriculum, J-Town Pride, and school and classroom expectations.
 - This will be an opportunity for you to meet your child's homeroom teacher and drop off school supplies.

September 7th

- **OPTIONAL Back to School Conference event for kindergarten families**
 - If parents would like to meet individually with the teacher to discuss their child's specific needs and goals for the school year **they will be able to sign up at Open House for a 15 minute block of time.**

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Jordan Community, Families, and Students,

The staff of the Jordan Middle School are excited to begin the 2018-2019 school year! Each member of the school community has spent hours preparing to serve our students, families and colleagues in and out of the classroom. We are excited about the authentic learning opportunities awaiting our students as each student is prepared for Jordan High School and beyond!

The JMS staff continues to implement best practice instructional approaches while researching and developing innovative instructional approaches in order engage each middle level learner. This past year, fifth grade hosted several Showcases of Learning, sixth grade hosted a Minnesota History Day, the seventh grade Entrepreneurship Project with Granite Rock Food Truck was a hit, and eight grade held a Festival of Nations as well as a Scale Solar System Project which were very successful. Each of these standards based activities highlighted what could be done when adults take risks and allow students to explore their gifts and talents through project-based learning.

August 30th will be an exciting evening at Jordan Middle School. We will be hosting a Back to School Resources Night (Open House) from 4pm-8pm. Information about the upcoming year will be shared in a variety of avenues with the goal of equipping students and families with the needed information for the school year while connecting all members of the Jordan Middle School community together in an enjoyable environment. Please plan on joining us!



As a staff, we will continue to work together with students and families to develop and improve the school culture, academic programming, and opportunities for each member of the JMS community.

With warm regards,

Ben Bakeberg, Principal – Jordan Middle School
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KEY DATES

**READ ARTICLES AND VISIT
CALENDAR FOR DETAILS**

August 21 and 22 Chromebook Distribution Grades 5-12

August 23 Grade 5 Jump Start

August 30 Open House Grades 6-8

September 4 First Day of School!



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MIDDLE SCHOOL

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For 5-8 school supply lists, visit our website or access via the Jordan smartphone app. A mailing will also arrive to your home. Our supply list is also at the Shakopee Target store. When shopping, ask about how you can give money back to the Jordan Middle School.

Breakfast & Lunches

The cost for JMS lunch is \$2.70 and for breakfast is \$1.80. **Students who were approved for a free or reduced lunch last year will still need to turn in the new application for this school year.** Menus, access to the Infinite Campus Parent Portal Food Service, and other pertinent lunch information can be accessed on our website. For your convenience, families can set recurring lunch payments in Infinite Campus. With questions, call the District Office at 952-492-6200.

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Drop-Off & Pick-Up

When dropping off your student, please follow the designated drop off loop. **For their safety, do not drop off students down the aisles.** There will be no drop off or pick up in the front as this is designated for our buses. If you pick up your child at the end of the school day, please park in the designated parking areas in the large parking lot and wait for your child.

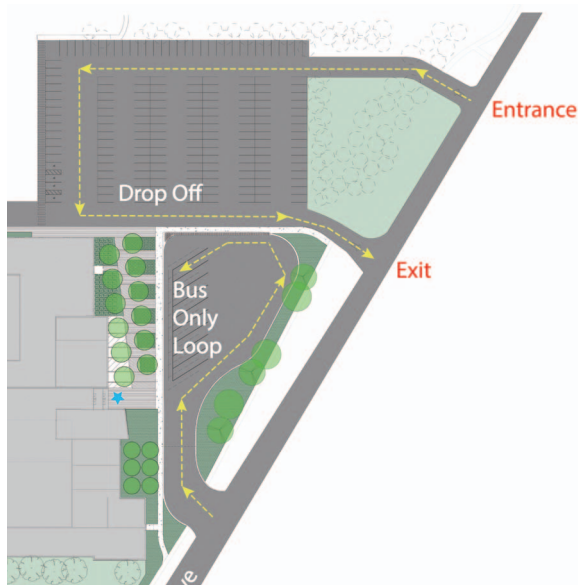
Do not use the CERC parking lot for drop off or pick up. Side doors in the building are locked. Students will need to enter at the front of the JMS building.

Arrival Times

JMS Students hours are 8:05am - 3pm. Doors open at 7:20am for students (will be supervised). Students allowed in academic pods at 7:55am. Homework help is available from 7:30am - 8:00am for all grades in the Media Center or schedule with classroom teacher. Our school day begins at 8:05am every day. Please be sure to have your child/children here on time. All students who arrive after 8:05am must sign in at the office along with their parent or a note stating the reason for being late. If your child is sick please call before 8:00am using the student attendance line at 952-492-4477.

Chromebook 1:1 Device

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MIDDLE SCHOOL

Back to School Resource Night (Open House Night) – Grades 6-8

Thursday, August 30 from 4pm-8pm at JMS

- Enjoy food from one of the food trucks in bus loop while listening to the DJ!
- Pick up and complete your “Welcome Back Checklist” including:
 - Fall Pictures (Grade 5 is welcome to come for pictures if they didn’t have them taken at Jump Start)
 - Welcome back and overview of school year video from Mr. Bakeberg
 - Pick up student schedule, walk classes, and practice lockers
 - Load your student locker with your supplies
 - Meet advisory teacher and pick up needed forms
 - Attend a tech training (Infinite Campus, Schoology, and Study Island)
 - Visit the technology department for chromebook questions and support
- Visit community and school informational booths



NEW STAFF AT JMS!

We are so excited to welcome the following teachers and staff in their new positions for the 2018-19 school year.

Kendra Olson is joining the Jordan Middle School team as a Spanish teacher. She comes to JMS highly recommended from the Elk River School District where she taught middle school world language. Ms. Olson received her Bachelor of Science degree in Spanish Education from Montana State University-Bozeman and is pursuing her Masters of Science degree in Educational Leadership from Concordia University in St. Paul.

Jordan Middle School is excited to have **Ms. Leah Weber** joining the JMS team. Leah is no stranger to Jordan Public Schools as a previous elementary teacher. Leah's elementary experience and wealth of knowledge in the area of reading will serve our students well as she serves as an academic interventionist in the area of reading. Ms. Weber received her Bachelor of Science degree in Special Education from University of Wisconsin-Oshkosh and her Masters Degree in Teaching and Learning from St. Mary's University.

Maria Swanke is joining the JMS team as a 6th grade Reading and Language Arts teacher. Ms. Swanke comes to JMS highly recommended from Prior Lake-Savage Schools. She received her Bachelors Degree from St. Cloud State University and is pursuing her Masters Degree in Curriculum and Instruction from Concordia University in Portland, Oregon.

Anna Pederson will be a wonderful addition to the Jordan Middle School in our special education department where she will be working with our specific learning disability students (SLD). She comes with wonderful experience and recommendation from Eastern Carver County School where she also worked with SLD students at the middle level. Ms. Pederson received her Bachelor of Science degree in Special Education from Minnesota State, Mankato.

The Jordan Middle School is excited to have **Eric Reger**, a Jordan Public School graduate, return home! **Eric will be part of the special education department** working with our specific learning disability students (SLD). Mr. Reger comes highly recommended from Maple Lake Public Schools where he taught special education. Mr. Reger received his Bachelor of Science degree in Special Education from St. Cloud State University.

We are excited to welcome **Michele Gerscheid** as our new Building School Nurse for the Jordan Middle School. Michele comes to us with two years experience as a building nurse from the New Prague School District at an elementary school. We are excited to have Michele a part of our nursing department!

MIDDLE SCHOOL

Strong programs continue at JMS!

Standards Based Project Based Learning (PBL) Opportunities: Project Based Learning is an instructional practice where students gain an understanding of content standards through a time of extended investigation and response to authentic, engaging and complex questions. This approach allows students to gain an accurate understanding of the skills needed for success not only in college but life. At Jordan Middle School, we look forward to staff adding PBL to their best practice techniques which will allow students to demonstrate their knowledge of the content through multiple avenues.

Positive Behavioral Intervention and Support (PBIS): Positive Behavior Intervention and Support (PBIS) is a process for creating school environments that are more predictable and effective for achieving academic and social goals. Expectations are taught in a proactive manner with the goal of preventing behaviors. In many places, the majority of students follow the school's expectations, but are never acknowledged for their positive behavior. Through instruction, comprehension and regular practice, all stakeholders use a consistent set of posted behavior expectations and rules. When some students do not respond to teaching of the behavioral rules, JMS staff view it as an opportunity for re-teaching, not punishment. We look forward to recognizing our students for displaying J-Town P.R.I.D.E this school year!

Flexible/Collaborative Spaces and PLANIT JORDAN: We continue to utilize the flexible and collaborative spaces at Jordan Middle School. The middle school is an amazing building, providing the space for students to develop 21st century skills needed in our world today. As wonderful as the building is, it is the people walking the halls that make JMS great. Jordan Middle School is blessed with wonderful students, remarkable families, exceptional staff, and a committed community. Through this partnership, we will continue to develop and equip stakeholders to continue to grow and effectively use the middle school space and technology to push students farther than imagined. Instructional staff will plan and deliver curriculum resulting in learning opportunities where students will critically and creatively problem solve while developing strong collaboration and communication skills. Through the use of technology (PLANIT JORDAN - our 1:1 Chromebook device initiative), along with the flexible and collaborative spaces, students will be prepared to not only contribute, but lead in the 21st century.



Thursday, August 23

Students 11am–6pm / Parents 5pm–6pm

- Student photo will be taken from 10am–11am. If you choose, students can instead take photo on Gr. 6–8 Open House (Aug 30, 4pm–8pm)
- Meet teachers, locate rooms, review schedules, open lockers
- Bring supplies if available
- Bring snack – Lunch provided for students

If transportation is a concern, call the JMS office at 492-2332 prior to event

There will be a parent meeting from 5–6pm while staff supervise your children.

FALL PICTURE OPTIONS



1

Grade 5 Jump Start
August 23
from 10am - 11am

2

Back to School Resource
Night (Open House)
August 30
from 4pm - 8pm

3

Picture Retake Day at JMS
October 23
during school

HIGH SCHOOL

Jordan Community, Families, and Students,

The staff at Jordan High School looks forward to welcoming our students for the 2018-2019 school year. We have been working hard over the summer to prepare the building, create and revise curriculum, and update supplies. We all strive to provide an education that prepares our graduates for the 21st century. Jordan High School is a small school that offers big opportunities for our students.



We are **excited to host our third year of Freshman FOCUS**, to assist in the transition for our newest students to the high school. **All 9th grade students will report to school on Tuesday, September 4th.** We will take the students through an orientation, community building, and walk through their schedule. We find this to be a great day to ease the nerves of students new to JHS. On the same day, **September 4th, our 10th-12th grade students will "Go Remote"** and will be responsible for checking in online with their teachers and completing assignments remotely. See more on page 57.

Teachers will again be using **Schoology, a learning management system**, that will help students organize their calendars and keep track of assignments. Parents will have access to their students' account and will be able to see what students see when they go into Schoology. Teachers will organize the sites by courses that include folders for each unit. These folders may include presentations, links, videos, assignments and/or quizzes to be completed digitally, curriculum information, the class syllabus with classroom expectations, and other information. Parents will also be able to access a calendar with assignment due dates and test dates. Schoology will help prepare students who choose to attend a two or four year college where learning management systems are common.

During the past four school years, **students have become accustomed to working with Google docs and saving their assignments to the Cloud.** This allows students to collaborate with each other and their teachers simultaneously. They can access their documents using their Chromebooks or any other device, including their phones, from any location. Storing work on the Cloud means students will never lose their assignments or forget them at home; they can easily retrieve them from home and school. Finally, teachers can respond to student work more quickly as well.

The 2018-19 Registration Handbook also includes a few new classes. We added many interdisciplinary (course that employs more than one subject area) classes. We added another "capstone" class that will involve interdisciplinary study, concurrent college credit, and hands on learning opportunities. The new following classes will be offered:

- **Senior Seminar / Healthcare and Medicine / Multicultural Education and Human Relations in Schools** – Students have the opportunity to take professional studies course that combine cross-curricular and real world learning (learn more on page 57).

The beginning of the school year is always exciting. The list above will provide your sons and daughters with the information they need to be successful. We encourage our students to take their education seriously and begin to decide who they want to be and how they are going to get there. As always, the staff at JHS thanks parents for their support and encourages parents to call with questions and concerns.

Jeff Vizenor, Principal – Jordan High School
jvizenor@isd717.org



HIGH SCHOOL

NEW OFFERINGS!

Senior Seminar – Leaning Life Hacks to Independent Living This course is designed to help students develop skills they will use throughout their lives. In this course students will spend 6 weeks in three elective areas of Industrial Technology, Family and Consumer Science and financial planning. Students will have the opportunity to develop independent living skills through an interdisciplinary approach utilizing resources in Business, FACS, and Industrial Technology.

Healthcare and Medicine The Healthcare and Medicine program fully immerses students in St. Francis Regional Medical Center and St. Gertrude's providing unprecedented access to real world experiences in the dynamic field of healthcare and medicine. Partnering with experienced medical professionals, students will advance their understanding of healthcare systems, communications, legal issues, medical terminology, patient care, professionalism, ethics, and explore many career opportunities in healthcare. This course requires students to be active, independent learners and fosters empowerment, self-discovery, collaboration, and critical thinking skills. Students will engage in a variety of opportunities including case studies, problem and project-based learning, and tours. Through guided mentoring, students will participate in an experience that encompasses their personal interest in healthcare and medicine.

Multicultural Education and Human Relations in Schools Multicultural Education and Human Relations in Schools introduces students interested in pursuing a career in education to core concepts and approaches to multicultural education including issues related to student, family, and community diversity based on culture, language, race, class, gender, sexual identity, and disability. Education topics discussed will also include hierarchy of education with regards to privilege, equity and access to high quality education. Students will engage with the material using knowledge of their life experiences and those of diverse students in urban and rural public schools to learn culturally and linguistically responsive classroom strategies. Emphasis is placed on demonstrating the multicultural competence required of all successful teachers working with today's diverse youth.



ONLINE

jordan.k12.mn.us/jhs



PHONE 952-492-4400

ATTENDANCE 952-492-4488



MAIL 600 Sunset Drive
Jordan, MN 55352



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"Jordan Public Schools"



JHS SOCIAL MEDIA

@JHSPrincipal1



ACTIVITIES SOCIAL MEDIA

@JordanSchoolsAD



COUNSELOR SOCIAL MEDIA

@JHScounselor717



FOR DISTRICT AND JHS HAPPENINGS

VISIT OUR WEBSITE
OR APP CALENDARS

KEY DATES

READ ARTICLES AND VISIT
CALENDAR FOR DETAILS

August 21 and 22

Chromebook Distribution Grades 5-12

August 29

Open House Grades 9-12

September 4

Freshman FOCUS (Grade 9) First day - in school

Go REMOTE (Grades 10-12) First day - work remotely

Open House

Parents can purchase parking passes, athletic passes, and locks (new students and freshmen only) during the **Open House/Curriculum Night on August 29 at 4pm - 8pm**. At 5:15pm, parents of new students and freshmen can attend a presentation in the auditorium that will provide information about what they can expect at JHS. At 6pm, "first hour" will begin. Parents and students will rotate through the daily schedule and teachers will present information about their classes in twelve minute increments.

School Pictures

All students (including seniors) must have their pictures taken during the Open House. Parents may choose not to purchase the picture package but **ALL students (to include seniors) must have their picture taken** so they have a student identification card which we use for flex period check in.

Supplies

The Course Registration Guide lists required supplies for each class. It can be found on the JHS website > Student Support > Course Registration.

Communications

Teachers and school administration communicate frequently through email. Please update your email (as well as phone or address) if you have changes. Submit changes through your Infinite Campus Parent Portal or by contacting the District Office at 952-492-6200.

Breakfast & Lunches

The cost for JHS lunch is \$2.70 and for breakfast is \$1.80. **Students who were approved for a free or reduced lunch last year will still need to turn in the new application for this school year.** Menus, access to the Infinite Campus Parent Portal Food Service, and other pertinent lunch information can be accessed on our website. For your convenience, families can set recurring lunch payments in Infinite Campus. With questions, call the District Office at 952-492-6200.

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Parking Permits

Permits are \$100 for the year, if purchased on or before August 29th and the Parking Permit form must be completed. On August 30th, the fee will increase to \$125. Please purchase your permit early! The form can be found on the high school website > Student Life > Student Forms or during open house.

Locks

Freshmen and new students will be assigned a locker and lock for the school year. They will be expected to return the lock at the end of the year. Failure to do so will result in a \$10 charge for a lock. Other students will not be required to have a locker assigned to them. Students are free to put their supplies in their lockers during Open House/Curriculum Night or wait until the first day of school.

NEW STAFF AT JHS!

We are so excited to welcome the following staff in their new positions for the 2018-19 school year.

Margaret Schipper is joining JHS as a new science teacher. Ms. Schipper will be teaching upper level science courses including CIS Physiology and our new healthcare and medicine course. Ms. Schipper earned her bachelor's degree from Saint Benedict's College in St. Joseph, MN. She went on to medical school and completed her coursework for that before changing life paths and starting a family. Ms. Schipper has taught for sixteen years and has spent the past seven at Tri City United high school teaching many levels of science including CIS Physiology. Ms. Schipper is very excited to be a part of our high school staff and starting the new healthcare course.

JORDAN FRESHMAN FOCUS

Freshman FOCUS Orientation Information

For the third year, we will be offering a full day orientation for our incoming 9th grade students. The FOCUS (Freshman Orientation Creating Unbelievable Students) program is designed to assist students in their transition academically, emotionally, and socially. More and more, studies show that if students have a positive experience in their first year of high school, the chance for success increases dramatically. The orientation is dedicated to help freshman students feel welcome and comfortable about their first year of high school. We want to help freshmen discover what it takes to be successful when transitioning to high school. We also want to share our expectations, beliefs, and culture with our newest students. The 9th grade students will be our only students at JHS on Tuesday, September 4, to give them full access to the building and staff without distraction. The orientation will be all day from 8:15am-3pm.

The events planned include:

- Welcome from staff and administration
- Student panel with upperclassmen
- Student expectations/PBIS/JHS PRIDE
- Extended lunch with drawings and prizes
- Community building activities
- Workshops [digital citizenship, academic planning (grades and transcripts), study tips, stress management, time management, schoology in small group settings]
- Class picture at the stadium
- Shortened classes to meet teachers and move through their schedules

Tentative Schedule

Tuesday, September 4, 2018

8:15am - 9:15am Meet in auditorium (Welcome, Expectations, Student Panel)

9:15am - 9:55am Class picture and community building

9:55am - 11:30am Workshops

11:30am - 12:15pm Lunch and drawings

12:15pm - 3:00pm Meet with academic classes (build community) 21 minute classes and 10 minute snap class

JORDAN GO REMOTE

Grade 10-12 "Go REMOTE" on First Day

On the first day of school our incoming 9th grade students will attend Freshman FOCUS (Freshman Orientation Creating Unbelievable Students). The 9th grade students will be our only students at JHS on Tuesday, September 4, to give them full access to the building and staff without distraction.

So what about students in Grades 10-12? Don't worry - you will still need to be engaged and accountable on Tuesday, September 4th. But, you will get to do it a bit differently this fall. Because of PLANIT JORDAN, our 1:1 device initiative, students have the ability to work from virtually anywhere.

Students in grades 10-12 are not expected to physically be in the JHS building on September 4th, but will be expected to check into Schoology and proceed with directions from their teachers. If you do not have wi-fi access, please contact the JHS office for further instructions. If you have any questions, please call the JHS Office at 952-492-4400.

ACTIVITIES AND ATHLETICS

Building on a Successful 2017-2018 Year of Jordan Activities!

Before the school year officially begins, fall sports will be in full swing as of August 13th. Many student athletes have taken advantage of the summer MAX strength and conditioning program to prepare for their upcoming activities. It was refreshing seeing so many middle and high school student athletes on campus working hard all summer long. It's not too late to become active with the MAX program continuing during the school year in the early morning before class starts. The effort and dedication definitely showed this past year when Jordan won 8 Minnesota River Conference championships, on our way to repeating as MRC All-Sport champions. Jordan, along with a few co-ops we are partnered with, sent an astounding 9 teams to a state tournament last year!



I am excited to see what the 2018-19 school year has in store for our activities. We will start the year off with the highly anticipated fall musical. There will also be a new fall dance club that will entertain us during fall event halftimes. It is so great to see so many Jordan students doing multiple activities. Here at Jordan, we thrive when we have students participating in many activities, and our hope is that we provide a wide variety of activities to our students each season.

If you are a family with students in grades 7-12, please consider giving a new activity a try this year. It's never too late to pick up a new skill or hobby, and make new friends along the way. Online registration can be found at www.717activities.com. If you have questions, check the website www.jordan.k12.mn.us and use the activities tab on the top. You may also call the activities office at 952-492-4399 or email jperkl@isd717.org. Go Hubmen, Jaguars, and Panthers!

Joe Perkl, Activities Director and Dean of Students
jperkl@isd717.org



ONLINE
jordan.k12.mn.us/activities



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ACTIVITIES AND ATHLETICS

GET READY FOR FALL ACTIVITIES!



ONLINE REGISTRATION



www.717activities.com

ONLINE REGISTRATION/PAYMENT

For Grade 7-12 students planning on participating in athletics/activities, fall registration and payment is now open.

If you haven't registered for your account: If you haven't done so already, to create your parent account, first view our tutorial videos found on the homepage of the registration website (in resource box). Please have your student available during the registration process as you will need their student ID and they will need to electronically sign the MSHSL regulations.

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS

Is your student a team manager? Does your student qualify for free/reduced lunch? If you answered YES to any, your student qualifies for "Special Conditions."

Upon creating your new login or upon logging in, choose "Register" for your student and then "Activities Special Considerations" or "Sports Special Considerations" and continue. With questions, call the Activities Office at 952-492-4480.

Parent-Athlete-Coach (PAC) Meeting Fall 2018 Athletics & Activities

**Tuesday, August 7
6pm at JHS**

**Cheer (Grades 7-12)
Cross Country (Grades 7-12)
Football (Grades 7-12)
Soccer (Grades 7-12)
Tennis (Grades 7-12)
Volleyball (Grades 7-12)**



WE ARE EXCITED TO
REVEAL THE REFRESHED
MASCOTS & NEW
ACADEMIC CREST
THIS FALL!

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

Immunization Clinics

(952) 496-8555

Minnesota state law requires that all children attending ECCE programs on a weekly basis have their immunizations up-to-date. This program will be only one of many times you will need an up-to-date shot record for your child. If your child is behind in immunizations, he/she can catch up. Scott County residents may receive immunizations at their doctor's office or at the following clinic: Every Monday 1:00-5:00 pm. Cost is \$10 per shot. No one will be refused if unable to pay. Please bring immunization records to the clinic. If you have questions please call (952) 496-8555.

Scott County Public Health
Valley Green Work Force Center
792 Canterbury Road South, Suite A160
Shakopee, MN

CAP Agency/Head Start

(952) 496-2125

The CAP Agency is a private non-profit organization that provides services to residents of Scott, Carver and Dakota Counties.

Parent Warmline

(952) 863-6336

The Parent Warmline is a free consultation service through Mpls. Children's Medical Center for parents who need support and practical information about behavior and development of young children. Volunteers with professional training and expertise in such fields as parent education and child development will return your call.

Crisis Nursery

(612) 839-5101

The Crisis Nursery welcomes calls from parents in any situations needing a sympathetic ear, some parenting tips, or information about community resources. In a crisis situation, the Crisis Nursery may be able to provide short-term child care for children ages newborn to 12 years, when their families are residents of Scott or Carver Counties. Trained advocates are available to help during a crisis.

WIC (Women, Infants & Children)

(952) 496-2125

This program provides nutrition information and counseling for pregnant and nursing mothers. Counseling includes information on supplemental foods such as milk, cheese, juice, cereals and infant formula to promote good health. WIC eligibility is based on household income guidelines. If you are currently eligible, voucher pickup days are the second Monday and fourth Tuesday of each month, at the CAP Agency, located on 712 Canterbury Road in Shakopee. Otherwise, appointments must be made in advance by calling.

SEAC

(Special Education Advisory Council)

A group that provides input on special education issues to its local school district. SEAC meets quarterly during the school year. For more information call Chad Williams, Jordan Special Education Director, at (952) 492-4230 or cwilliams@isd717.org

Jordan Area Food Shelf

On Facebook @jordanareafoodshelf

The Jordan Food Shelf is located at 131 1st Street in Jordan. It is open every Saturday of the month from 9am to 12pm and the second and fourth Wednesday of the month from 6:30pm to 7:30pm. Residents of Jordan are allowed to access the food shelf once a month.

Jordan Phone Numbers

District Office	(952)492-6200
High School	(952)492-4400
Middle School	(952)492-2332
Elementary	(952)492-2336
Community Ed.	(952)492-6211
Police/Fire	911
(Non-emergency)	(952)492-2009

Poison Control

1-800-222-1222

COMMUNITY RESOURCES

ASSOCIATIONS AND COMMUNITY CLUBS

There are many organizations within our community that serve our youth outside of our in-house Community Education and Recreation programs.

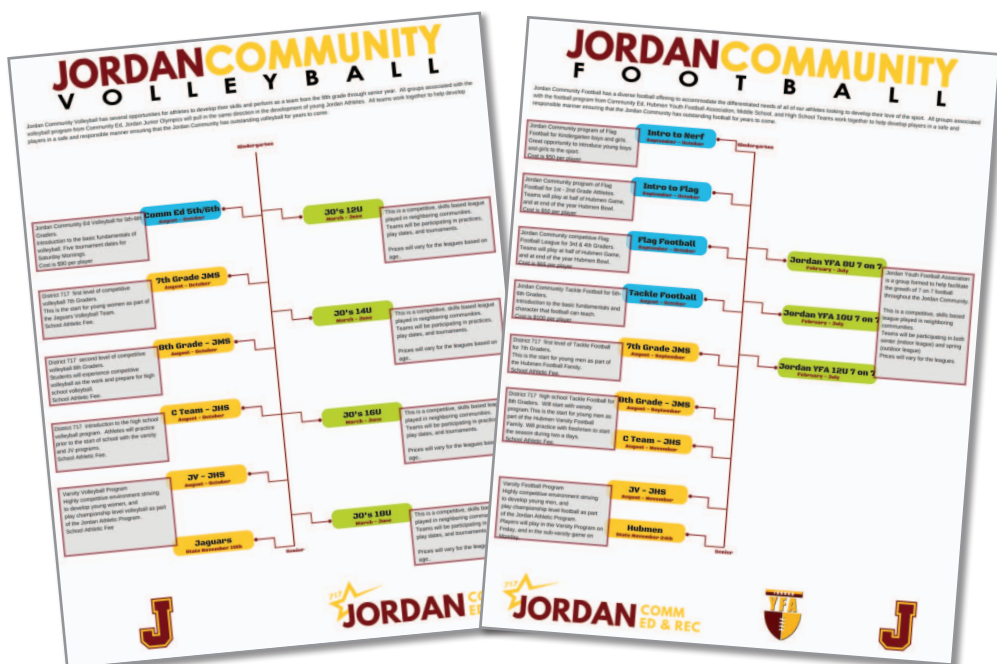
ORGANIZATION	EMAIL CONTACT	PHONE	WEBSITE
Jordan Area Youth Baseball Association (JAYBA)	jchalupsky@arrow.com	952-412-8717	www.leaguelineup.com/jayba
Jordan Basketball Association (JBA)	jbadirectors@gmail.com	612-590-9624	www.jordanhoops.com
Jordan Booster Club	jordanboosters@gmail.com	612-850-8178	www.jordanbooster.org
Jordan Girls Fastpitch Association (JGFA)	jordanfastpitch@hotmail.com	952-836-6928	www.jordanfastpitch.org
Jordan Junior Olympic Volleyball (JO's)	jordanjovolleyball@gmail.com	612-251-5588	---
Jordan Youth Football Association (JYFA)	thejordanyfa@gmail.com	612-799-5722	---
River Valley United Soccer	RVUSoccerclub@gmail.com	---	---
Scott West Panther Cubs	cwilliams@isd717.org	952-219-3600	www.scottwestpanthers.com

COMMUNITY ATHLETIC STRUCTURES

The Jordan community has a diverse offering of teams and leagues to accommodate the differentiated needs of our youth. These include Community Education the Recreation, school district teams, associations, etc. All work together to help develop players ensuring that the Jordan community has outstanding athletic opportunities for years to come.

To clarify our in-house Community Education and Recreation opportunities and local associations, visit our website where we have created several flowcharts to assist in choosing the best opportunity for your child.

www.jordan.k12.mn.us/localassociations



ADULT

OUR MISSION

Inspire a caring community to ignite learning, innovation, and success for all!

School Year Office Hours

Monday - Friday: 8am to 4:30pm

Summer Office Hours

Monday - Thursday: 8am to 4:30pm

Fridays: 8am to 12pm

AM I IN?

Classes are filled on a first come, first served basis. Pre-registration is required. Community Education does not mail class confirmations. If you have an email address at the time of registration, a confirmation will be emailed to you. If you do not hear from us, assume that you are in the class and that it will be held at the time and place indicated. We will contact you by phone or email if there is a change.

Cancelling Your Registration

Please notify our office by the deadline date in order to receive a full refund. If after the deadline there will be a \$5.00 processing fee. No refunds after first night of class.

Program/Class Cancellation Policy

If school is cancelled or weather conditions do not allow us to safely hold our programs, we will:

- Email or phone call
- Facebook and Twitter

Non-Sufficient Funds Checks

Checks that are returned to Community Education are subject to a \$10 fee.

Mike Harrington Scholarship

Some programs may be eligible for a reduced fee. Eligible participants are limited to 3 programs per school year (July 1 through June 30). All requests will be confidentially handled by our office. This does not apply to the Driver's Education Program. Forms can be picked up at the Community Center or found on the website.

Use of School Facilities

Jordan Public Schools are available to public organizations and groups with adequate insurance and are subject to policies and procedures outlined in the facility use policy. Facility use application are available at the Community E/Rec office or the website.

Tobacco Free District

Thank you for not using tobacco on school property.

Volunteer Coaches

Our programs are operated with volunteer coaches (limit of 3 coaches per team). The volunteer coaches do a wonderful job and cannot be properly compensated for their efforts. At the

end of the season, volunteer coaches will receive a voucher in the amount of their participants fee. Must attend coaches meeting and coach the entire season to receive the voucher. Please pay the full amount when you register.

Privacy

The information requested on registration forms will be used to verify eligibility as well as determine staff, facility and equipment needs. You or your child's registration information may be provided to school district staff, volunteers, instructors, the school district attorney, insurer and auditor. Your email information is for internal use only and will not be sold or solicited. Photographs or videos of classes in action may be taken and used for district publications and web pages (including social media). If you object to having your picture used, please notify the Community Education Office at 952-492-6211.

Participation Waiver

By registering for classes, trips or events, you indicate that you have no physical conditions or health history that would make participation hazardous to your health; in addition you are releasing Community Education and other organizations, cities or individuals associated with the program from any responsibility for injuries or damages received as a result of your participation.

Reservation of Lagoon/Lion's Park Facilities

Lagoon Park has five shelters (two large, one small, a gazebo, and an enclosed shelter) available for reservation. Individuals/groups are only able to reserve park shelters, not the use of the entire park. Reservations are made through Community Ed.

Permit cost is \$50 per shelter for Jordan residents, \$75 for non-residents; and no charge for non-profit organizations. There is also a \$150 per shelter refundable deposit required at time of reservation for all parties. You must bag trash and you may leave it at the shelter.

Events over 100 people or including alcoholic beverages must obtain a special event permit from the City of Jordan at 952-492-2535. Shelter reservations through Community Ed. are still required.

Instructors Wanted!

If you would like to share your talents with others in the community, please call us at **952-492-6211** or contact us by e-mail at commed@isd717.org

Please Note: Due to the unforeseen circumstances after the time of print, information in this brochure is subject to change.

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REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Jordan Community Education and Recreation Registration Form

Please fill out registration completely. Incomplete forms may delay processing.

Parent/Guardian Name (First)

Parent/Guardian Name (Last)

Address

Home Phone (Area Code)

City Zip

Daytime Phone (Area Code)

Emergency Contact Name

Emergency Contact Number (Area Code)

Email Address

T-Shirt Size Reference: If your program indicates a t-shirt included, please mark the youth or adult shirt size in box below
YS / YM / YL / YXL or AS / AM / AL / AXL / AXXL

Participant (first name)	Participant (last name)	Date of Birth	Age	M/ F	Grade	Program Name	T-Shirt Size	Cost

Payment Type (Make checks payable to: Jordan Community Education)

☐ Cash ☐ Check (# _____) ☐ MasterCard ☐ Visa

CARD# _____ - _____ - _____ - _____ EXP. Date: _____

Signature: _____
(only required if paying by credit card)

I hereby release, absolve and hold harmless Jordan Community Education and School District #717, it's officers, employees and agents from any damage resulting from an injury incurred by me or my child while participating in the above mentioned programs. I understand Jordan Community Education and School District #717 assume no responsibility before, during or after the program.

I am interested in coaching: ☐ Yes ☐ No Name: _____ Phone: _____

Signature: _____
(If under 18 years of age, parent or legal guardian must sign.)

WAYS TO REGISTER



MAIL Mail registration form with fee included to:
Jordan Community Education
500 Sunset Drive, Suite #3
Jordan, MN 55352



IN PERSON
Jordan Community Education Office
500 Sunset Drive, Suite #3
Jordan, MN 55352



WITH QUESTIONS, PHONE
952-492-6211 between 8am - 4pm



ONLINE
jordan.k12.mn.us/commed

Jordan Community Ed & Rec has an online registration system called *ACTIVE Net*. Used for Community Ed & Rec classes, Kids' Co, Early Ed-Ventures, ECFE, and Preschool.

- How to sign up for a Community Ed & Rec *ACTIVE Net* account?**
- Go to www.jordan.k12.mn.us/commed
 - Under "Ed & Rec", choose "Class Registration & Payment"
 - Choose "Sign Up" (blue button)
 - After, choose "Activities" along top grey bar

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looking to change up
their workouts with
exciting weekly
challenges!**

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