

JORDAN COMMUNITY

EDUCATION & RECREATION



INTERACTIVE VERSION!

FALL 2021

MARK YOUR CALENDARS



JOIN US FOR ONE OF
OUR “RUN/WALK”
EVENTS ON SATURDAY,
SEPTEMBER 11, 2021!



Annual “Run/Walk of the Mill 5K Race” *All welcome*
Wind your way through Jordan on this beautiful course! **For entry information and to learn more about the race see page 37.**

Saturday, September 11; Jordan Middle School; 5K race starts at 8:00am



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 River Valley School and head down the hill into Lagoon Park. All finishers will receive a medal. **For entry information and to learn more about the race see page 37.**

Saturday, September 11; River Valley School; race starts at 9:00am

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DIRECTOR’S GREETING



The Summer of 2021 is coming to an end and this has been a summer to remember. It has been amazing to see how our community is able to bounce back after a long year. There have been some difficult times and some difficult decisions, but our community has stayed strong. We see how much you care about Community Education and Recreation by your participation in our programs. It has been so motivating to see all of the smiling faces out at our full camps and classes. Our community has stepped up and helped bring our programs back to life.

As we take this momentum and leap into the fall, we are reminded why Community Education and Recreation is here and how we can serve you. Community Education and Recreation provides a bridge for both the community and the school district. Community Education and Recreation captures the young families and their children at birth and provides education to get the students ready to enter the schools. Community Education and Recreation also offers programs for adults to continue to invest in the community through classes and engagement. Community Education engages families before and after school to provide full access and an investment in the school district. In Jordan we have great facilities and many great opportunities through Community Education and Recreation, and we owe that to the Jordan community.

Without the support and dedication to our community and schools we would not have all the great opportunities for all to engage and enjoy.

Thank You,
Steven Jensen
Director, Community Ed/Rec



TO ENROLL...
*CLICK ON
COURSE OR
SESSION TITLE*

FIND YOUR FUN!

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STEVEN JENSEN
Director – Community Education and Recreation / The CERC
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I have a passion for serving the needs of our community and together we are able to create opportunities where people can be creative and challenge their mind and body at all ages.



JENNA WENDORFF
Director – Early Learning Services
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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
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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.



PAM GOING
Program Coordinator – Kids' Company & Early Ed-Ventures
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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.



JAMIE FREMMING
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I enjoy being part of an environment that creates opportunities for individuals and families to be involved in their community while building long-lasting relationships. I hope to provide a positive experience for those who visit our facility.



KRISTA HALVORSON
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We are proud of the facilities we offer not only to our students and staff, but also to the community of Jordan and beyond. I'm excited to be a member of the Jordan Public Schools staff and happy to serve the school district and community of Jordan.

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/commmed
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?
1. Go to www.jordan.k12.mn.us/commmed
2. Under "Ed & Rec", choose "Class Registration & Payment"
3. Choose "Sign Up" (blue button)
4. After, choose "Activities" along top grey bar

Jordan Community Education and Recreation Registration Paper 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 (# _____)

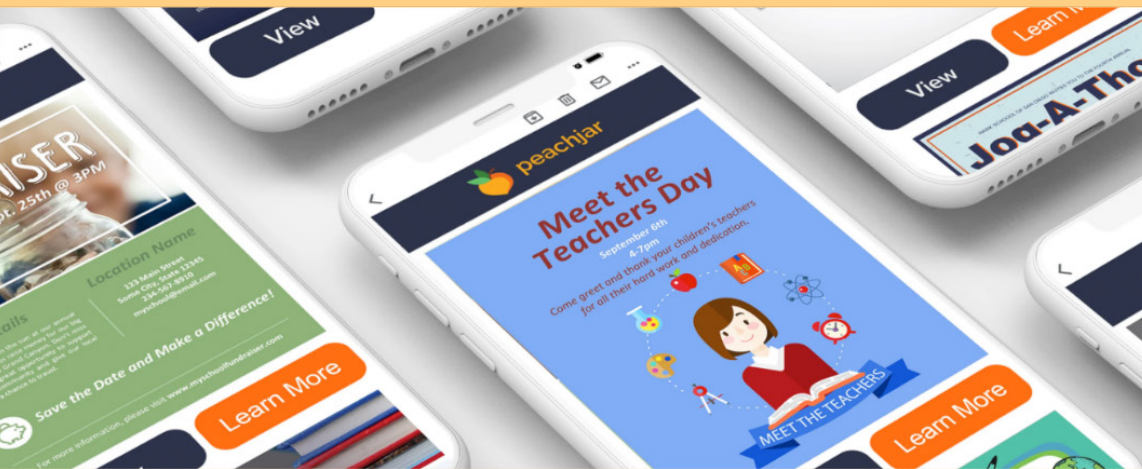
I hereby release, absolve and hold harmless Jordan Community Education and School District #717, it's officers, employees and agents from any damage resulting from an injury incurred by me or my child while participating in the above mentioned programs. I understand Jordan Community Education and School 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.)



no more lost flyers!



Community Ed & Rec and Jordan Public Schools want families to know about valuable school-related programs and community resources. To facilitate delivery of this information, approved community organizations will be able to send their flyers home to families digitally through Peachjar! District families and CERC members should look for their weekly Peachjar email or visit the district website to view!

no need to register!

DIRECTOR'S GREETING

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
Director, Early Learning Services



EARLY LEARNING SERVICES STAFF

Early Learning Services Director

Jenna Wendorff

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Steven Jensen

Kids' Co/Early Ed-Ventures Coordinator

Pam Going

ELS Administrative Assistant

Katie Anderson

Early Childhood Teachers

Trisha Hentges, Paige Specken and Sarah Lund

ECSE Teacher (3 to K)

Lauralie Axtell

Early Interventionist (birth to 3)

Rachel Vollbrecht



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



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jordan.k12.mn.us/els



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SOCIAL MEDIA

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Jordan Public Schools believes that early education and interventions are the foundation of all learning. Along with our *Parent Aware Rated* preschool and ECCE 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.**



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, we encourage you to contact us.

HelpMeGrowMN.org | 952-492-4285

For ELS offerings register **ACTIVE Net** or call 952-492-3233



More about the Early Learning Services PTO

When are the meetings?

- The PTO (Parent Teacher Organization) meets the **first Tuesday of every month at 6:15pm 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.

Our PTO Members

Daedra Ahlbrecht - President
Amanda Franklin - Treasurer
Thao Habeck - Secretary
Danielle Tieben
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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! **Morning and evening sessions available!**

Thursdays; 9:00am – 10:00am -OR- 6:00pm – 7:00pm

\$10/ class, ECFE Classroom

Sibling Care: \$3/ class (**Morning class only**)

SESSION 1: Sep 16 - Oct 14

SESSION 2: Oct 28 - Nov 18

SESSION 3: Dec 2 - Dec 14



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.

Morning and evening sessions available!

Tuesdays; 8:30am – 10:00am -OR- 6:00pm – 7:30pm

\$10/ class, ECFE Classroom

Sibling Care: \$3/ class (**Morning class only**)

SESSION 1: Sep 14 - Oct 19

SESSION 2: Oct 26 - Nov 23

SESSION 3: Nov 30 - Dec 14

Creative Kids - New Evening Class!

Ages 3 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.

Monday; 6:00pm – 7:30pm

\$12/ class, ECFE Classroom

*No sibling care available

SESSION 1: Sep 13 - Oct 18

SESSION 2: Oct 25 - Nov 22

SESSION 3: Nov 29 - Dec 13

Preschool with Training Wheels

Ages 3 to 5 years

(Must turn 3 by February 1st, 2022 AND be fully potty trained)

This class helps prepare your child for their future preschool classes, but still gives the parents an opportunity to connect! **Tuesday** will be a child-only class where you drop your child off for class and give them the chance to experience being a preschooler. **Thursday** 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

Tues/Thur, Sep 14 - Dec 14; 10:30am - 12pm

\$24/ week, ECFE Classroom

Child Safety Fair

Ages Birth to 5

The Jordan Volunteer Fire Department and Jordan ELS are 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.

Friday, October 8; 10am - 12pm

FREE, at the Jordan Fire Department

No registration needed



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 "Family Fun Nights" are 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, November 12 at 6:00pm - 7:30pm

– FREE and No Registration Needed –



SPIDERS AND PUMPKINS AND BATS, OH MY!

Ages 2.5 to 5 years

Come decorate a pumpkin, play Halloween games and make a special treat!

Friday, October 29; 6:00pm - 7:00pm

\$15/ child and adult, ECFE Classroom



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PRESCHOOL TIME TO EXPLORE!



Jordan Public Schools Preschool
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 www.bit.ly/preschool_reg



2021-2022 FULL-DAY PRESCHOOL:

Age 4 and 5 (Turning 5 year during 2021-2022 school year)
Mon/Wed/Fri 8:30am – 2:30pm / \$323 month (full)
Tues/Thurs 8:30am – 2:30pm / \$215 month

2021-2022 HALF-DAY PRESCHOOL:

Age 4 and 5 (Turning 5 year during 2021-2022 school year)
Mon – Thurs 12:00pm – 3:00pm / \$215 month
Age 3 and 4 (Turning 4 year during 2021-2022 school year)
Mon/Wed/Fri 8:30am – 11:00am / \$165 month
Tues/Thurs 8:30am – 11:00am / \$115 month (full)
Tues/Thurs 1:00pm – 3:00pm / \$95 month (JUST ADDED!)

IS BEFORE OR AFTER PRESCHOOL CARE AN ISSUE?

Are you looking for wrap around care for your preschool child?
Take advantage of our in-house extended childcare program!

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

To enroll in Early Ed-Ventures, your student must be enrolled in preschool.



BUSING
IS AVAILABLE
FOR A
SMALL FEE!

WRAP-AROUND EXTENDED CARE

IS BEFORE OR AFTER PRESCHOOL CARE AN ISSUE?



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

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. **To enroll in Early Ed-Ventures, your student must be enrolled in Early Explorers preschool.**

Early Ed-Ventures HOURS*:

6:00am - 6:00pm

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

You will receive an email following your registration with required packet information.

Early Ed-Ventures FEES:

Non-refundable registration fee of \$50 per year

Full Day: \$38

*Your child's calendar is required monthly. No added days.

Payment for days registered is required regardless if your child attends.

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

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 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?

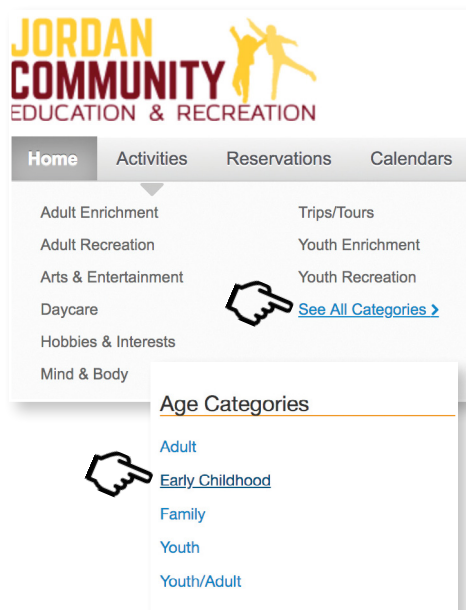
1. Go to www.jordan.k12.mn.us
2. Under "Community Ed & Rec", choose "Class Registration & Payment"
3. Log into your account
4. Choose from "Activities" along top grey bar
5. Select "See All Categories" (see picture)
6. Select "Early Childhood" under age categories (see picture)

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!



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.



REMINDERS

- 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.
- 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.

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



Has your 3 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. The earlier the better! Early Childhood Screening is not a Kindergarten readiness test or IQ test. Waiting until your child is 4 or 5 to screen may be too long.

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

Visit our website for info:
jordan.k12.mn.us/screening

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

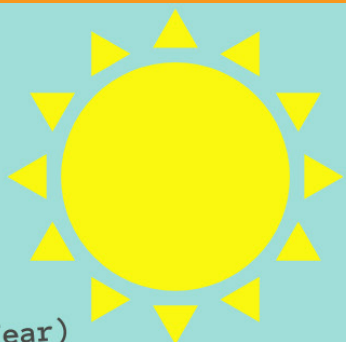
Reminders:

- 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.

KIDS' COMPANY BEFORE & AFTER CARE

for Grades
K-6

(2021-2022 School Year)



With Questions
kidsco@isd717.org
952-492-4320



JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

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

Kids' Company Hours: Kids' Company Fees:

6:00am - 8:00am - School Days
2:45pm - 6:00pm - School Days
6:00am - 6:00pm - No School Days

*Calendar on website for days closed.

Before School - \$11
After School - \$12
Non School Days - \$38
Field Trip Days - \$55

*Nonrefundable registration fee \$50

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

NOTE: your child's calendar is required monthly. Submission of your child's calendar is required by the 15th of the month prior. No additional days will be allowed following submission. Payment for days registered is required regardless if your child attends.



YOUTH ENRICHMENT

TLC Music Class

Ages 15 months-5

Instructor: Alicia Newton, MT-BC

Join Ms. Alicia for this fun and upbeat music class for kids! Kids will sing, dance, and play instruments all while increasing developmental skills such as social, cognitive, and motor. Alicia Newton, MT-BC is a board certified music therapist and has been teaching music and practicing Music Therapy since 2004. Parents/Guardians are welcome to stay for class (limit 1 per child).

Fridays, Sep 17 - Dec 10*; 11:30am - 12:00pm

*No Class Oct 22, Nov 26 and Dec 3

\$80, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 10 Min 5 / Max 15

eSports

Grades 8-12 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructors: Bryan Stewart and Tyler Nelson

eSports describes the world of competitive, organized video gaming. Competitors from different leagues or teams face off in the same games that are popular with at-home gamers: League of Legends, Rocket League and Super Smash Brothers, to name a few. **Schedule:**

Practice Monday, Gameday Tuesday, Practice Thursday.

Mon/Tues/Th, Sep 7 - Dec 16*; 3:30pm - 6pm

*No Oct 21, Nov 25

*Possible playoff extension through end of January.

\$100, JMS CAD Lab

Reg by Sep 10 Min 7 / Max 16

Tae Kwon Do

Ages 6+ Instructor: Linda Kroells

Come learn the traditional martial art of Tae Kwon Do, great fun for the whole family. Courtesy, integrity, self-control, perseverance, and discipline are all part of Tae Kwon Do. Beginners will learn techniques for the first level and advanced students will continue at their current levels. Wear clean, loose clothing and bring a water bottle.

FALL SESSION 1:

Wednesdays, Sep 15 - Oct 20; 4:45pm - 5:45pm
\$42, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 8 Min 8 / Max 20

FALL SESSION 2:

Wednesdays, Oct 27 - Dec 1; 4:45pm - 5:45pm
\$42, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 20 Min 8 / Max 20

WINTER SESSION 1:

Wednesdays, Dec 8 - Dec 22; 4:45pm - 5:45pm
\$21, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Dec 1 Min 8 / Max 20

Min 8 / Max 20



Fantastic Fall Art

Grades K-5 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Abrakadoodle Staff

Indulge in a fantastic art experience with us this fall! Sculpt a colorful clay turkey pot to decorate your Thanksgiving table, draw a fall field with pumpkins and a scarecrow, paint a mountain reflection, master mixed media while creating a 3D spider with its web and more! We will use lot of different mediums to create our colorful art during this fun session. **Pick up will be located in JES lobby.**

Mondays, Sep 27 - Oct 25; 3pm - 4pm

\$74, JES Room 38

Reg by Sep 20 Min 6 / Max 20

Homemade Gifts

Grades K-5 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Abrakadoodle Staff

Get a head start on the holidays with this fun gift making class. This year we'll paint/decoupage snowy pine tree scene with colorful northern lights on canvas board, sculpt a snowman luminary, create a canvas featuring penguins in the snow and more. These projects are perfect gifts for your friends and family or keep them for yourself! Our most popular class of the year! **All new gifts for 2021. Pick up will be located in JES lobby.**

Mondays, Nov 15 - Dec 6; 3pm - 4pm

\$64, JES Room 38

Reg by Nov 8 Min 6 / Max 18

COOKING CLASSES!

Let's Make Dinner

Ages 13+ (Ages 7-12 can attend with guardian)

Instructor: Heather Novak

In this class you will make two pans of rich, comforting, cheesy lasagna; one for now and one to freeze or give to another family. In addition, you will also make homemade savory garlic bread. Set aside this time to make a dish we all love yet, don't make often because of the time it takes. Plus your dinner is made, and answers the question... "what's for dinner?"

Wednesday, Oct 6; 6:30pm - 9pm

\$24, JMS FACS Room 311

Reg by Sep 29 Min 4 / Max 10

Chocolate Truffles, Creamy Caramels

Ages 16+ Instructor: Heather Novak

Decadent, smooth, rich chocolates and creamy, melt in your mouth, caramels are a must have for the upcoming holiday season or really for anytime. This hands on class will teach you how to make simple truffles, filled bon-bons and caramels. Come learn to work with chocolate and caramel, make a sweet gift, or just have fun. **Please bring a container and parchment paper to bring your treats home in.**

Wednesday, Nov 10; 6:30pm - 9pm

\$21, JMS FACS Room 311

Reg by Nov 3 Min 4 / Max 15

Creepy Cupcakes

Ages 12+ (Ages 5-11 can attend with guardian)

Instructor: Heather Novak

Learn to decorate cupcakes into scary monsters, spooky spider-webs, and other imaginative creatures, using buttercream frosting and candies. Perfect for kids who love to be in the kitchen and want to learn a little about cake decorating or have an artistic flair. All cupcakes, frosting and cake decorating tips will be provided.

Please bring a cupcake tin or 19 x 13 pan to bring your creations home in and your imagination!

Thursday, Oct 28; 6:30pm - 8pm

\$19, JMS FACS Room 311

Reg by Oct 21 Min 4 / Max 10

Art Club: Wild About Animals

Grades K-4 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

Join Mrs. Kilgren as we create some amazing animal art projects and make new friends! You'll learn new artistic skills while also developing your personal style of creativity. We will explore a variety of art forms through drawing, painting, sculpting and more. In this session of art club, projects will include a wild animal mask, an adorable puppy painting, cute clay cats, and more!

Tuesdays, Sep 14 - Oct 5; 2:45pm - 3:45pm

\$59, JES Art Room

Reg by Sep 7 Min 8 / Max 24

Pumpkin Pals Painting Party

Ages 5+ and helper (18+ please)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

Spend an enjoyable evening painting ceramic creations together. Pairs will work together to paint a ceramic pumpkin jar (6x6") and a jolly jack-o-lantern (4x5.75") that you can use to decorate for the entire autumn season. Due to the size of the space, only registered individuals will be allowed to attend class. Please dress appropriately for painting!

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

\$50

Reg by Sep 16 Min 8 pairs / Max 16 pairs

Art Club: It's Fall Ya'll!

Grades K-4 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

Let's celebrate the wonder and beauty of this time of year! Join Mrs. Kilgren as we create some amazing fall art projects and make new friends! You'll learn new artistic skills while also developing your personal style of creativity. We will explore a variety of art forms through drawing, painting, sculpting and more. Plus we'll discover the works of artists from the past and present who can influence the art we make. In this session of art club, projects will include leaf reliefs and print making, an outstanding owl painting, exploration with clay and pinecones and other projects inspired by the change of seasons.

Tuesdays, Oct 12 - Nov 2; 2:45pm - 3:45pm

\$59, JES Art Room

Reg by Oct 5 Min 8 / Max 24

Art Club: Clay Chaos

Grades 1-4 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

Join Mrs. Kilgren for this special edition of art club. We will use real earth clay to create our art projects while also making new friends! You'll learn new artistic skills and develop your personal style of creativity. All projects will be fired and glazed before being sent home. **Please bring a paint shirt to class.**

Tuesdays, Nov 9 - Dec 7; 2:45pm - 3:45pm

\$79, JES Art Room

Reg by Nov 2 Min 8 / Max 24

Middle School Art Club

Grades 5-8 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

This is an opportunity for middle school students with an interest in art to come explore and develop their abilities further. This will be an open studio style class and participants will help choose the projects we create.

SESSION 1:

Mondays, Sep 27 - Oct 25; 3:10pm - 4:10pm

\$72, JES Art Room

Reg by Sep 20 Min 8 / Max 24

SESSION 2:

Mondays, Nov 1 - Nov 29; 3:10pm - 4:10pm

\$72, JES Art Room

Reg by Oct 25 Min 8 / Max 24

Merry and Bright Christmas Lights

Ages 5+ and helper (18+ please)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

Looking to get in the Christmas spirit while crafting with your kiddo? Child (5+) will paint a mini night light Christmas tree (3.5") to help make sure Santa can see and make his way to your tree. Light up your tabletop this season with this lighted Christmas tree! Helper (18+ please) will paint a vintage ceramic Christmas tree (11") which comes with a light kit that includes a base light bulb, colorful mini lights and yellow star tree topper. Due to the size of the space, only registered individuals will be allowed to attend class.

Tuesday, Nov 30; 6:30pm - 7:30pm

\$60

Reg by Nov 16 Min 8 pairs / Max 16 pairs

VIRTUAL TECH ACADEMY

Home Technical Requirements for all classes:

Computer*: PC (Windows XP or later) or Mac (OSX) with at least a 2GHz processor and 4GB of RAM

*Personal computer needed, will not work on Chromebook, tablets, or phones

Internet: Broadband internet

Webcam

Microphone and Speakers

Google Meet

Multiplayer Minecraft: Colosseum Builder

Grades 1-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Become the architect of mini-game battle arenas! Build your own arena, then challenge your friends! Students will get a copy of the world map to take home and expand on. We will be using the PC/Java Edition of Minecraft. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Additional Technical Requirement: Minecraft Java Edition

Saturdays, Sep 11 & 18; 8am - 10am

\$64, Virtual Class

Reg by Sep 1 Max 18

Video Production for YouTube: Gaming

Grades 4-7 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Learn how to produce a YouTube - "Let's Play" Video! Learn how to capture a gaming session. YouTube is the top destination for online videos. Learn tricks that pros use. Edit your video, add transitions, insert a soundtrack. Then share your finished video with the world. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Additional Technical Requirement: Cell Phone video camera or external webcam, iMovie (Mac) or FilmDora (Windows trial version) software, and a game installed on the computer (Minecraft, Roblox, Racing, any will work)

Saturdays, Sep 11 & 18; 10:30am - 12:30pm

\$64, Virtual Class

Reg by Sep 1 Max 18

Game Coding: Mario Kart

Grades 3-7 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

In this class, we introduce students' programming concepts using Scratch. Scratch is a drag-and-drop creative coding platform developed by MIT. Students will be instructed to make a Mario Kart - style game. Then pick custom characters, track to customize their games. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Saturday, Sep 25; 9am - 12pm

\$49, Virtual Class

Reg by Sep 17 Max 18

3D Printing & CAD

Grades 3-7 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

New Projects this semester! This 3D printing camp takes students through the 3D printing process from start to finish. Students will design 3D objects using TinkerCAD (online web app), and use the 3D slicing program Cura to bring their creations to life. This course serves as an excellent introduction to 3D printing and is ideal for students who like to draw, design, imagine and see their creations come to life. Students will be designing 1-2 objects, and the 3D print will be mailed home. No experience is necessary, but familiarity with doing common tasks using a computer and keyboarding is required. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Additional Technical Requirement: Cura (free download)

Saturdays, Oct 2 & 9; 8am - 10am

\$79, Virtual Class

Reg by Sep 24 Max 18

Game Coding: Super Mario

Grades 1-4 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Learn the fundamentals of coding with Scratch by creating a Nintendo themed game. Inspire your student to pursue today's most exciting technologies. Scratch uses colorful, visual blocks that fit together like legos. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Saturday, Oct 23; 9am - 11am

\$34, Virtual Class

Reg by Oct 15 Max 18

Multiplayer Minecraft: City Builder

Grades 1-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Collaborate with fellow students to construct a city! Students will take home their completed world files at the end of class. Beginners and experienced Minecrafters alike will love this action-packed camp! **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Additional Technical Requirement: Minecraft Java Edition

Saturdays, Nov 6 & 13; 8am - 10am

\$64, Virtual Class

Reg by Oct 29 Max 18

Extreme Robotics: Virtual Battlebots

Grades 3-8 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Smash into virtual walls to tear down castles or navigate labyrinths maze. In this class, we will code virtual robots, using Vexcode VR. VEXcode VR lets you code a virtual robot using a block-based coding environment powered by Scratch Blocks. VEXcode VR is based on VEXcode. Create robotic mayhem in a virtual playground while igniting a lifelong love of problem-solving. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Saturdays, Dec 4 & 11; 10:30am - 12:30pm

\$64, Virtual Class

Reg by Nov 23 Max 18

Extreme Coding: Super Snake

Grades 4-8 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Make an interactive game using Scratch. We will show students how to put code blocks together and recreate the classic video game snake. This course will cover fundamental coding concepts like sequencing, conditionals, variables, and more. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Saturday, Nov 20; 9am - 12pm

\$49, Virtual Class

Reg by Nov 12 Max 18

Multiplayer Minecraft: World Builder

Grades 1-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Unleash your creativity as you work collaboratively! Create a world with others in multiple unique, themed lands. Build different biomes, or base a section on your favorite movie or video game! Meld your quadrants together with bridges, and separate them with moats of water, lava, or even the void! Students will get a copy of the world to continue development at home. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Additional Technical Requirement: Minecraft Java Edition

Saturdays, Dec 18; 9am - 12pm

\$49, Virtual Class

Reg by Dec 10 Max 18

Video Production for YouTube

Grades 2-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Tech Academy

Learn how to create YouTube content! Shoot videos, edit sound, and create an online presence with YouTube. YouTube is the top destination for online videos. Learn tricks that pro filmmakers use for better shots, lighting, and sounds. Edit your video, add transitions, insert a soundtrack. Then share your finished video with the world. **Virtual Class - participate in your own home.**

Additional Technical Requirement: Cell Phone video camera or external webcam, and iMovie (Mac) or FilmDora (Windows trial version) software.

Wed/Thur, Dec 29-30; 10am - 12pm

\$64, Virtual Class

Reg by Dec 20 Max 18



Jordan Band



Grades 9-12

Join a Jordan Band extracurricular! Traditionally Jazz Band and ensembles perform concurrently with the curricular bands 2-3 times a year. Other performances may also be scheduled. Band extracurriculars are a full-year offering. It is intended that students participate during both the Fall and Spring semesters.

[Click to Register Online](#)

Jazz Band

An ensemble focusing on the study and performance of American jazz. Styles of music include but are not limited to: contemporary, traditional, swing, bebop, ballad, rock, pop, latin, bossa, dixieland, and the blues. Traditional instrumentation includes Saxophone, Trombone, Trumpet, Drumset, Piano, Bass, and Guitar but other instruments can be substituted at the director's discretion. **Students in grades 11 & 12 will have the option to earn Minnesota State College and University credit through Central Lakes College (1 per semester).**

Wed/Fri, Oct 1 - May 25; 7:15am - 7:45am
\$100, JHS Band Room & JHS Auditorium

Percussion Ensemble

This ensemble studies and performs percussion-specific music from a variety of composers and in a variety of styles.

Thursdays, Oct 7 - May 19; 7:15am - 7:45am
\$50, JHS Band Room & JHS Auditorium

Brass Ensemble

This ensemble studies and performs brass-specific music from a variety of composers and in a variety of styles.

Tuesdays, Oct 5 - May 17; 7:15am - 7:45am
\$50, JHS Band Room & JHS Auditorium

Woodwind Ensemble

This ensemble studies and performs woodwind-specific music from a variety of composers and in a variety of styles.

Mondays, Oct 4 - May 16; 7:15am - 7:45am
\$50, JHS Band Room & JHS Auditorium

YOUTH RECREATION

Preschool Playtime

Ages Birth-5

NEW DAYS THIS FALL! Allow your preschooler to use up some excess energy at the CERC! Our equipment is the perfect size for children ages 5 and under, plus a bouncy house. Parents/guardian required to stay with their children and supervise. No registration required!

YEAR-ROUND

Mon/Thur/Fri (No Holidays), Aug 30 - June 3; 9am - 11am
FREE for CERC members
Non-members \$2/child (adult(s) free) CERC Gym
No reg needed

Fall Cheer Clinic

Grades K-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Coach Shania Ruehling

We are excited to host our fall youth Cheer clinic for all interested individuals. This clinic will provide the opportunity to learn cheers and routines to support their teams with. **This clinic will also include a performance at Hubmen Football game on Thursday, October 7.** Students from JES will walk with a staff member to JMS.

GRADES K-2 (2021-2022 school year)

Mon-Thurs, Oct 4 - 7; 3pm - 4pm
\$40 (w/ t-shirt if reg by Sep 22), JMS Multi Room
Reg by Sep 22 Min 5 / Max 50

GRADES 3-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Mon-Thurs, Oct 4 - 7; 4pm - 5pm
\$40 (w/ t-shirt if reg by Sep 22), JMS Multi Room
Reg by Sep 22 Min 5 / Max 50

Fall Dance Youth Clinic

Grades K-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Coach Jill Bartels

We are so excited to hold our fall youth clinic for dancers of all levels. Dancers will get the opportunity to learn routines, dance with high school dancers, grow and develop dance skills, perform at the football game and most importantly have fun! The youth clinic will have 3 practices leading up to **a performance at the Hubmen football game on Thursday, Oct 7.** Kids should wear dance-able clothes and tennis shoes for practices. For final details watch your email on September 15, coming from Coach Jill. If you have questions or concerns please email her at jbartels@isd717.org. Students from JES will walk with a staff member to the CERC. All dancers who register by Sept. 22, will receive a Youth Clinic long sleeve to wear for their performance.

GRADES K-2 (2021-2022 school year)

Mon-Thurs, Oct 4 - 7; 4pm - 5pm
\$40 (w/ t-shirt if reg by Sep 22), CERC Gym 3
Reg by Sep 22 Min 5 / Max 50

GRADES 3-6 (2021-2022 school year)

Mon-Thurs, Oct 4 - 7; 3pm - 4pm
\$40 (w/ t-shirt if reg by Sep 22), CERC Gym 3
Reg by Sep 22 Min 5 / Max 50

Youth Night - Hubmen Football

Oct 7 | Students in dance and cheer clinics, and grades K-2 football will get into the game free. Tickets required for families. Adults \$7, Students \$5.

KICKIN' OFF FALL WITH SOCCER SHOTS

Soccer Shots - Mini: *Ages 2 - 3*

Instructor: Soccer Shots

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.

Saturdays, Sep 11 - Oct 30; 9am - 9:45am

\$108, Green Space 6 (JES)

Reg by Sep 10 Min 5 / Max 20

Soccer Shots - Classic: *Ages 4 - 5*

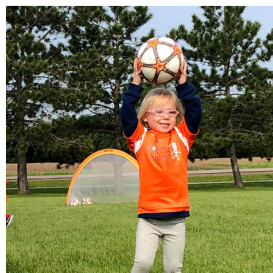
Instructor: Soccer Shots

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.

Saturdays, Sep 11 - Oct 30; 10am - 10:45am

\$108, Green Space 6 (JES)

Reg by Sep 10 Min 5 / Max 20



Soccer Shots - Premier: *Ages 6 - 8*

Instructor: Soccer Shots

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 the game as they prepare to play on competitive teams.

Saturdays, Sep 11 - Oct 30; 11am - 11:45am

\$108, Green Space 6 (JES)

Reg by Sep 10 Min 5 / Max 20



Youth Cross Country

Grades 1-5 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Ben Nylander and Katie Fisher

This is an opportunity for 1st - 5th graders to experience real cross country! Athletes will participate in 6 scheduled practices before competing in 2 (3) cross country races against Belle Plaine athletes. Athletes will be picked up from JES and walked to practice each day. After practice, parents can pick up athletes from the Activities entrance (Door #14) at JHS. Families will be responsible to provide transportation to meets.

PRACTICES

Mon/Wed, Sep 13 - Oct 4*; 3pm - 4pm

*A home meet replaces practice on Sep 29

\$30 (includes t-shirt), Green Space 2

Reg by Sep 6 Min 5 / Max 50

RACES Times TBD

Wed, Sep 29; (Jordan)

Wed, Oct 6; (Belle Plaine)

Tues, Oct 12; Jordan Invitational

VOLLEYBALL



Intro to Volleyball

Grades K-4 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Coach Tammy Stensland and team

Players will focus on the basic fundamentals of volleyball including passing, setting and serving. Players will be coached by the Junior Varsity coach and players.

Tuesdays, Sep 14 - Sep 28; 3pm - 4pm

\$49, JES Gym

Reg by Sep 7 Min 6 / Max 40

Volleyball - Grade 5

Grade 5 (2021-2022 school year)

Community Ed Youth volleyball will provide an opportunity for players to continue to develop their basic fundamentals while playing in a recreational league. Practices will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and games will be played on Saturdays against neighboring towns. **Please bring knee pads, tennis shoes, and a water bottle.**

PRACTICES

Tues/Thurs, Aug 31 - Nov 6 (no Oct 21); 5pm - 6pm

\$79, CERC Gym

Reg by Aug 24 Min 6 / Max 24

GAMES Times TBD

Saturdays: Sep 25, Oct 2, 9, 16, 30, Nov 6.

Volunteer Coaches Needed!

Volleyball - Grade 6

Grade 6 (2021-2022 school year)

Community Ed Youth volleyball will provide an opportunity for players to continue to develop their basic fundamentals while playing in a recreational league. Practices will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and games will be played on Saturdays against neighboring towns. **Please bring knee pads, tennis shoes, and a water bottle.**

PRACTICES

Tues/Thurs, Aug 31 - Nov 6 (no Oct 21); 6pm - 7pm

\$79, CERC Gym

Reg by Aug 24 Min 6 / Max 24

GAMES Times TBD

Saturdays: Sep 25, Oct 2, 9, 16, 30, Nov 6.

Volunteer Coaches Needed!



Scott West Panther Cubs

Wrestlers must wear wrestling shoes, athletic shorts/pants, and a t-shirt during practice.

Beginner Level

Grades PreK+ (2021-2022 school year)

For wrestlers, with 0-3 years experience, the beginner level starts working on the basic foundations of wrestling at an easy to learn pace. We focus on position, movement, level change, along with other basic wrestling skills on the mat and on the feet. We put a strong emphasis on athletic development and creating a fun and safe environment. Options for individual and team tournaments will be available. Wrestlers must be 4 years old by November 1st.

Parent Meeting Tuesday, Oct 26 at 6:30pm JHS Wrestling Room.

Mons and Thurs, Nov 15 - Mar 15; 6pm - 7:30pm

\$75

Belle Plaine Chatfield Elementary School on Mondays and JHS Wrestling Room on Thursdays

Advanced Level

Must have 3+ years of experience

For wrestlers with 3+ years experience and continues to focus on good position, movement, level changes along with basic and more advanced wrestling skills both on the feet and on the mat. We put a strong emphasis on further development of wrestling skills for wrestlers who want to advance to the next level. High Level competition opportunities for both the individual and team type tournaments.

Parent Meeting Tuesday, Oct 26 at 6:30pm JHS Wrestling Room.

Tues and Thurs, Nov 16 - Mar 16; 6pm - 7:30pm

\$75

JHS Multipurpose Room on Tuesdays and Belle Plaine Chatfield Elementary School on Thursdays



YOUTH BASKETBALL GRADES K-6

GRADES K - 2

Grades K - 2 Basketball

Instructor: Varsity Head Coaches and Players

For boys and girls in grades K-2 during the 2021-2022 school year. Players will focus on the basic fundamentals of basketballs and utilize their newly learned skills in game like situations each practice. Players will be coached by varsity head coaches and players. **Please wear athletic clothing, gym shoes and bring a water bottle.**

Saturdays, Jan 15 & 22; 9am - 10:30am

\$30, JHS Gym

Reg by Jan 8

Min 5 / Max 50

GRADE 3

Grade 3 Basketball

Instructor: Jordan Community Ed

For boys and girls in grade 3 during the 2021-2022 school year. Community Ed Youth basketball will provide an opportunity for players to continue to develop their basic fundamentals while playing in a recreational league. Practices will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, games will be played on Saturdays against neighboring towns.

Practices: Tues/Thurs, Dates TBD; CERC Gym

Times to be determined

Games: Saturdays, Dec 11, Jan 8, 22, 29, Feb 5, 19, 26

Register: [GIRLS](#) | [BOYS](#)

GRADE 4

Grade 4 Basketball

Instructor: Jordan Community Ed

For boys and girls in grade 4 during the 2021-2022 school year. Community Ed Youth basketball will provide an opportunity for players to continue to develop their basic fundamentals while playing in a recreational league. Practices will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, games will be played on Saturdays against neighboring towns.

Practices: Tues/Thurs, Dates TBD; CERC Gym

Times to be determined

Games: Saturdays, Dec 11, Jan 8, 22, 29, Feb 5, 19, 26

Register: [GIRLS](#) | [BOYS](#)

GRADES 5 & 6

Grades 5 & 6 Basketball

Instructor: Jordan Community Ed

For boys and girls in grades 5 & 6 during the 2021-2022 school year. Community Ed Youth basketball will provide an opportunity for players to continue to develop their basic fundamentals while playing in a recreational league. Practices will be held on Tuesdays and Thursdays, games will be played on Saturdays against neighboring towns.

Practices: Tues/Thurs, Dates TBD; CERC Gym

Times to be determined

Games: Saturdays, Dec 11, Jan 8, 22, 29, Feb 5, 19, 26

Register: [GIRLS](#) | [BOYS](#)

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. Contact Andi Nold with questions at anold@isd717.org or 952-492-4266.

Jaguar Basketball:

Fall Skills and 1-on-1

Grades 3-7 (2021-2022 school year)

Instructor: Leah Aamlid

Players will focus on skill development for the first 30 minutes of each day. Players will then have the opportunity to implement the skills learned into 1-on-1 sessions. Each player will receive a Jaguar basketball water bottle! **Please wear athletic clothing and tennis shoes.**

Mon - Wed, Sep 20 - 22; 3pm - 4:15pm

\$30, CERC Gym

Reg by Sep 8

Min 15 / Max 45

Basketball Official Clinic

Ages 13+ Instructor: Chris Olson

This clinic will provide the necessary knowledge and tools to be an effective official for youth basketball. The rules, proper positioning, and mechanics, along with game management will be discussed in this clinic.

Monday, Oct 11; 5pm - 6:30pm

\$39, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 4

Min 5 / Max 30

Youth Umpire Clinic

Ages 13+

MORE DETAILS RELEASED IN WINTER BROCHURE!

Join Pete Haller in this clinic designed to prepare individuals for being an umpire for youth baseball/softball.

Trap Team – Fall League

Grades 6-12

(Age 12 by July 31 & Firearms Safety Certificate)

Sporting Clays Team - Fall League

Grades 9-12

(Grade 9 min., 2 years on Trap Team or Proficiency test)



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 to 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 competition league students who want to keep up on their skills. Students must have their own 12 (preferred) or 20 gauge shotgun in good working order.

Registration is open, updates for fall league are coming soon!

Please email jhstrapteam@gmail.com to be included in future communications.



The Jordan Football Association is proud to team up with Jordan Community Education and Recreation to offer youth football for kids in grades K-6. The Jordan Football Association was formed to provide a platform for football skill development for ALL football players in Jordan. We will provide an environment that teaches respect, teamwork and sportsmanship, while pushing each athlete to be the best they can be.

DEADLINES

\$20 Late Registration Fee for registrations after August 13.

****PLEASE register by the deadline as it influences how many teams we have and shirt orders.**



KICKOFF BBQ

Join us to kick off the season with a BBQ! Everyone is welcome to join our coaches and staff as we start the season! *All Jordan youth are invited to participate in the 1st Annual Punt, Pass, Kick competition on Ames Field. Prizes will be awarded to all grade level winners.

- Thursday, August 19, 2021
- 5pm at Ames Field



PICTURE DAY

- Sunday, September 12
- Starting at 12pm
- More details to come!

For Our Coaches Only

COACHES MEETING

All Jordan Community Youth Football Coaches should attend the coaches meeting and instructional clinic. This will be a chance to review our program goals, policies, and philosophy. We will also discuss how teams will be split and how to conduct practices.

- Monday, Aug 30; 6pm, CERC Multi Room

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.

- Monday, Aug 30; starting at 6:30pm, CERC Multi Room

GRADES K-4

Kindergarten Nerf Football

For boys and girls in Kindergarten during the 2021-2022 school year. This is an introduction to flag football for all of our 2021 Kindergartners. It is a great opportunity to begin to learn the game, get active, and play some football. *Weather cancellation: Games will be rescheduled to Thursdays of the same week*

Tuesdays, Sep 7 - Oct 5

5:45pm - 6:45pm, Green Space 2

\$60 by Aug 13, \$70 after Aug 13

Intro to Flag Football

For boys and girls in grades 1 and 2 during the 2021-2022 school year. At this level, we will continue 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 offensive and defensive play, teamwork, and will have a lot of fun in the process. We will ensure that each player receives equal opportunities at different positions.

Tues/Thurs, Sep 7 - Oct 7

5:30pm - 7pm, Field #2

\$70 by Aug 13, \$80 after Aug 13

Flag Football

For boys and girls in grades 3 and 4 during the 2021-2022 school year. 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 will compete and continue to develop as players. We will stress that each player receives equal opportunities at the various positions, on both offense and defense. *Practice will be held from 5:30pm - 6pm, followed by a game from 6pm - 7pm.*

Tues/Thurs, Sep 2 - Oct 7

5:30pm - 7pm, Green Space 1

**Hubmen Bowl, Saturday, Oct 9, 2:30pm

\$85 by Aug 13, \$95 after Aug 13

GRADES 5 & 6 TACKLE

Tackle Football

For boys and girls in grades 5 and 6 during the 2021-2022 school year. This program focuses on developing safe and responsible techniques that will allow athletes to enjoy the game of football, into the future. This league requires some travel to neighboring towns. The goal of tackle football is to help each young athlete develop as a person through situations and challenges that the game provides. Each player will receive a helmet, shoulder pads, practice jersey and pants, game jersey and black game pants.

Practice: Tues/Thurs, 6pm - 7:30pm for Aug 24 - Sep 9

5:30pm - 7pm for Sep 14 - Oct 7

Green Space 3 & 4

Games: Saturdays, Ames Field (dates and times TBD)

**Hubmen Bowl, Saturday, Oct 9, 6pm

\$195 by Aug 13, \$205 after Aug 13

HALFTIME

The Kindergarten - grade 2 teams will play at halftime of the Hubmen game on Thursday, October 7. This will be a great exhibition for the kids to play under the lights in front of the community.

YOUTH HUBMEN BOWL

The final event of the 2021 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.

- Saturday, October 9, 2021; Ames Field
- Grades 3-4 : 2:30pm
- Grades 5-6: 6pm

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. Must be 14 1/2 years of age by the first day of class to register for Driver's Education. Point of Impact Meeting.

Classroom Instruction: 30 hrs

Classroom includes lecture, class discussion, guest speakers, films, written work 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. **Once your student has received their permit please contact Jamie Fremming (952-492-6211) to schedule behind the wheel.** Please note, your student may be placed on a waiting list. Offerings are based on instructors availability typically offered throughout the summer and limited fall and spring opportunities. If you are placed on the waiting list you will be contacted when an opening becomes available. 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.

Updated from printed brochure

Fall Session: Must be 14 1/2 years of age by the first day of class to register for Driver's Education.

Tuesday – Friday, Nov 2 – 5; 3:15pm - 6:15pm
Tuesday – Friday, Nov 9 – 12; 3:15pm - 6:15pm
Tuesday – Wednesday, Nov 16 – 17; 3:15pm - 6:15pm

Virtual Class - participate in your own home!
\$342 Min 5 / Max 20

\$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 ****
“Point of Impact”
Parent and Student
Information Meeting
TO BE SCHEDULED AFTER
REGISTRATION



ADULT ENRICHMENT

Improv for the Beginner

Ages 16+ Instructor: Mark Knutson

Improv for the Beginner will provide a basic introduction to Improv and a way to experience it first-hand. This class will teach the basic skills and methods used in Improv through group exercises. The skills learned in Improv can be used in everyday life. The only required experience is FUN!

SESSION ONE:

Thursday, Sep 30; 6:30pm - 8:30pm
\$20, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 23 Min 4 / Max 10

SESSION TWO:

Wednesday, Nov 10; 6:30pm - 8:30pm
\$20, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Nov 3 Min 4 / Max 10

Introduction to Voiceovers

Ages 18+ Instructor: Voices for All

Explore the fun, rewarding possibilities of the voiceover industry! Discover current trends and how they make it easy and affordable for just about anyone to get involved. You'll learn about different types of voiceovers and tools you'll need to find success. Your instructor, a professional voice actor from Voices For All, will take notes as you read a real script in this one-on-one video chat setting, and offer some coaching to improve your delivery. You'll receive a professional voiceover evaluation later. One-time, 90-minute, introductory class. Learn more at: <http://www.voicesforall.com/ooo>.

Student is contacted after registration is completed to schedule 1:1 session.

\$49, online class

Tae Kwon Do

Ages 6+ Instructor: Linda Kroells

Come learn the traditional martial art of Tae Kwon Do, great fun for the whole family. Courtesy, integrity, self-control, perseverance, and discipline are all part of Tae Kwon Do. Beginners will learn techniques for the first level and advanced students will continue at their current levels. Wear clean, loose clothing and bring a water bottle.

FALL SESSION 1:

Wednesdays, Sep 15 - Oct 20; 4:45pm - 5:45pm
\$42, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Sep 8 Min 8 / Max 20

FALL SESSION 2:

Wednesdays, Oct 27 - Dec 1; 4:45pm - 5:45pm
\$42, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Oct 20 Min 8 / Max 20

WINTER SESSION 1:

Wednesdays, Dec 8 - Dec 22; 4:45pm - 5:45pm
\$21, CERC Multi Room

Reg by Dec 1 Min 8 / Max 20

Min 8 / Max 20

Need to Know Changes to the College Planning Process

Instructor: College Inside Track

This past year has resulted in some of the most significant changes to the college planning process in decades. Schools have gone ACT/SAT optional, but not necessarily when they award scholarships. Recent legislation included substantial changes to the FAFSA and college financial aid. Behind-the-scenes rules have changed on how colleges can recruit students and award scholarships. Join us to learn how these changes may impact your family, and new strategies to consider to give your student the best opportunity to be admitted and maximize scholarships and financial aid. If you are the parent of a HS student in grades 9-11, this is incredibly important info you will not want to miss. Register today!

Wednesday, Oct 13; 7pm

\$10, Virtual Class - participate in your own home!

Reg by Oct 6

COOKING CLASSES!

Let's Make Dinner

Ages 13+ (Ages 7-12 can attend with guardian)

Instructor: Heather Novak

In this class you will make two pans of rich, comforting, cheesy lasagna; one for now and one to freeze or give to another family. In addition, you will also make homemade savory garlic bread. Set aside this time to make a dish we all love yet, don't make often because of the time it takes. Plus your dinner is made, and answers the question... "what's for dinner?"

Wednesday, Oct 6; 6:30pm - 9pm

\$24, JMS FACS Room 311

Reg by Sep 29 Min 4 / Max 10

Chocolate Truffles, Creamy Caramels

Ages 16+ Instructor: Heather Novak

Decadent, smooth, rich chocolates and creamy, melt in your mouth, caramels are a must have for the upcoming holiday season or really for anytime. This hands on class will teach you how to make simple truffles, filled bon-bons and caramels. Come learn to work with chocolate and caramel, make a sweet gift, or just have fun. **Please bring a container and parchment paper to bring your treats home in.**

Wednesday, Nov 10; 6:30pm - 9pm

\$21, JMS FACS Room 311

Reg by Nov 3 Min 4 / Max 15

AARP Smart Driver Course

Instructor: Robert Nordin

Drivers age 55 and older have an opportunity to save on their auto insurance premiums. This class offers methods that help compensate for normal age-related hearing, vision and other physical changes. Those attending receive and follow along in a workbook, view slides and receive additional information from a qualified instructor. Upon completion each person receives a Completion Certificate. Those who have never attended must attend the 8 hr course. You must bring your drivers license to class.

SESSION 1: 8 Hour Course

Mon/Tues, Oct 4 & Oct 5; 5pm - 9pm

\$35, CERC Multi Room

Min 5 / Max 20

Creepy Cupcakes

Ages 12+ (Ages 5-11 can attend with guardian)

Instructor: Heather Novak

Learn to decorate cupcakes into scary monsters, spooky spider-webs, and other imaginative creatures, using buttercream frosting and candies. Perfect for kids who love to be in the kitchen and want to learn a little about cake decorating or have an artistic flair. All cupcakes, frosting and cake decorating tips will be provided.

Please bring a cupcake tin or 19 x 13 pan to bring your creations home in and your imagination!

Thursday, Oct 28; 6:30pm - 8pm

\$19, JMS FACS Room 311

Reg by Oct 21 Min 4 / Max 10

Write Your Own Will

Instructor: Jim Ramette

This online course is conducted by Jim Ramette, Attorney at Law. Jim will help you to write your own Will in an engaging and interesting seminar format. He will present a short background on Wills, and then explain the unique legal PDF Will he developed which allows you to write, and change, a Will for your circumstances. You may change/update your Will - privately in your home - as often as you decide without additional cost, using the free Adobe® Reader®.

Professional. Private. Secure. Affordable. Write your own Will using your computer; update it at any time at no additional cost. This is more than a general information course! Married or single, with or without children - it is important to have a Will to convey your wishes, have control over the distribution of your property, and to appoint your children's guardians. Using the professionally designed Self-Help WILL, you will easily write and revise a legal Will for your needs, securely and privately, using your own computer. Discuss questions with instructor. Following class you will complete your Will in the privacy of your home.

For people with less than \$11 million in assets. Computer needed for online class. This class is being held online using a webinar service. More information will be sent after enrollment and before class. Post-class computer and email are needed as materials are accessed by free Acrobat Reader software.

Fall Session One:

Tuesday, Sep 14; 7pm - 8:30pm

\$74, Virtual Class - participate in your own home!

Reg by Sep 7 Min 1 / Max 7

Fall Session Two:

Thursday, Oct 7; 7pm - 8:30pm

\$74, Virtual Class - participate in your own home!

Reg by Sep 30 Min 1 / Max 5

Pumpkin Pals Painting Party

Ages 5+ and helper (18+ please)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

Spend an enjoyable evening painting ceramic creations together. Pairs will work together to paint a ceramic pumpkin jar (6x6") and a jolly jack-o-lantern (4x5.75") that you can use to decorate for the entire autumn season. You'll select the colors of your choice during class. Due to the size of the space, only registered individuals will be allowed to attend class. Please dress appropriately for painting!

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

\$50

Reg by Sep 16 Min 8 pairs / Max 16 pairs



Merry and Bright Christmas Lights

Ages 5+ and helper (18+ please)

Instructor: Kristin Kilgren

Looking to get in the Christmas spirit while crafting with your kiddo? Child (5+) will paint a mini night light Christmas tree (3.5") to help make sure Santa can see and make his way to your tree. Light up your tabletop this season with this lighted Christmas tree! Helper (18+ please) will paint a vintage ceramic Christmas tree (11") which comes with a light kit that includes a base light bulb, colorful mini lights and yellow star tree topper. You'll select the colors of your choice during class. Due to the size of the space, only registered individuals will be allowed to attend class.

Tuesday, Nov 30; 6:30pm - 7:30pm

\$60

Reg by Nov 16 Min 8 pairs / Max 16 pairs



Check out our SENIOR CORNER on page 33!



Take in a Show!

A Bench in the Sun

Ages 18+ Instructor: Day Trippers Theater

When Adrienne Bliss, a once famous actress, moves into Valley View Gardens retirement home, Burt and Harold, two long time friends, compete for her attention. Think the Odd Couple + Sunshine Boys + Grumpy Old Men – “Very wise, very moving, and most of all, very funny!” Mel Brooks. This play starred Tim Conway of the Carol Burnett show in it’s original production.

Wednesday, Oct 6; 11am - 4pm
\$70, Day Trippers Dinner Theatre

Depart: 11am
Clancy's Bar & Pizza Parlor (202 Triangle Lane N., Jordan
Return: 4pm

Savvy Social Security for Couples

Ages 55+ Instructor: Rolf White - Business and Family Advisors

The Social Security decisions you and your spouse make when you are in your 60s will determine the amount of total income you will receive over your lifetime – including the lifetime of the spouse who lives the longest. Come learn about some little-known rules that can help married couples get more out of the Social Security system.

Monday, Sep 20; 6:30pm - 8pm
\$9, JMS Quotations Lab Room 202
Reg by Sep 13 Min 5 / Max 20

Savvy Social Security for Women

Ages 55+ Instructor: Rolf White - Business and Family Advisors

Social Security is one of the few income sources that keeps up with inflation and last for life. But most women fail to maximize their benefits because they don't understand the little-known rules that can help them get more out of the system. In this class, women will learn what they need to know about retirement income and social security. Plus, rules and strategies that they need to know about their own benefits and spousal benefits.

Tuesday, Oct 5; 6:30pm - 8:15pm
\$5, JMS Quotations Lab Room 202
Reg by Sep 28 Min 5 / Max 20

Taxes in Retirement

Ages 55+ Instructor: Rolf White - Business and Family Advisors

Do you want to get the most out of your retirement income? Understanding how different sources of retirement income are taxed is a key step. Attend this educational workshop to learn how to get more bang for your buck in retirement.

Wednesday, Dec 8; 6:30pm - 8pm
\$5, JMS Quotation Lab 202
Reg by Dec 1 Min 5 / Max 20



Register on **ACTIVENET** | 952-492-6211



COFFEE TALK

Join us for this free opportunity for older adults! In partnership with the Jordan Senior Citizens' Club. Different topics each month to benefit our community.

SEPTEMBER COFFEE TALK Severe Weather with Ron Holbeck – A discussion on weather threats in Scott County, to include how to identify and prepare for those threats. The talk will also provide a historical perspective on natural hazards in Scott County, and will also highlight the Scott County Outdoor Siren Policy. *Ron Hobeck - Deputy Emergency Management Director*

Thursday, September 16
10am - 11am; FREE
Schule Haus
100 4th St W, Jordan

OCTOBER COFFEE TALK The Statue of Liberty: The History and Legacy of America's Most Iconic Statue – Join educator, historian, and speaker Frank Sachs as he chronicles the design and construction of Lady Liberty and what she was supposed to represent and has come to represent today. Along the way, we will meet the integral people, visit the important places relevant to its construction. You will also learn about the significant events that led to the statue's creation and the ultimate choice of location. You will even learn a little bit about the statues' connection to Ellis Island for good measure. Come prepared to learn about the Statue of Liberty like you never have before and all-in-one hour.

Thursday, October 21
10am - 11am; FREE
The CERC
500 Sunset Drive, Jordan

NOVEMBER COFFEE TALK K-9 Demonstration – K-9 Demos are designed to portray the skill involved and the work performed by the K-9 teams on a daily basis. The demonstration includes basic obedience, agility, and simulated criminal apprehension.

Thursday, November 18
10am - 11am; FREE
The CERC
500 Sunset Drive, Jordan

DECEMBER COFFEE TALK Holiday Party – We will be hosting a holiday party with entertainment from the Jordan High School Choir.

Thursday, December 21
10am - 11am; FREE
Schule Haus
100 4th St W, Jordan

SENIOR RESOURCES

Senior Activities at The CERC **(952) 492-6211**

Open daily 8am – 9pm. **FREE** offerings at The CERC include – elevated walking track for ages 60+, coffee Monday - Friday 6am-12pm, and Move Your Body exercise class (see page 35)!

Senior Activities at Shule Haus **(952) 492-2084**

There are many exciting activities and services happening weekly at the Jordan Senior Center at the Schule Haus. Call for more information.

Jordan Senior Citizens Club at the Shule Haus

Meets the first Thursday of the month at 2pm at the Schule Haus. Dues are \$2 per year which includes a free chicken dinner once a year. 100 W 4th Street, Jordan (entrance is on the alley side)

Register on **ACTIVENET** | 952-492-6211



Spark & Stitch Institute

Parent Education Classes

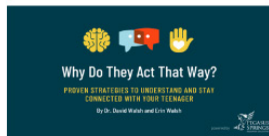
Parents and kids alike are facing unprecedented levels of stress and uncertainty. Juggling work, parenting, and schooling is not easy. Now, more than ever, parents deserve evidence-based support, affirmation, and concrete strategies that build family connection and resilience. Spark & Stitch Institute's engaging, warm, and practical online classes remind parents that they aren't alone in their struggles and build confidence and calm.



Say Yes to No

WHY KIDS NEED LOVING BOUNDARIES AND HOW TO SET THEM

By Dr. David Walsh and Lisa Walsh



CONNECTED

How to Show Up for Your Kids in the Digital Age



By Lisa Walsh

Available Classes

- Say Yes to No: Why Kids Need Loving Boundaries & How to Set Them
Best for parents of kids ages 2 - 10
- Why Do They Act That Way? Proven Strategies to Understand & Stay Connected with your Teenager
Best for parents of kids ages 10 - 18
- Connected: How to Show Up for Your Kids in the Digital Age
Best for parents of kids ages 8 - 15

Register Online

www.jordan.k12.mn.us/commed

Search for the class

Click on **Register Online Here** in the description
You will complete registration using the Spark & Stitch Website



2021 Scott County Senior Expo

OCTOBER 22, 2021 8am - 1pm

Event includes: Continental Breakfast, Vendor Exhibits, Entertainment, Lunch, Prize Drawings, Health Screenings, and Keynote Speaker, Bobby Jensen, Master Gardener, Grow with KARE on KARE 11.

Event Location:
Twin Oaks Middle School
15860 Fish Point Rd SE
Prior Lake, MN

Fee: \$15

To Register:

Registration opens August 9
Online: www.shakopeemn.gov/registration

Mail:

Shakopee Community Center,
1255 Fuller Street, Shakopee, MN



ADULT RECREATION

Move Your Body

Ages 50+ Instructor: Vicki Fricke, Certified Trainer

Class will include a mixture of basic movement exercise, weights, floor exercises and stretching. Class is for all fitness levels. Instructor can modify movements to meet your needs. **Please bring an exercise mat, water and wear comfortable clothing.**

Tuesdays, Oct 5 - Dec 7; 9:30am - 10am

FREE, CERC Multi Room

Please complete registration process online or at front desk prior to attending first class.

Fall Body Fat Burn with Ben

Ages 16+ Instructor: Ben Foss, Personal Trainer

Join CERC personal trainer, Ben Foss, for this 60-minute full body workout that will ignite your fat-burning engine and builds strength. **Please bring an exercise mat, water, and wear workout clothes & tennis shoes.**

Tues/Thur, Sep 7 - Sep 30; 6pm - 7pm

CERC Multi Room

\$85 CERC members / \$95 non members

Reg by Sep 6

Move It & Lose It (OR Lose It)

Ages 18+ Instructor: Vicki Fricke, Certified Trainer

Did you know that after the age of 30, muscle mass, function, and strength can decrease by 3-8% per decade? Your metabolism slows down causing you to burn fewer calories throughout the day and gain weight easier. Who wants that? This class will help stop that loss and maybe even help you lose a few pounds. Class will include a combination of cardio exercise, resistance training, stretching and mat work. **Please bring an exercise mat, water, and wear workout clothes & tennis shoes.**

Wednesdays, Oct 6 - Nov 10; 6:15pm - 7pm
CERC Multi Room

\$35 CERC members / \$40 non members

Reg by Sep 15

Wednesday Gentle Yoga

Ages 14+ Instructor: Debi Kohlhardt

Yoga is a way to stretch and relax your body and mind. Find other people curious about increasing balance and strength in this gently paced class. Class will focus on mindful stretching to allow for whole self relaxation. **Please bring your own yoga mat, and wear comfortable clothing.**

SESSION 1:

Wednesdays, Sep 8 - Oct 27*; 11:15am - 12pm, CERC Multi Room

*No class Oct 6, Oct 20

\$50 CERC members / \$60 non members

Min 6 / Max 20

SESSION 2:

Wednesdays, Nov 3 - Dec 22*; 11:15am - 12pm, CERC Multi Room

*No class Nov 24, Dec 8

\$50 CERC members / \$60 non members

Min 6 / Max 14

OPEN GYM SCHEDULE (subject to change)

Day/Time	Activity	Location	More Detail
WEDNESDAY 6pm - 8pm	Open Basketball	CERC Court 3	\$4/ per night non member
THURSDAY 6pm - 8pm	Pickleball	CERC Court 1	\$4/ per night non member
SATURDAY 12pm - 3pm	Batting Cage	CERC Court 1	\$4/ per night non member Must be 14+ or under 14 with an adult to use the pitching machine
SUNDAY 12pm - 3pm	Tennis	CERC Gym	\$4/ per night non member Must be 14+ or under 14 with an adult to use the tennis machine

Ring the Bell Fitness

Ages 18+ Instructor: Audrey Lucas

Here we go Jordan adults! Ready to join great groups of athletes who push, motivate, inspire, and keep each other accountable? Ring The Bell Fitness workouts are full of variety, strength, CORE focused, sweaty, creative, and can be modified for all types of adult abilities and ages. Sessions run for 8 weeks meeting 3 days a week, Monday/Wednesday/Thursday. Expect opportunities to lift weights, get your cardio fix, and work with challenging equipment and fitness schemes that push everyone at their own pace. We do team and individual challenges that all levels of athletes can participate in and so much more to build our community Jordan Strong! This isn't a 1 time program or class, this is a true community that is being built to last!! Classes will never stop! **Bring a yoga mat and a bottle of water.**

SESSION 13
Mon/Wed/Thur, Aug 23 - Oct 14; 5am - 6am
\$79 CERC members / \$90 non members; CERC Gym
Reg by Aug 24 Min 5 / Max 30

SESSION 14
Mon/Wed/Thur, Oct 18 - Dec 9*; 5am - 6am
*No class Nov 25
\$79 CERC members / \$90 non members; CERC Gym
Reg by Oct 19 Min 5 / Max 30



Run/Walk of the Mill 5K
Saturday, September 11, 2021 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 and Lagoon Park is located at 300 Park Drive, Jordan, MN 55352.

Entry Fee: \$20 pre-registration fee
\$25 race day registrations (*race day registrations are not guaranteed a t-shirt*)

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. Race finishes at Lagoon Park. Strollers are allowed, but **no bikes, roller blades or pets.**

Awards: Top two top male and female finishers in each category receive award.

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

FIND THE RUN/WALK OF THE MILL ENTRY FORM ONLINE

1/2 Mile Family Fun Run
Saturday, September 11, 2021 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 Lagoon Park is located at 300 Park Drive, Jordan, MN 55352.

Entry Fee: **Adults are FREE!**
(non-refundable) Children 8 & under must be accompanied by an adult

WITH T-SHIRT:
\$10 pre-registration fee
\$15 race day registrations (*race day registrations are not guaranteed a t-shirt*)

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 ½ mile course is primarily flat and down hill. 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

FIND THE FAMILY FUN RUN ENTRY FORM ONLINE

PERSONAL TRAINING SESSIONS WITH VICKI

- 30 minute session: \$25
- 60 minute session: \$40

Small group sessions available upon request

– SCHEDULING –

Sessions are scheduled directly with Vicki.
Call or text 952-200-2531 to schedule.

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



VICKI FRICKE

PERSONAL TRAINING SESSIONS WITH BEN

- 30 minute session: \$25
- 60 minute session: \$40
- Nutrition Consult: FREE
- 30 minute Buddy Training: \$40
- 60 minute Buddy Training: \$60
- Monthly Individual Training Plan: \$35

– SCHEDULING –

Sessions are scheduled directly with Ben.

Call or text 612-750-5740 or email
bwfoss5@gmail.com to schedule.

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



BEN FOSS

Whatever good things we build
– end up building us.

– Jim Rohn

In March of 2014, Jordan School District residents voted to build the Community Education and Recreation Center or “The CERC.” This community gathering place is a center for

**recreation Growth
engagement partnership**

The CERC is dedicated to those who choose to invest in our community and create a space of opportunity!

become a Legacy Member

*We accept new
Legacy Memberships
year-round. Your
Legacy dollars
will enhance the
offerings and
amenities at the
CERC for all patrons.
Know you are making
a difference!*



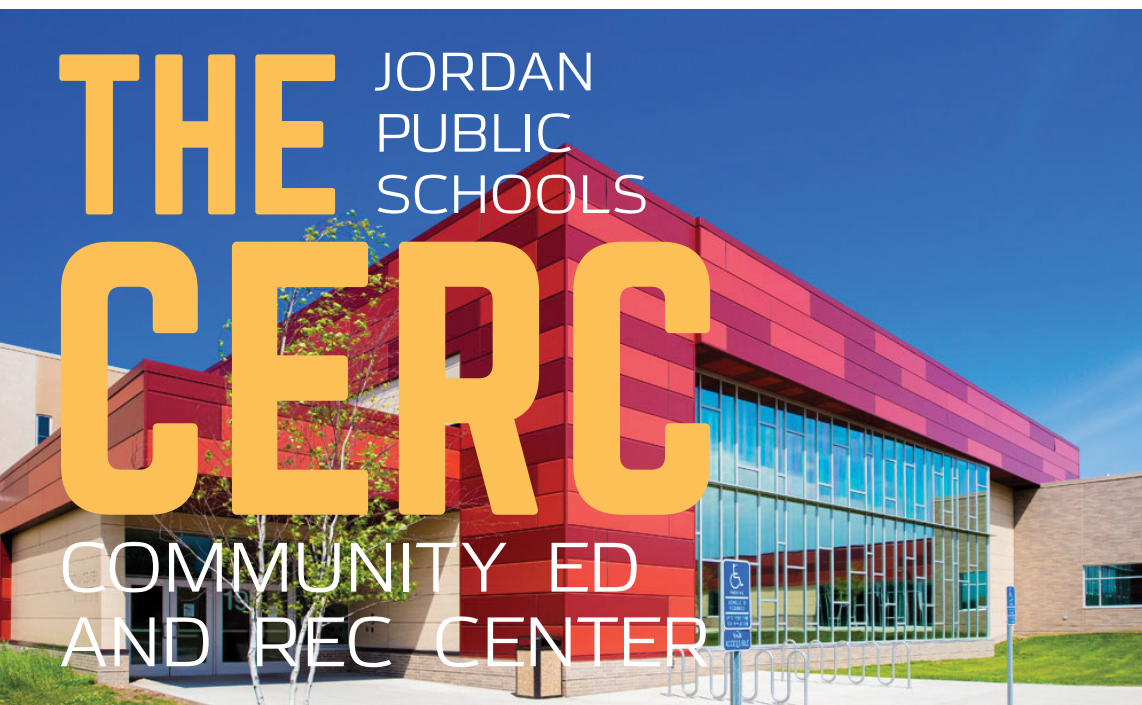
A \$350 donation will secure your Legacy Membership.
We always welcome larger and/or ongoing donations as well.

New Legacy Members will receive:

- *Exclusive monthly membership payments base on the annual fee*
- *Vouchers for CERC fitness classes during the first year of Legacy Membership (\$100 value)*
- *Name on the donor wall, at the CERC entrance, as a Legacy Member*



JOIN OUR “CERC PERSONAL TRAINING” FACEBOOK GROUP



THE CERC JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS COMMUNITY ED AND REC CENTER

HOURS: Starting September 1, 2021
Monday – Friday *5am – 9:30pm
*(fob access starting at 4am)
Saturday – Sunday *8am – 9:30pm
*(fob access starting at 7am)
(Hours subject to change based on facility usage.)

DAILY USER FEES:

Resident \$5
Non-Resident \$7
Elevated walking/running track* \$3
* Walking track is FREE for age 60+

Please check-in with front desk.

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.

Approved by
SilverSneakers®
SilverSneakers® is a health and fitness program designed for adults 65+ that's included with many Medicare Advantage Plans. For more information, visit with our staff.

Silver&Fit®
The Silver&Fit® exercise and healthy aging program is provided by American Specialty Health (ASH). It's designed specifically for older adults. You may get access to Silver&Fit® as a Medicare beneficiary through many insurance companies' Medicare Advantage and Supplement plans.

Renew Active
by **UnitedHealthcare**

Register on **ACTIVENET** | 952-492-6211

CERC BY THE NUMBERS

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batting cages and other many other rec options

2

locker rooms

3

gym stations

4

lane elevated walking/running track

80

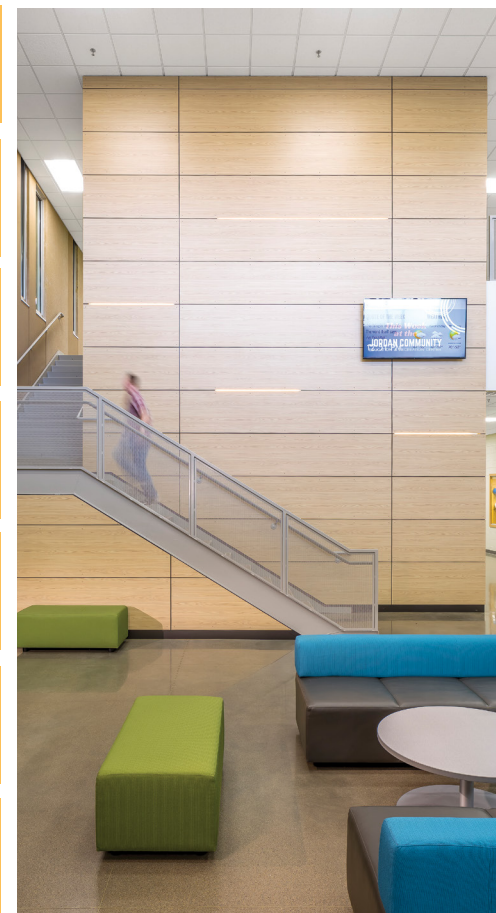
person multi-purpose room for meetings and celebrations, etc.

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!



RATES REMAIN THE SAME FOR 2021! JOIN TODAY!

Annual Membership Fees 2021:

	Resident*	Non-Resident
Family**	\$387	\$490
Adult	\$273	\$361
Senior (60+)	\$98	\$129
Student	\$98	\$150
Elevated walking/running track***	\$52	\$62

Monthly Membership Fees 2021:

	Resident*	Non-Resident
Family**	\$41	\$57
Adult	\$26	\$36
Senior (60+)	\$16	\$26
Student	\$16	\$26

*"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+.

BEING AN ANNUAL MEMBER HAS ITS 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!

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

JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS JOURNALIST

Communicating information, events, and activities of the Jordan Public Schools for over 38 years

Dear Jordan Parents, Guardians and Community Members,

It is exciting to be planning for a new school year! Fall is right around the corner and we cannot wait to see our students. We have learned so much this past school year and are confident we will have a safe and healthy start this fall.

We are planning for a more typical return to school this fall, and will continue to communicate with our school community as we learn any new information and finalize events. We remain committed to providing the best learning experiences possible for our students and look forward to seeing you at Open Houses, Football and Volleyball games and all of our traditional Fall activities!

I can't emphasize enough how much we look forward to having our students and staff begin this school year. We celebrate all that our students and staff have accomplished these past two years amid unique opportunities. . . Their flexibility, perseverance and incredible application of technology skills and learning in new ways was amazing. We are excited to leap forward equipped with these skills into the new opportunities 2021-2022 brings!

In this section of the Journalist, you will find updates about programming and projects from building and district administrators. Please take time to read through our important updates and check out the diverse course offerings through Jordan Community Education. We look forward to continuing to serve the community, our kids, and their evolving needs this school year.

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 by searching @ISD717.

Thank you for your continued support and partnership!

Sincerely,
Ranae Case Evenson
Superintendent



MORE ABOUT OUR DISTRICT!

- 2021-2022 District Calendar!
- New/returning school lunch options!
- Kick Start to Kindergarten highlights!
- Learn more about our new staff!



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2021-2022 ACADEMIC CALENDAR



JORDAN PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2021-2022 DISTRICT CALENDAR

July 2021				
M	T	W	T	F
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December 2021				
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No School
2 Hour Early Release
End of Quarter / Midterm

Adopted by Jordan School Board on: 2/8/21

January 2022				
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February 2022				
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March 2022				
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May 2022				
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June 2022				
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AUGUST	
18	5th Grade Jumpstart/WEB
23-26	Teacher Workshop Week
25	Middle and High School Open House/Resource Night
30-31	Gr. 1-4 Back to School Conferences and Curriculum Sharing
30-31	Kick Start to Kindergarten
30	First Day Grades 5-12 (Gr. 9 Freshman Focus on-site) (Gr. 10-12 online)
31	First Day in Building Grades 10-12
SEPTEMBER	
1	First Day Grades 1-4
1-3	Kindergarten Conferences / Planning
6	No School: Labor Day
7	First Day Kindergarten and Preschool
24	2 Hour Early Release: Professional Development
OCTOBER	
18	HS Conferences / MS Conferences (Digital Learning Day Gr. 5-8)
21-22	No School
NOVEMBER	
4	End of 1st Quarter / ES PM Conferences
5	No School: Professional Development / ES AM Conferences
11	High School Conferences
18	Middle School Conferences
24	2 Hour Early Release: Professional Development
25-26	No School: Thanksgiving Break
DECEMBER	
23-31	No School: Winter Break
JANUARY	
3	No School: Winter Break (New Year's Day Observed)
17	No School: MLK Day / Professional Development
20	End of 2nd Quarter and 1st Semester
21	No School: Professional Development
FEBRUARY	
11	2 Hour Early Release: Professional Development
21	No School: President's Day
22	Middle School Conferences (Digital Learning Day Gr. 5-8)
MARCH	
10	High School Conferences
17	Middle School Conferences
24	End of 3rd Qtr / Midterm / ES PM Conferences
25	No School: Professional Development / ES AM Conferences
28-31	No School: Spring Break
APRIL	
1	No School: Spring Break
15	No School
MAY	
6	2 Hour Early Release: Staff Development
28	Commencement
30	No School: Memorial Day
JUNE	
2	Last Student Day / 2 Hour Early Release

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Jordan Early Learning Services: 952-492-3233 / 952-492-4255 (Attendance)
Jordan Elementary School: 952-492-2336 / 952-492-4444 (Attendance)
Jordan Middle School: 952-492-2332 / 952-492-4477 (Attendance)
Jordan High School: 952-492-4400 / 952-492-4488 (Attendance)

* Calendars are subject to change. Always refer to the district website for the most up-to-date information.

NUTRITIONAL SERVICES | Jordan Nutritional Services is very excited to welcome back all of our students this fall! This coming year, the USDA has issued a waiver that provides **free breakfast and lunch for all students starting this fall through June 30th, 2022!** We are very happy the USDA is again providing free meals for our students this coming school year. We are also hopeful that we can again offer salad bars and second hot options to our students when we begin back in August.

New at Jordan High school is a Grab and Go Hot Entree option that will be offered everyday. This includes student favorites such as hamburgers, chicken patties, pizza, hot dogs, etc. as a second option to our daily hot meal choice.

At Jordan Middle school we will add back our Full Salad bar option for students and a different hot entree option on Tuesdays and Thursdays. At our Elementary school we are also exploring a second lunch option each day for students. We have done "Kidsables" in the past and are now exploring how we can make that option even better, so stay tuned!

We are all very excited to be bringing our meal options back for students to enjoy this coming school year!



TEACHING AND LEARNING | The 2020-2021 school year was a year unlike any other. Families, students, and staff have worked through hybrid, distance, and in-person learning schedules compounded with quarantines, changing guidance, and shifting academic models. Although the past school year brought endless change to the traditional educational model, what did not change was the district's dedication to connecting with and supporting our students, especially during challenging times.

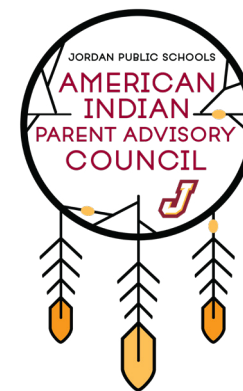
With all these changes, the past school year was a time to **Transform and Reimagine** education. Consequently, the primary focus of professional development was giving all staff the **TOOLS** and **TIME** needed to flip an educational model, support curriculum needs, and learn new strategies all aimed at meeting the needs of students in a virtual and on-site setting. However at the same time, it was also important to bridge goals, work, and planning pre-COVID with what the future of education looks like now. As a district, we have focused on project and inquiry based learning to offer students opportunities to connect their classroom learning environments to personal passions through experiential learning. Aligning a 21st century curriculum focused on helping students connect classroom life to the world around them developing critical thinking, creativity, collaboration, and communication while adhering to the standards was also a priority. If education during COVID has taught us anything, it is to keep pushing and reinventing "traditional" classroom life to meet the evolving needs of our students.

Looking ahead to this school year, it is important to take what we have all learned through these constantly changing and sometimes challenging COVID years into consideration as this growth will influence how education looks in the future. Restructuring time, continuing a focus on student-centered learning models, reimagining the educator's role in the classroom, supporting curriculum resources, and understanding a changing school culture are only some of the ways education continues to transform post-COVID. COVID simply reaffirmed that our classrooms must continually focus on helping students connect classroom life to the world around them, develop critical thinking, focus on creativity, support collaboration, and develop strong communication skills. Through standards based instruction as a solid foundation, the district will continue striving to create these innovative learners by offering authentic learning experiences **connecting to life beyond the classroom walls.**

— Dr. Erin Hjelmeland, Director of Teaching and Learning

SPECIAL SERVICES | The Jordan Special Education Advisory Council or SEAC (pronounced "seek") is a group of district special education staff, community members and parents that provides input to the Director of Student Support Services for students who are on IEPs (Individualized Education Plans). Its purpose is to advise and advocate, not to decide policy. Local SEACs advise school districts on the development of programs and services to meet the special educational needs of children and families. By sharing their unique perspective of what it is like to use these services, parents can help the district to be more effective in hopes that the outcomes for children with disabilities improve. This year our SEAC group met and are looking into ways to provide more opportunities for students to be actively engaged in activities through Community Education. This group is also advocating for more professional development for support staff within the district. The Jordan SEAC typically meets two to three times a year and meets remotely via Zoom. Please consider sharing your experiences, expertise and knowledge with the Jordan SEAC. If you are interested in further information please contact Chad Williams at 952-492-4230 or email at cwilliams@isd717.org.

The Jordan American Indian Parent Advisory Committee (AIPAC) is a group of district teachers/staff, administration, parents and community members that provides input and guidance to the Jordan School District. Parents on the Jordan AIPAC committee serve in an advisory role and help ensure that American Indian students are receiving culturally relevant and equitable educational opportunities. This is done by revitalizing Native culture and language and supplement educational opportunities for Native students to close the achievement gap. These committees are critical to the achievement and success of American Indian students statewide, and offer a valuable opportunity to strengthen district and parent partnerships. Please consider sharing your experiences, expertise and knowledge with the Jordan AIPAC Committee. The Jordan AIPAC Committee meets on a regular/monthly basis. If you are interested in further information please contact Chad Williams at 952-492-4230 or email at cwilliams@isd717.org.
— Chad Williams, Special Services Director



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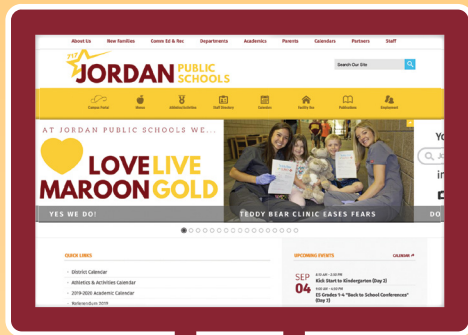
GRADES 5-12

**WEDNESDAY, AUG 25, 2021
3:30PM - 7:30PM**

MIDDLE SCHOOL COMMONS

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Lunch Menus
Parent Links
Community Ed & Rec
Teams and Clubs
Staff Directory *and more!*



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OUR MISSION

**INSPIRE A CARING COMMUNITY TO IGNITE LEARNING,
INNOVATION, AND SUCCESS FOR ALL!**

WE ARE HERE TO HELP!

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ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Jordan Elementary Families,

The staff at Jordan Elementary School would like to welcome you to the 2021-22 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 we have demonstrated to families and our community year after 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 relationship building, as well as students becoming lifelong learners. 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 their interests and passions. Social-emotional learning (SEL) practices such as Mindfulness will be supported in all classrooms, knowing that if students can regulate their bodies and emotions, academic success will follow. Students and staff will continue to learn to appreciate and seek to understand one another's differences, unique learning styles, and cultural backgrounds.

The summer months have also been busy with the custodial staff and summer crew working diligently to get everything cleaned and moved back to our original, pre-COVID learning spaces for the first day of school. Staff members have also been meeting in teams for professional development opportunities to best prepare for the academic and SEL needs of our students.

Be on the lookout for a school mailing 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 our Kick Start to Kindergarten program that is happening on August 30th and 31st. The first day of school for grades 1-4 will be on September 1st, with Kindergarteners' official start date being September 7th. 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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NEW STAFF AT JES!

We are so excited to welcome the following teachers and staff in their new positions for the 2021-2022 school year.

Rhea Carlson – Kindergarten Teacher Ms. Carlson has been a teacher for five years in the Blooming Prairie School District and has taught Kindergarten, pre-school and early childhood special education. She also has a passion for figure skating and has coached numerous skaters including her daughter. Ms. Carlson received her Bachelor's Degree in Education, Birth-Grade 3 and Reading Specialist license from Upper Iowa University, and her Master's Degree in Education from the University of Minnesota, Twin Cities.

Kevin Sayers – Media Specialist Mr. Sayers has been a teacher for 21 years and recently taught in Shakopee Public Schools where he was an Education Technology Specialist and Digital Learning Coordinator where he taught units of study in coding, maker spaces and other technology platforms to students in grades K-8. He also supervised and supported staff in the Media Center and collaborated with them to support students' literacy growth and understanding of the use of the school library. Mr. Sayers can also be seen refereeing high school girls and boys basketball games. Mr. Sayers received his Bachelor's Degree in Education from Springfield College and his Master's Degree in Educational Technology from UW-Lacrosse.

Ashley Glynn – Elementary Administrative Assistant Ms. Glynn currently resides in Jordan, is an alum, and has two children who attend school in the district. Ashley has an administrative assistant degree from the Minnesota School of Business, and has worked for medical companies as an administrative assistant for the past 11 years.

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 2:40pm-3:00pm. If your child is sick please call before 8:00am 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

The USDA has given a waiver to extend free breakfast and lunch for all students for the 2021-22 school year. This means that all of our K-4 students are able to eat breakfast and lunch free of charge. **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.** With questions, call the District Office at 952-492-6200.

Lunch Menu and More

The JES lunch menu is located on the website and can also be conveniently found on the "Jordan Public Schools" smartphone app. To learn more about our meals, and free and reduced meals please visit the Nutritional Services website. Go to the District website > Departments > Nutritional Services.



Say Cheese!
Student pictures will be held during school on September 30

DROP-OFF/PICK UP – IMPORTANT!

Morning AM drop off for grades K-4 is from 7:40am - 8:10am.

Please DO NOT line up in the loops prior to 7:30am since supervisors do not start assisting students into the building until 7:40am.

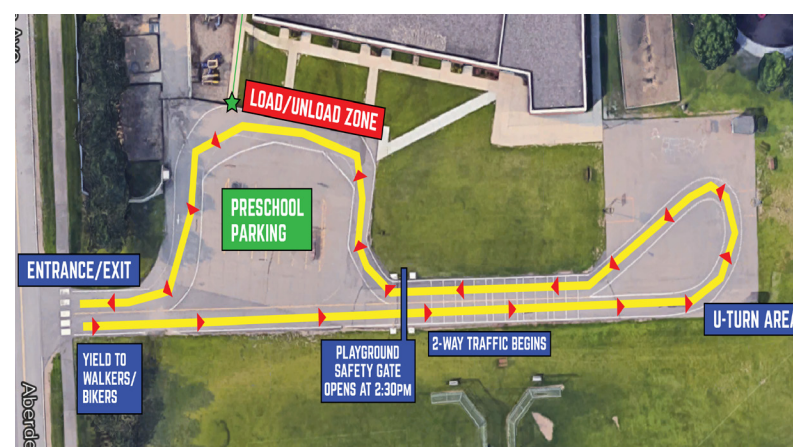
Afternoon PM pick up for grades K-4 is from 2:40pm - 3pm.

Please DO NOT line up in the loops prior to 2:30pm. Preschool pick up occurs at 2:30pm and we need to keep the back loop open for those families to ensure the safety of our youngest students at JES. We also need to avoid traffic build up on Sunset Blvd for school buses and in-town traffic to drive through in the afternoon.

- Families with the last name A - K will enter and exit the NE parking loop via Sunset Blvd.



- Families with the last name L - Z will enter and exit the south parking loop via Aberdeen Ave.



IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Remain in your vehicle during drop off and pick up and make sure your child enters and exits on the right-hand side of your vehicle.
- Have your child practice buckling themselves in so we can keep traffic moving forward and we don't have to wait for adults to stop and buckle students into their seats.
- Stay alert to traffic moving in the back loop. Stay off of cell phones and make sure to move up close to the vehicle ahead of you to prevent a long back up on our city streets.
- If you need to drop off or pick up at any other time during the school day, please park in the main lot in the **visitor spots**, enter through the front of the building and check-in at the main office.

GRADES 1–4 BACK-TO-SCHOOL CONFERENCES/ CURRICULUM EVENT

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 level expectations and curriculum, turn in paperwork, and be assessed in reading and math. Kindergarten families will have separate Back to School Conferences during the evening of September 2nd and during the day on September 3rd (see Kick Start to Kindergarten article).

The **JES Back to School Conferences/Curriculum days will be held on Monday, August 30, from 12pm-7:30pm and Tuesday, August 31, from 9am-4:30pm.** Students and families will meet with their homeroom teacher for approximately 30 minutes (15 minutes in the classroom with the teacher and 15 minutes for assessments). Afterwards, students and families will have the opportunity to travel around the building checking in with specialist teachers (Music, Art, Phy. Ed. and Media/Tech), SPED and support staff, school nurse, or office staff. **Please remember that in order for students to be enrolled at JES, we need proof of immunizations or a conscientious objection form on file, and highly recommend families supply a copy of their child's birth certificate.** Students **will not** get their picture taken during this time; instead they will be taken during the school day on Thursday, September 30.

JES families in grades 1–4 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 August 30 or 31. Kindergarten families will receive a different letter in early August regarding Kick Start and K Back to School Conferences. 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.**

Hosted by
the JES-PTO

Jordan Craft and Vendor Show

Saturday, October 9, 2021
9am – 2pm

The CERC
500 Sunset Drive
Jordan, MN



KICK START TO KINDERGARTEN!

All JES kindergarten students will experience a unique start to the school year. We are excited for our newest students to join us for our Kick Start to Kindergarten transitional program on **August 30 and 31.** The goals of Kick Start to Kindergarten 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.
- Watch for your Kick Start to Kindergarten letter in the mail with more details.



WHAT TO BRING:

- Transportation Form
- Colored Name Tag (Wear BOTH Days)
- Backpack (No School Supplies)
- Lunch from home if not eating school lunch

IMPORTANT KINDERGARTEN DATES

August 30 and 31

- **Kick Start to Kindergarten from 8:10am - 2:50pm**
 - Breakfast is available from 7:45am to 8:05am.
 - Busing will be available on regularly scheduled routes.
 - If families choose to drive a child to school, please follow the regular drop off and pick up schedules by last name (see page 49).
 - **Kids' Company will be available before and after Kick Start (until 6:00pm) on these two days to registered families.**

September 1 through September 3

- **Kindergarten students WILL NOT HAVE SCHOOL on Wednesday (9/1), Thursday (9/2) and Friday (9/3)** to allow staff to prepare for kindergarten classes resuming on Monday, September 7.
 - Kids' Company **will be open** all day on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, September 1, 2 and 3 from 6am – 6pm, for Kindergarten families who are already registered for Kids' Company.
 - Kindergarten teachers will create class lists on Wednesday, September 1. Families will be notified in the afternoon/evening with their child's teacher and how to register for conferences.
- **Kindergarten Back to School Conferences on Thursday (9/2) 2pm-8pm and Friday (9/3) 8:30am-2pm.**
 - Meet Principal Ms. Barnett and Kindergarten teachers.
 - Participate in individual conferences with your child's teacher to hear more about grade level curriculum, J-Town Pride and school and classroom expectations (30 min).
 - Drop off school supplies, pay fees, deposit lunch money into your Infinite Campus account or meet with school nurses.

September 7

- **First OFFICIAL DAY of Kindergarten with assigned teacher.**

Jordan Community, Families, and Students,

The staff of the Jordan Middle School are excited to begin the 2021-2022 school year. Each member of the school community has spent hours reflecting on the past year and are excited to move forward to serve our students, families and colleagues in and out of the classroom. The JMS staff continues to implement best practice instructional approaches while applying innovative instructional strategies learned to allow students to explore their gifts and talents. We are excited to partner with families to prepare students for Jordan High School and beyond!

Wednesday, August 25th will be an exciting evening at Jordan Middle School. We will be hosting a Back to School Resources Night (Open House) from 3:30pm-7:30pm. 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 reconnecting all members of the Jordan Middle School community together in an enjoyable environment. Please plan on joining us!

Teachers will again be using Google Classroom as our learning management system and Infinite Campus for communicating students grades. Google Classroom is an excellent avenue for students to plan and organize their daily assignments for each of their classes and for families to see what students are doing in class. Infinite Campus is a great place to check students' grades, keeping in mind that teachers are expected to update their gradebook weekly. Please encourage your students to keep up to date on their work so these tools can be as up to date as possible.



As a staff, we are excited to begin the school year and 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. Please call if you have questions and thank you for your support!

With warm regards,

Ben Bakeberg, Principal – Jordan Middle School
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BACK TO SCHOOL REMINDERS

JMS School Supply Lists

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 and Walmart stores and Mills Fleet Farm in Chaska. When shopping, ask about how you can give money back to the Jordan Middle School.

Breakfast & Lunches

The USDA has given a waiver to extend free breakfast and lunch for all students for the 2021-22 school year. This means that all of our JMS students are able to eat breakfast and lunch free of charge. **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.** 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.

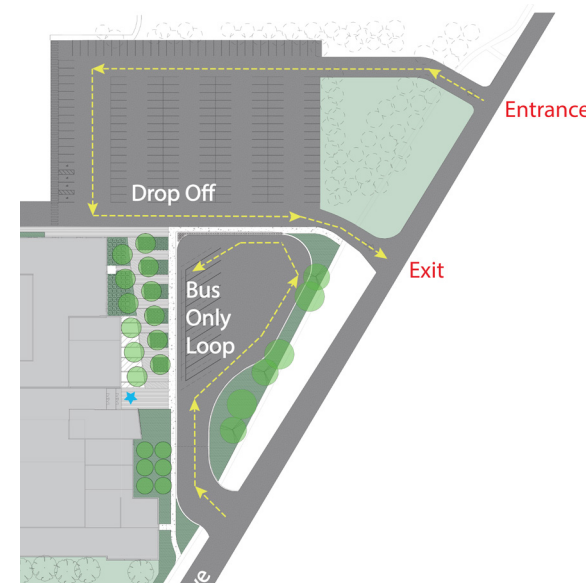
Do not use the CERC parking lot for drop off or pick up. Side doors in the building are locked. Students will need to enter at the front of the JMS building.

Arrival/Dismissal Times

JMS student hours are 8:00am - 3pm. Doors open at 7:20am for students (will be supervised). Students allowed in academic pods at 7:45am. The school day begins at 8:00am every day. Please be sure to have your child/children here on time. All students who arrive after 8:00am 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.** If your child is leaving during the school day, please send a note with your child to the office by 8:00am to get a pass to leave the building. Doing this will reduce interruptions into the classroom during the academic day.

Chromebook 1:1 Device

Student 1:1 Chromebook devices will be distributed Wednesday, August 25 from 3:30pm-7:30pm during Back to School Resource Night (Open House). Come at your convenience. **This is an open house event.** Chromebooks not received on August 25, will be distributed in the first week of school once all parent paperwork is received (all outstanding fees must be paid in advance as well).



Jump Start to Grade 5!

Wednesday, August 18 from 8am-3pm at JMS

We are very excited your child will be attending JMS! At Jump Start, your student will spend the morning with their 8th grade WEB (Where Everyone Belongs) mentor – designed to both welcome and support 5th graders during their first year. Then, they will spend the afternoon with their teachers for 5th grade orientation!

JUMP START DAY REMINDERS

- Dress comfortable for an active day
- Students will receive their J-Town Fanatics t-shirt
- Lunch will be provided
- If transportation is a concern, call the JMS office at 952-492-2332 prior to event.



Back to School Resource Night (Open House Night) – Grades 5-8

Wednesday, August 25 from 3:30pm-7:30pm at JMS

- Enjoy food from one of the food trucks in the Middle School bus lot!
- Pick up your child's Chromebook from the Middle School Commons
- Visit community and school informational booths in the Middle School Commons
- Listen to Jason Arros, Captain with Shakopee Police, speak on *Courageous Parenting* at 6pm in the JHS Auditorium
- Incoming grade 5 families and any new families to Jordan Middle School, join us for an optional parent informational presentation in the JMS Gymnasium at 5pm
- Pick up and complete your "Welcome Back Checklist" including:
 - Fall Pictures for all grades
 - Welcome back and overview of school year video from Mr. Bakeberg
 - 5th Grade Parent Meeting at 5:00pm
 - 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, Google Classroom, and Study Island)
 - Visit the technology department for chromebook questions and support



NEW STAFF AT JMS!

We are so excited to welcome the following teachers and staff in their new positions for the 2021-2022 school year.

Paul Garlock – Business Mr. Garlock will be joining us as a business teacher at Jordan High School. Mr. Garlock has been involved in the Bloomington district in a number of roles in the past few years after 20 years in the private business sector. We are very excited to have him join our staff and bring his real life experiences to our business department.

Jenny Kusske – 8th Grade Mathematics Teacher Jenny joins Jordan Middle School as our new 8th grade math teacher. Jenny graduated from the University of Minnesota Duluth and earned a degree in Teaching Mathematics with a minor in Spanish. She taught for several years and then went back to earn a School Counseling degree from Minnesota State University Moorhead. In her free time she enjoys the lake, cooking, crafts, and spending time with her family, Mr. Kusske, Maverick, & Franklin.



KEY DATES READ ARTICLES AND VISIT CALENDAR FOR DETAILS

August 16

Parent-Athlete-Coach Meeting Grades 7-12

August 18

Grade 5 WEB Day (Jump Start)

August 25

Open House / Picture Night Grades 5-12

Chromebook Distribution Grades 5-12

August 30

First Day of School (Grades 5-8)!

September 6

No School

September 24

2 hr Early Release

September 27 - October 1

Homecoming Week

October 18

JMS Flexible Learning Day /

Invite Only Conferences

Jordan Community, Families, and Students,

The staff at Jordan High School looks forward to welcoming our students for the 2021-2022 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 sixth 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 Monday, August 30. 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, August 30, 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 59.

Teachers will again be using Google Classroom, 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 Google Classroom. 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 daily or weekly summary with assignment due dates and test dates. Google Classroom will help prepare students who choose to attend a two or four year college where learning management systems are common.

During the past six 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 2021-2022 Registration Handbook also includes a few new classes. We added many interdisciplinary (course that employs more than one subject area) classes over the past few years. We are excited about the continued growth of our Summit Academy courses. This past school year we added a coaching and leadership class that was highly successful in connecting students with the community in sports clinics.

The beginning of the school year is always exciting. 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

NEW STAFF AT JHS!

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Michael Mangone – Social Studies Mr. Mangone will be joining us as a social studies teacher at Jordan High School. Mr. Mangone has been at Jordan Middle School for the past six years. We are very excited to have him join our staff and teach our social studies elective courses. He brings creativity and enthusiasm to our senior hallway.

Lauren Stier – Special Education Ms. Stier will be joining us as a DCD teacher. She comes to us from Le Sueur-Henderson Schools. Lauren is a native of Jordan and graduated from JHS. Ms. Stier received her Bachelor's Degree in Special Education from Minnesota State University, Mankato.



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 Chromebook Distribution Grades 5-12

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

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No School

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JHS Conferences



ONLINE
jordan.k12.mn.us/jhs



PHONE 952-492-4400
ATTENDANCE 952-492-4488



MAIL 600 Sunset Drive
 Jordan, MN 55352



SMARTPHONE APP
 "Jordan Public Schools"



JHS SOCIAL MEDIA
 @JHSPincipal1



ACTIVITIES SOCIAL MEDIA
 @JordanSchoolsAD



COUNSELOR SOCIAL MEDIA
 @JHScounselor717



FOR DISTRICT AND JHS HAPPENINGS
 VISIT OUR WEBSITE
 OR APP CALENDARS

Open House – New Format!

Parents can purchase parking passes, athletic passes, and locks (new students and freshmen only) during the **Open House on Wednesday, August 25 at 3:30pm - 7:30pm**. Along with the academic options, we will have food vendors available for families. During this time, students can walk through their schedule, meet teachers, get school pictures taken, pay for any necessary items for the school year, and enjoy time with friends. ***Throughout the evening we will have different informational sessions that families can attend.***

5:15pm Freshmen and new student information (JHS Auditorium)
6:00pm Jason Arras will speak on *Courageous Parenting* (JHS Auditorium)
7:00pm JHS Counselors will give an overview on the college planning process (JHS Auditorium)

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.

Breakfast & Lunches

The USDA has given a waiver to extend free breakfast and lunch for all students for the 2021-22 school year. This means that all of our JHS students are able to eat breakfast and lunch free of charge. **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.** With questions, call the District Office at 952-492-6200.

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.

Parking Permits

Permits are \$100 for the year, if purchased on or before August 25th and the Parking Permit form must be completed. On August 26th, 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 or wait until the first day of school.

Supplies

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

Chromebook 1:1 Device

Student 1:1 Chromebook devices will be distributed Wednesday, August 25 from 3:30pm-7:30pm at Jordan Middle School for Grades 5-12. Come at your convenience. **This is an open house event.** Chromebooks not received on August 25, will be distributed in the first week of school once all parent paperwork is received (all outstanding fees must be paid in advance as well).

JORDAN FRESHMAN FOCUS

Freshman FOCUS Orientation Information

For the sixth 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 Monday, August 30, 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 in small group settings]
- Class picture
- Shortened classes to meet teachers and move through their schedules

Tentative Schedule

Monday, August 30, 2021

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 activity fair

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 Monday, August 30, 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 Monday, August 30. 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 August 30, but will be expected to check into Google Classroom 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.



We made it through a very difficult 2020-21, and we are excited to welcome back spectators in our stadium and gyms this upcoming year! We anticipate being able to settle back into events that feel more normal, where parents and fans can come watch Jordan students compete in a much less restrictive environment. We did find some innovative ways to increase the fan experience due to the struggles of this past year. **We will offer eTicketing to avoid lines and set capacities and assigned seats at certain events. We also hope to live stream more events and will now have the ability to stream to the Jordan Activities YouTube not only from the JHS gym, but also for events held in the stadium!** We have also found a new level of flexibility in scheduling events.

2020-21 was our first year competing in the Wright County Conference East Division. Year 2 will see another big change, as Waconia, New Prague and Orono all leave the WCC for the Metro West Conference. Southwest Christian HS, a former MN River conference opponent, will be joining the WCC east this next season. The WCC East now has 6 schools, Jordan, SW Christian, Delano, Hutchinson, Mound-

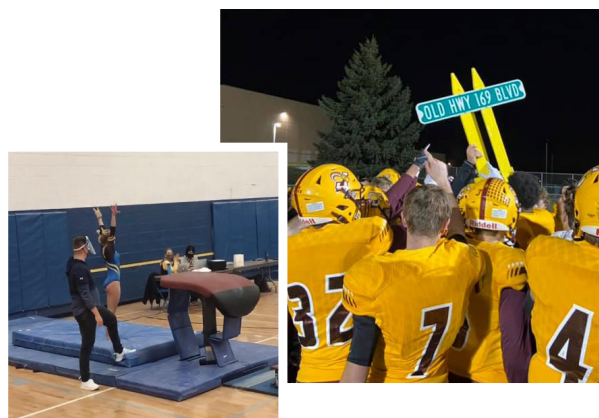
Westonka and Holy Family. We are excited to establish new rivalries, while keeping games and matches with some old foes from the MRC and geographically/competitively like schools.

The Jordan Activities Department, along with Community Education and Recreation, is always exploring potential opportunities for our students. Besides the stand alone activities Jordan currently offers, we also have cooperative sponsorships in many activities. We currently offer (boys & girls) Swim & Dive and (girls) gymnastics with Prior Lake. This past year, we added Scott West (Belle Plaine / Jordan) Nordic skiing and bass fishing. Jordan also has its own competitive Esports team. **Starting in 2021-22, we will be adding a Lacrosse co-op hosted through Southwest Christian HS.** We will continue to research and explore ways to provide our students with every opportunity we can. Remember, 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.JordanActivities.org (under the "more" tab). If you have questions, please call the activities office at 952-492-4481 or email jperkl@isd717.org.

Go Hubmen, Jaguars, and Panthers! Love Maroon, Live Gold!

Joe Perkl, Activities Director – jperkl@isd717.org



ADULT BASIC EDUCATION

SOUTHWEST METRO INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT 288

ADULT EDUCATION CENTER

We have a NEW location in Shakopee!

Classes are available online AND in-person!



REGISTER ONLINE

Scan the square above using the camera app on your smartphone to be directed to the form.

CONTACT **JENNIFER HENNES**
(952) 567-8128 | JHENNES@SWMETRO.K12.MN.US

f **t** | **@SWMETRO**
VISIT | **SWMETRO.K12.MN.US**



SOUTHWEST METRO
INTERMEDIATE DISTRICT 288

Adult Basic Education Services are offered through SouthWest Metro Intermediate District 288 whose members include Community Education programs from the following school districts: District 108 Central, District 716 Belle Plaine, District 720 Shakopee, District 110 Waconia, District 717 Jordan, District 721 New Prague, District 112 Eastern Carver County Schools, and District 719 Prior Lake-Savage.

Register on **ACTIVENET** | 952-492-6211



DEAN LAKES EDUCATION CENTER

4601 DEAN LAKES BOULEVARD, SHAKOPEE will be the new location for SouthWest Metro's in-person ABE classes in Shakopee, replacing the Valley Green location.

2021-2022 Courses

GED Preparation
Online | Prior Lake | Shakopee

Family Literacy & PACE
English for parents & children
Chaska | Shakopee

English as a Learned Language (ELL)
Chaska | Prior Lake | Shakopee

Citizenship Conversations
Shakopee

Digital Skills & Workplace English
Shakopee

For class locations & times, visit swmetro.k12.mn.us

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 update via:

- Website, email, phone call, social media

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 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.

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.

Volunteer Coaches

Our programs are operated with volunteer coaches (limit of 3 coaches per team). **Volunteer coaches will receive a credit for half of their participant fee.** 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.

Instructors Wanted!

If you would like to share your talents with others in the community, please call us at **952-492-4266** or contact us by e-mail at anold@isd717.org

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 applications are available at Facilities Scheduling located at Jordan High School or on the district website.

Reservations are made through Facility Scheduling by emailing facilities@isd717.org or call 952-492-4481.

City of Jordan Park Rental

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.

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Permit cost is \$50 per shelter for Jordan residents and \$75 for non-residents. 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.

Tobacco Free District

Thank you for not using tobacco on school property.

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

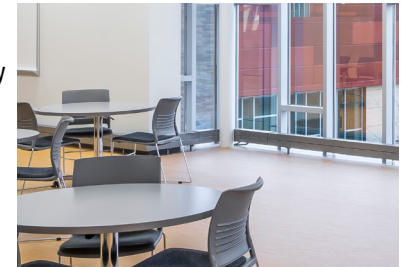
DISTRICT FACILITY USE AND RENTAL

Use of School District Facilities Rental

Our schools and facilities are available for group use and rental. To request use of space within Jordan Public Schools, you are asked to obtain a facility use permit (reservation). Depending on the organization, permits are issued for both no cost facility use and for facility rental. 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 (with costs, etc). It is important to note that submitting the request is not a guarantee of a reservation. You will receive an email notification when the request has either been approved or denied.

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ASSOCIATIONS AND COMMUNITY CLUBS

The Jordan community has a diverse offering of teams and leagues to accommodate the differentiated needs of our youth. These include Community Education and 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. Visit the website below for updates.

www.jordan.k12.mn.us/associationsandclubs

ORGANIZATION	EMAIL CONTACT	PHONE	WEBSITE
Jordan Area Youth Baseball Association (JAYBA)	Jason.Chalupsky@hdsupply.com	952-412-8717	www.jordanmnsports.com
Jordan Basketball Association (JBA)	jbadiectors@gmail.com	612-590-9624	www.jordanmnsports.com
Jordan Booster Club	jordanboosters@gmail.com	612-850-8178	www.jordanbooster.org
Jordan Football Association (JFA)	jordanfootballassociation@gmail.com	612-799-5722	www.jordanmnsports.com
Jordan Girls Fastpitch Association (JGFA)	jordanfastpitch@hotmail.com	952-836-6928	www.jordanmnsports.com
Jordan Junior Olympic Volleyball (JO's)	jordanjovolleyball@gmail.com	612-251-5588	www.jordanmnsports.com
River Valley United Soccer	RVUSoccerclub@gmail.com	---	---
Scott West Panther Cubs	swpanthercubs@gmail.com	952-219-3600	---

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 321 Water 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

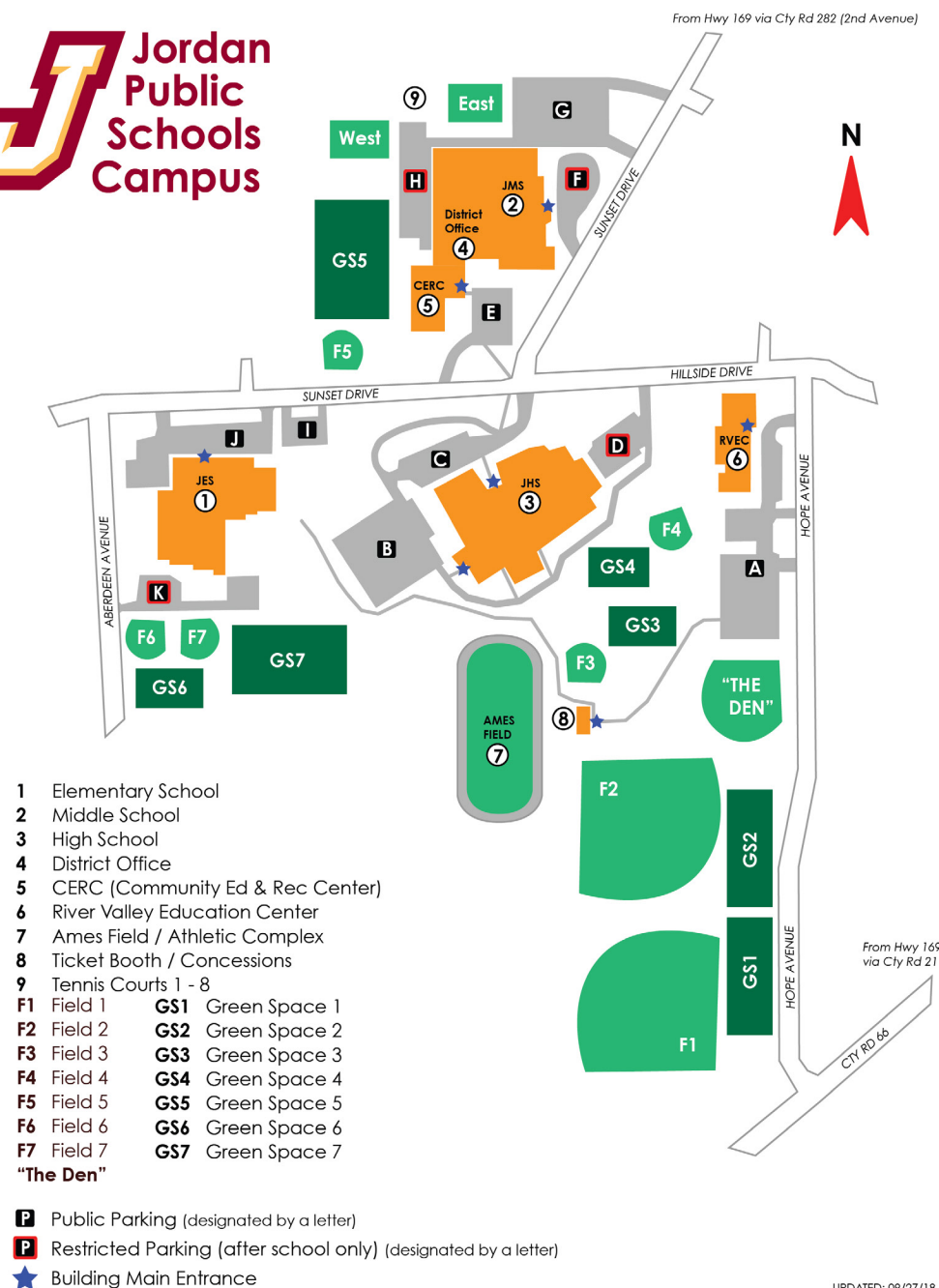
(Non-emergency) (952)492-2009

City of Jordan (952)492-2535

Poison Control

1-800-222-1222

Jordan Public Schools Campus



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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

Jordan Public Schools 717
500 Sunset Drive, Suite #1
Jordan, MN 55352

Non-Profit Org
U.S. Postage
PAID
Permit #7
Jordan, MN 55352

POSTAL CUSTOMER
Or Current Resident

Become a Legacy Member

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We accept new
Legacy Memberships
year-round. Your Legacy
dollars will enhance the
offerings and amenities
at the CERC for all
patrons. Know you are
making a difference!



Full details
on page 39!