

Larkspur Recreation Department's
Winter/Spring 2010
After School Program at Bacich School

Larkspur Recreation is proud to offer our Winter/ Spring 2010 schedule of After School Classes and events. Please take a few moments to read through this information and don't hesitate to call the Recreation Department if you have any questions. Larkspur residency **is not** a requirement for participation.

All recreation activities are dependent upon registration fees. It is for this reason we require pre-registration for each of our classes. Insufficient registrations will result in canceled classes, and refunds will be processed. **NO REFUNDS WILL BE GRANTED UNLESS CLASSES ARE CANCELED BY THE RECREATION DEPARTMENT.**

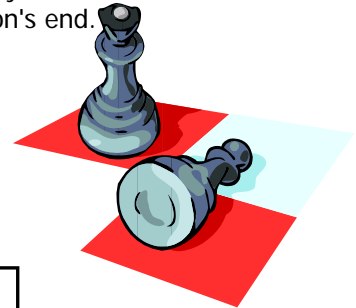
After School class registrations may be taken to the Recreation Department in Piper Park (240 Doherty Drive, Larkspur) or dropped off at the Bacich School Office. We welcome any feedback and/or suggestions you may have.

To contact Larkspur Recreation,
please call 927-6746. ☺

Checkmate Chess for Kids

Develop your critical thinking and problem-solving skills while having fun! Learn how to move the various pieces and basic and intermediate strategy of this fascinating game. The class period generally consists of instruction and supervised play. Competitive matches and tournaments will take place near session's end.

Dates: Mondays, Jan 11 – Apr 26 (ex 1/18, 1/25, 2/15, & 4/12)
Grade/Time: 1st & 2nd Graders, 2:20 – 3:15 pm
3rd & 4th Graders, 2:55 – 3:50 pm
Place: Classroom #1
Cost: \$199 / 12 weeks
Instructor: Dan Trimbach
Barcodes: 1st/2nd Grade: # 3498 3rd/4th Grade: # 3499



Lego Engineering

Come with us for a great time building and learning at the same time. The goals of this class include developing and enhancing students' problem solving and critical thinking skills and exposing children to concepts and vocabulary of Engineering, Architecture and Physics. Students will work individually, in teams and as a group throughout the sessions. A short discussion and demonstration of the day's topic will start each meeting. Children will then be given a design/build assignment. Instructors will circulate and provide individual assistance and instruction.

Minimum # Students: 10



Days/Times: Tuesdays, 1st & 2nd Graders: 2:25 – 3:55pm
Dates/Place: Jan 12 – Mar 30 (ex 1/26 & 2/16) / Classroom #17
Instructor: Play Well Staff
Cost: \$215 / 10 weeks
Barcode: #3500

Sew Much FUN!

Would you like to learn how you can sew your own jelly fish or Gray Whale? You can sew seahorses, reef fish, sharks, dolphins, rays and more. Make a pillow so you can sleep on a coral reef or with a whale. I will also introduce embroidery and appliqué projects. It's all Sew Much Fun with Sewing Sally. **Please have an easy-to-eat snack to munch before washing your hands in preparation for sewing class.**

Days/Times: Wednesdays
1st/2nd Graders: 12:10-1:10pm, Kindergartners: 12:20-1:20pm,
3rd/4th Graders: 12:30 – 1:30pm

Dates: Session I: Jan 13 – Mar 24 (ex 1/27 & 2/17)
Session II: Mar 31 – June 9 (ex 4/14, 5/19)

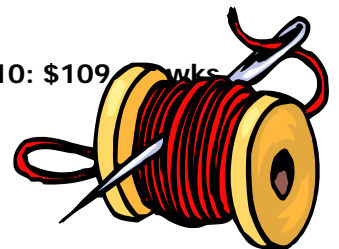
Location: Classroom #16

Cost: \$119 / 9 weeks EXCEPT 4th graders 2nd session Gold Country Trip 5/12/10: \$109 / 9 wks

Barcodes: Sess I: 1st/2nd: #3501 K: #3502 3rd/4th: #3503

Sess II: 1st/2nd: #3504 K: #3505 3rd: #3507 4th: #3506

Sally Palmer (aka Sewing Sally) has been teaching in Mill Valley for more than 18 years.



DRAWING, PAINTING, SCULPTURE

For years, Harry Simpson's art classes fill instantly at Ross Valley Summer School -now you have a chance to get in! Students will explore art basics in several media, including watercolor, pencil, charcoal, and clay. Learn to draw landscapes, portraiture, still life, and bring imagined subjects to life. All levels of skill and experience welcome.

Please bring a snack to class. Min # of students: 5 Max # of students: 12



Days/Dates/Grades/Times//Locations/Barcodes:

Tuesdays, 1st/2nd Graders, 2:25 – 3:25pm, Classroom #4:

Session I:	Jan 12–Mar 2 (ex 1/26 & 2/16)	\$60/6 wks	Barcode #3508
Session II:	Mar 9 – Apr 20 (ex 4/13)	\$60/6 wks	Barcode #3509
Session III:	Apr 27 – Jun 1	\$60/6 wks	Barcode #3510

Wednesdays, 3rd/4th Graders, 12:35 – 2:05pm, Classroom #22:

Session I:	Jan 13 – Mar 3 (ex 1/27 & 2/17)	\$95/6wks	Barcode #3511
Session II:	Mar 10 – Apr 21 (ex 4/14)	\$95/6wks	Barcode #3512
Session III:	Apr 28 – Jun 9 (ex 5/12 & 5/19)	\$80/5wks	Barcode #3513

Thursdays, 1st/2nd Graders, 2:25 – 3:25pm, Classroom #13:

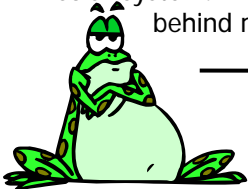
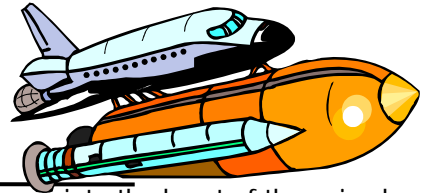
Session I:	Jan 14 – Mar 4 (ex 1/28 & 2/18)	\$60/6wks	Barcode #3514
Session II:	Mar 11 – Apr 22 (ex 4/15)	\$60/6wks	Barcode #3515
Session III:	Apr 29 – Jun 3	\$60/6wks	Barcode #3516

Place: Classroom to be assigned

Instructor: **Harry Simpson** is a professional artist and teacher with the incredible ability to break down complex skills and techniques to their simplest forms so that students can learn with ease.

Science Adventures!!

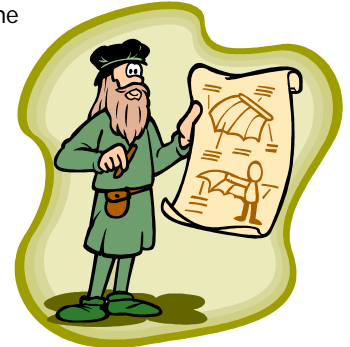
SPACE EXPLORERS: Explore the final frontier on an amazing adventure through the solar system! Discover how robots and astronauts explore other worlds and the science behind rockets. Blast off for a journey to the outer reaches of our universe!



WILDLIFE SAFARI: Are you ready to go wild? Join us for a journey into the heart of the animal kingdom as we dissect an owl pellet, make a crocodile, and discover the life cycle of a frog. Embark on a wild animal adventure!

INVENTION DIMENSION: Leap into the Invention Dimension where science and imagination mix to create amazing inventions. Launch a marshmallow with a Medieval Lever and build a motorized pen to become a certified "Ingenious Inventor"!

Days/Dates:	Wednesdays		
Space Explorers:	Jan 6 – Feb 10 (ex 1/27)	\$105 / 5 weeks	
Wildlife Safari:	Feb 24 – Mar 24	\$105 / 5 weeks	
Invention Dimension:	Mar 31 – May 5 (ex 4/14)	\$105 / 5 weeks	
Grade/Time:	1 st & 2 nd Graders, 12:20 – 1:20pm		
Place:	Classroom #6		
Cost:	\$105 / 5 weeks		
Instructor:	Science Adventures Staff		
Barcodes:	Space Explorers #3517	Wildlife Safari #3518	Invention Dimension #3519



Nature Detectives

First & Second Graders: Come unlock some of nature's secrets as we hike in the area around the school finding birds, butterflies, spiders, amphipods and more. Indoor activities include meeting taxidermed animal visitors, and working on nature projects and crafts. Most students attending for a full year receive recognition as Junior Bird Watchers from the Audubon Society and Junior Botanist Awards. Instructor **Wendy Dreskin** is the winner of the 2003 Terwilliger Environmental Award and a recipient of the Teacher Recognition Award from Johns Hopkins University Institute for the Advancement of Youth. **Please send your child with a snack. Returning students receive priority registration.**

Grades/Time:	1 st & 2 nd Graders, 12:15 – 2:15pm	LONGER CLASSTIME!!
Days/Dates:	Wednesdays, Session I: Jan 13 – Mar 24 (ex: 1/27 & 2/17) Session II: Mar 31 – Jun 9 (ex 4/14 & 5/19)	
Place:	Classroom #3	
Instructor:	Wendy Dreskin	
Fee:	\$215 / each 9 week session	Barcode Session I: # 3520 Barcode Session II: #3521



