



AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT

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2018 FALL ENROLLMENT FOR AFTER SCHOOL ENRICHMENT

St. Thomas More School's After School Enrichment program engages students in fun activities that create a desire to discover and build upon what they learn during the school day. Let your kids challenge themselves and find new ways to explore their interests in any one of our amazing clubs!

CERAMICS

CHESS

MARTIAL ARTS WITH CHAPEL HILL QUEST

RHYTHMIC GYMNASTICS

SHOW CHOIR

SPANISH WITH IMMERSION ISLAND

SCIENCE WITH OUTDOOR STEM ADVENTURES

School clubs are independently run, each with their own session dates & times. To enroll or ask questions, please contact that club directly. On the day of their club, enrolled students will be called at dismissal in STM Hall and taken to their assigned location. Parents are responsible for *pick up at their child's assigned location* at the agreed upon end time. Any child picked up more than 10 minutes late three times/session will be asked to leave that session with no refund. No clubs will be held on half-days or school holidays.

We hope you'll consider joining in the fun & excitement of the STM After School Enrichment Program! As we continue to add more opportunities in the arts, sports, and sciences throughout the year, please send us your questions and feedback at stmase@googlegroups.com

Ceramics Club



Led by our new STM art teacher, Kate Brown, Ceramics Club students will learn how to create functional and decorative clay sculptures in the school's fine art studio. Don't worry, no experience is required! Each student will receive their own box of clay and will have access to multiple types of glazes and paints to create personal unique sculptures.

Campus Location:	STM Art Studio
Dates & Times:	Tuesdays from 3 - 4:30pm
Session I:	Sept. 4 - Nov. 6 (10 weeks) for 4th & 5th graders
Session II:	Nov. 13 - Feb. 5 (10 weeks) for 6th, 7th, & 8th graders
Cost:	\$180 per session. Cost includes all supplies. Make checks payable to Kate Brown.
Max Enrollment:	15 students
Club Lead:	Kate Brown
Contact Info:	kbrown@stmcsnc.org
Registration:	Please complete the Ceramics Club Permission Slip and return with payment via Kidmail. Contact Kate Brown directly for more information.

No parent chaperones required.

Chess Club



We're pleased to offer Knight Chess Club with chess expert Mr. Les Mazur. Registration is available on a first come first serve basis to any STM children in second through eighth grades. First grade students with basic knowledge of chess are also eligible.

Campus Location:	St. Martin De Porres Room/Friends & Family Hall in the STM Church
Dates & Times:	Mondays from 3 - 4pm
Fall Session:	Sept. 10 - Dec. 3 (8 weeks): 09/10, 09/17, 09/24, 10/08, 10/22, 11/12, 11/26, 12/03 (back up dates: 12/10, 12/17)
Cost:	\$30 per session. New member supplies \$8/student. Additionally, each family is asked to provide snacks and drinks and required to volunteer for one meeting.
Club Lead:	Bhavna Pahel
Contact Info:	bhavna.pahel@gmail.com
Registration:	Please complete an Enrollment Form, Parent Pledge, Student Code of Conduct, and Volunteer Guidelines and return with payment via Kidmail to Nicholas Pahel (5A Stuit). All forms available at: https://www.stmcsnc.org/chess .

Parents are required to chaperone at least one day per session. Please see the Chess Enrollment Form for details.

Martial Arts Club with Chapel Hill Quest



Has your child ever expressed any interest in ninja, Jedi, or martial arts? Would you like to provide your child an opportunity to build coordination, balance, strength, discipline and confidence? What if they could do it in a class that was fun for them and convenient for you? The skills our students learn and the attributes that they develop in this class will serve them well for the rest of their life, whether it is improved sports performance, a confident and solid self-image, or the ability to set and achieve goals. Safety will be the highest priority for your child's class, and they will have an absolute blast.

Campus Location: TBD
Dates & Times: Wednesdays from 3 - 3:40pm
Fall Session: Sept. 12 - Dec. 5 (12 weeks) for Grades 1st -3rd
Cost: \$250 per session. Fees include all belts and materials needed for class.
Max Enrollment: 10 students
Club Lead: Brett Moran
Contact Info: rmartin@ncquestcenter.com
Registration: Please register online by Sept. 5:
<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/afterschool-martial-arts-at-st-thomas-more-tickets-48902215844>

No parent chaperones required.

Science Club with Outdoor STEM Adventures

Coming in late Fall 2018 or Spring 2019



Led by Durham engineer Eric Hanson, Outdoor STEM Adventures provides immersive, outdoor, in-school field trips for K-5 students. The instructors create outdoor experiences that engage the whole body & mind in learning and fun. Please watch for more info later this fall and email us at stmase@googlegroups.com to express your interest in advance.

Rhythmic Gymnastics



The basics of rhythmic gymnastics and modern dance will be taught by Beatrice Ruggeri. No previous gymnastics experience required.

Campus Location: Friends & Family Hall
Dates & Times: Thursdays. 4:30-5:30pm.
Session I: Sept. 6 - Dec. 13 (14 weeks). Sept. 6-13-20-27, Oct. 4-11-18-25, Nov. 1-8-15-29, Dec. 6. Performance on Dec 13
Session II: Jan. 10 - May 16 (17 weeks). Jan. 10-17-24-31, Feb. 7-14-21-28, Mar. 7-14-21-28, Apr. 4-11, May 2-9. Performance on May 16.
Cost: \$210 for Session I. \$240 for Session II.
Club Lead: Beatrice Ruggeri
Contact Info: beatrice_ruggeri@icloud.com
Registration: Please complete the Rhythmic Gymnastics Enrollment Form. Contact Ms. Ruggeri directly with any questions about enrollment.

The originally scheduled 3:30-4:30pm class has been cancelled.

Parent are required to chaperone at least one day per session. Please look for a SignUp Genius form after enrollment.

Spanish Club with Immersion Island



Immersion Island has been running its popular Spanish & French immersion camps in Chapel Hill for over 10 years. Jennifer de Lima is now bringing her expertise in engaging & entertaining language learning to STM's After School Enrichment program. Using engaging conversation activities and role play, craft, song and more, we will explore the Independence Day celebrations of Latin America, Hispanic Heritage Day and Dia de Muertos in the first session. In the second session this semester we'll celebrate Navidad and Los Reyes Magos (Christmas and Three Kings Day).

Campus Location:	St. Anthony Room in the STM church facilities
Dates & Times:	Wednesdays from 3 - 4pm
Session I:	Sept. 19 through Oct. 24 (6 weeks) for Grades 2-5
Session II:	Nov. 7 through Dec. 12 (5 weeks) for Grades 2-5
Cost:	\$90 for Session I, \$75 for Session II
Min Enrollment:	6 students
Club Lead:	Jennifer de Lima
Contact Info:	jennifer@immersionisland.org
Registration:	Please register online by Sept. 12: http://immersionisland.org/enrichmentclubs/stm-registration/

No parent chaperones required.

STM Show Choir



Come join St. Thomas More's first Show Choir this Fall as we rehearse and perform songs from The Greatest Showman, Coco, and Sing! as well as Christmas and Mass songs! The STM Show Choir will represent our school as they perform both on campus and in the Chapel Hill community. We will rehearse in the Fall and perform throughout the school year at events such as our Halloween Carnival and Christmas concert. If you are in Grades 3rd through 8th and love to sing, please consider joining us as we spread STM Joy through song!

Campus Location:	STM Music Room
Dates & Times:	Wednesdays from 3pm - 5pm.
Fall Session:	Sept. 5 through Dec. 20 (12 rehearsals) plus performances.
Cost:	\$240 for rehearsals and performances, including a STM Show Choir t-shirt.
Max Enrollment:	30 students
Club Lead:	Angela Sigl
Contact Info:	asigl@stmcsnc.org
Registration:	Please complete the enrollment form and return with payment via Kidmail to Angie Sigl. Enrollment is first come/first serve.

No parent chaperones required for rehearsals. Parents may be asked to help with performances.