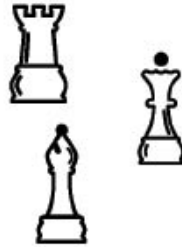




Saint Saviour Catholic Academy

# After School Fall Enrichment Program

Starts Monday, September 21<sup>st</sup>, 2015



**SSCA After School Fall Enrichment Program**

Starts Monday, September 21st, 2015

**Fall enrichment class registration is now open and ends on September 18th.**

Enrichment classes are filled on a first come first served basis. We reserve the right to cancel a class due to insufficient registration. There will be no fee charged for After School care prior to enrichment classes that start at 3:30pm, but if your child stays beyond the Enrichment class dismissal time, you will be charged at the regular After School rate. **Your registration is complete when you have returned the attached form and your payment to the main office. All checks or money orders should be made payable to “Saint Saviour Catholic Academy.”**

**Fall Schedule**

**All Classes (except for “Improv Comedy”) are from 3:30-4:30**

See class descriptions below for more information

<b>Monday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
<b>Italian 1</b> (Beginners)  PK & K	<b>Sports Sampler</b>  PK & K	<b>“Mini Masters”</b> Art Class  PK & K	<b>Sports Sampler</b>  PK & K	<b>Wise Heart Story Yoga</b>  PK- 1st
<b>Storybook Theater</b>  PK & K	<b>Happy Feet</b> Dance Class  PK & K	<b>Italian 2</b> (Conversation)  1st- 3rd	<b>Beginner Guitar Group</b>  1st- 3rd	<b>Silly Science</b>  1st- 3rd
<b>Bitbots</b>  K & 1st	<b>Bitbots</b>  2 <sup>nd</sup> - 3rd	<b>Tap Dancing</b> (Level 2)  2nd- 4th	<b>Beginner Chess</b>  2nd- 8th	<b>Intermediate Chess</b>  2nd- 8th
<b>Art in the Studio</b>  1st- 3rd	<b>Cooking with Caitlin</b>  4th- 8th		<b>Play-writing and Play-making</b>  3rd & 4th	
<b>Improv Comedy</b> <b>5-7pm</b>  5 <sup>th</sup> - 8th				

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## **Class Descriptions**

### **Mondays:**

#### **Italian 1: Beginners**

Explore the Italian language and culture through arts and crafts, songs, stories, and games, in an interactive, fun-filled atmosphere.

**Grades: PK & K**

**Teacher: Claudia Berlind**

**Dates: 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

#### **Storybook Theater (A [Brooklyn Acting Lab](#) class)**

Children will be invited into the world of a new picture book each week during this course. We work to ignite the imagination while encouraging social, physical and cognitive development through theater games and improvisation in the realm of each book.

**Grades: PK & K**

**Teacher: Brooklyn Acting Lab teacher**

**Dates: 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

#### **BitBots Basics for Kindergarten and 1<sup>st</sup> graders**

**(A program from [KOKO Open Source Creative Kids Program](#))**

The BitBots teacher will help guide and encourage your child as they choose recyclables such as plastic bottles, cardboard and paper to create sculptures that, when combined with littleBits, come to life and light up, twist, turn, buzz, blink, and shake! Through the process of designing and building, your child will experience the practical and cultural possibilities of new inventions!

**Grades: K & 1st**

**Teacher: Eric Leiser (teacher for BitBots from KOKO Open Source)**

**Dates: 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

#### **Art in the Studio**

Are you ready to create young artist masterpieces? Learn what materials and techniques the pros use. There's never a dull moment in this class, and you might even get a little messy!

**Grades: 1- 3**

**Teacher: Rich Casciato**

**Dates: 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250 + \$25 materials fee**

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**Improv Comedy (A [Brooklyn Acting Lab](#) class)**

**This class will run from 5- 7pm**

Students will be introduced to the basics of improve comedy from a number of traditions in this class. Students will be challenged to work impulsively as individual performers and as an ensemble. This workshop encourages students to create their own meaningful, theatrical moments and scenes within structured improvisations.

**Grades: 5- 8**

**Teacher: Brooklyn Acting Lab teacher**

**Dates: 9/21, 9/28, 10/5, 10/19, 10/26, 11/2, 11/9, 11/16, 11/23, 11/30**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

**Tuesdays:**

**Happy Feet (dance class)**

Get moving this fall with our new Happy Feet dance class. Learn the basics of Irish Step Dancing, Salsa, Bachata, and Merengue and dance your way into the new school year!

**Grades: PK & K**

**Teacher: Aleanbh Finn and Harony Nuñez**

**Dates: 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

**Tuesday Sports Sampler**

Spend a fun-filled hour doing sports-related activities that enhance coordination, focus and teamwork skills, while learning the basics of team sports such as basketball, soccer and more!

**Grades: PK & K**

**Teacher: Paolo Martusciello and Stephanie German**

**Dates: 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

**BitBots Basics for 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> graders**

**(A program from [KOKO Open Source Creative Kids Program](#))**

The BitBots teacher will help guide and encourage your child as they choose recyclables such as plastic bottles, cardboard and paper to create sculptures that, when combined with littleBits, come to life and light up, twist, turn, buzz, blink, and shake! Through the process of designing and building, your child will experience the practical and cultural possibilities of new inventions!

**Grades: 2 & 3**

**Teacher: Eric Leiser (teacher for BitBots from KOKO Open Source)**

**Dates: 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

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### **Cooking with Caitlin**

In this class you will learn your way around the kitchen. You will be able to cook some of your favorite foods and impress your parents with your new cooking skills. Let's eat!

**Grades: 4- 8**

**Teacher: Caitlin Carroll**

**Dates: 9/22, 9/29, 10/6, 10/13, 10/20, 10/27, 11/10, 11/17, 11/24, 12/1**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

### **Wednesdays:**

#### **“Mini Masters” Art Class**

Mini Art Masters: Get ready to express yourself, get messy, and create unique pieces of your own art, using collage, clay, paint and more!

**Grades: PK & K**

**Teacher: Olivia Infante**

**Dates: 9/23, 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/18, 12/2, 12/9**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250 + \$25 materials fee**

#### **Italian 2: Conversation**

Explore the Italian language, through games and interactive fun, beginning with the basics and building towards conversation.

**Grades: 1- 3**

**Teacher: Claudia Berlind**

**Dates: 9/23, 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/18, 12/2, 12/9**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

#### **Tap Dancing (Level 2)**

Do you enjoy creating a rhythm using your feet? Have you ever taken a tap dancing class before and want to brush up on your skills? Boys and girls will continue to learn how to follow the music, shuffle and flap, as well as practice simple combinations.

**Required: A pair of tap shoes**

**Grades: 2- 4**

**Teacher: Adriana Romanzo**

**Dates: 9/23, 9/30, 10/7, 10/14, 10/21, 10/28, 11/4, 11/18, 12/2, 12/9**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

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## **Thursdays:**

### **Thursday Sports Sampler**

Spend a fun-filled hour doing sports-related activities that enhance coordination, focus and teamwork skills, while learning the basics of team sports such as basketball, soccer and more!

**Grades: PK & K**

**Teacher: Paolo Martusciello and Stephanie German**

**Dates: 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 12/3**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

### **Beginner Guitar Group**

For the first few weeks we will explore using our thumbs to play simple songs in different styles like rock'n'roll, reggae, funk, calypso, and American folk music without worrying about changing chords. As our fretting fingers get stronger we will begin to learn a few 1- and 2-finger chords. We'll also play music and movement games away from the guitar to deepen our musical understanding. Guitars provided for use in class.

**Grades: 1- 3**

**Teacher: Mr. Ted Stafford**

**Dates: 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 12/3**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250 + \$25 materials fee**

### **Play-writing and Play-making (A [Brooklyn Acting Lab](#) class)**

Storytelling and play are at the heart of this workshop. Students will dream, write and perform their own scripts within a supportive learning environment. Students will be encouraged to imagine new ways of telling stories through theater and drama while being prompted each week with new exercises and formulas for play-making.

**Grades: 3 & 4**

**Teacher: Brooklyn Acting Lab teacher**

**Dates: 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 12/3**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

### **Beginner Chess**

Have fun learning the ancient game of chess -- a game that teaches logical thinking, creative planning, and good sportsmanship. All the rules and strategies of chess will be clearly explained, step-by-step. No prior knowledge necessary.

**Grades: 2- 8**

**Teacher: Sarathi Ray (USCF National Chess Master)**

**Dates: 9/24, 10/1, 10/8, 10/15, 10/22, 10/29, 11/5, 11/12, 11/19, 12/3**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250 + \$25 materials fee**

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## **Fridays:**

### **Wise Heart Story yoga**

Combing the creative poses of yoga with our favorite books on movement, yoga, nature and animals, this class will have you moving, Om-ing, and jumping... all while being entranced by the written word. Heart warming stories on life, love, family and sharing are interspersed with ringing the bells, blowing the pinwheels and learning the art of savasana surrounded by books, books, books!

**Grades: PK- 1**

**Teacher: Shenaaz Jetha**

**Dates: 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 12/4**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250**

### **Silly Science**

Get inspired by the fun and excitement of science by conducting experiments and making creations like lava lamps, volcanoes and more!

**Grades: 1- 3**

**Teacher: Victoria Vartolo**

**Dates: 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 12/4**

**Fee for 10 classes: \$250 + \$25 materials fee**

### **Intermediate Chess**

Have fun learning how to plan ahead in a chess game. The intermediate chess class will teach students how to find the correct strategic plan and spot tactical opportunities. This class is for students who possess basic chess skills and want to improve their game.

**Grades: 2- 8**

**Teacher: Sarathi Ray (USCF National Chess Master)**

**Dates: 9/25, 10/2, 10/9, 10/16, 10/23, 10/30, 11/6, 11/13, 11/20, 12/4**

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## **AFTER SCHOOL POLICIES**

Please read the following After School policies before signing your Enrichment registration form.

### **Payment Policies**

**In order to participate in the SSCA After School Program, you must be current with your payments. Accounts that fall behind by more than one month may result in your child's dismissal from After School.**

#### **Monthly Invoices and Payments**

Monthly enrollment account invoices are due upon receipt and will be sent via email after the end of each month, since billing for monthly accounts is based on attendance. Your bill must be paid within two weeks after receiving the monthly invoice to avoid a late payment charge. Please pay promptly. Failure to pay on time will result in a **\$25 late payment fee.**

#### **Upon registration the following payments are due:**

- \* If you wish to receive the Annual payment discount of 20% your annual amount is due upon registration.
- \* If you wish to receive the Quarterly payment discount of 10% your first quarterly payment is due upon registration, (or on 9/15/15) and on the following three dates: 12/15/15, 03/15/16, 05/15/16.
- \* If you wish to pay on a monthly basis, your Deposit/ Prepayment of June fees (\$250 for single child/ \$300 for family) is due upon registration.

### **Late Pickup Policy**

**Children must be picked up by 6:00 PM. Please be on time! Parents will be billed \$20 per every quarter hour (15 minutes) after 6:00 pm.** To avoid late fees, parents should make prior arrangements to have an authorized friend or backup person pick their child up if they know they might be late. Chronic or excessive late pick-up is inconsiderate to the After School Program staff and may result in your child's dismissal from the program.

### **Sign-Out Policy**

The person authorized to pick up your child from After School must sign them out by printing their name, signing and writing the exact pickup time on the sign out sheet. This must be done in the presence of the teacher dismissing them. If you pick up your child after the above mentioned half hour dismissal times, you will be charged for the full half hour. If anyone other than the parent/ guardian is picking up they must be listed on the Authorized Persons for Pickup list, or you will need to send a note/email in writing notifying the school of who will be picking up that day. They will need to show photo ID upon request. If the person picking up the child neglects to sign him/her out, you will be charged until 6pm.

### **Behavior Policies**

SSCA strives to create a warm, welcoming environment in which all students can thrive. We ask that all members of our school community take care of each other, the space, and themselves during After School. The SSCA After School Program staff is responsible for providing a positive experience for children and aligns itself with the teaching methods of Responsive Classroom®. We believe students can learn from their behavior and therefore, we want to emphasize logical consequences and making amends for the behavior. If a child's behavior adversely affects the experiences of other children, logical consequences will be implemented.

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### **Behavior Infraction**

- Behavior infractions are when a student's behavior is persistent and infringes on the teaching, learning or well being of the group.
- Possible consequences of a Behavior infraction:
  - Solve the problem that you created (i.e. "you break it, you fix it")
  - Write an apology letter
  - Loss of privileges
  - Separation from the group (i.e. a "time out" and/or joining a buddy classroom)
  - Inappropriate items may be confiscated
  - Meet with an administrator
  - SSCA will contact your family
  - Be suspended or dismissed completely from After School
- If there are more than three infractions (other than non-negotiables) the parent or guardian will be notified.

### **Non-Negotiables**

- Although Saint Saviour Catholic Academy faculty will do their best to make consequences logical, there are certain behaviors that are non-negotiable. These behaviors include, but are not limited to, physical violence or any action that puts the student or others at risk. These behaviors will result in immediate removal from the After School setting and parents may be notified to come pick up their children.

### **Personal Electronic Devices (PEDs) Policy**

PEDs may include any portable Internet devices *except for cell phones*. PEDs include iPods, iPads, laptop computers, tablets, notebooks, netbooks, recording devices, etc. **The use of PEDs is permitted on school premises under limited conditions as authorized by the Principal and supervised by Classroom Teachers.** The sole purpose for using this technology is to enhance academic achievement while respecting the dignity and safety of all members of St. Saviour Catholic Academy.

#### **Cell Phones**

- In After School, students' cell phones must be kept turned off and in their backpacks or lockers during the school day. If not, they will be collected each day by the After School teacher, stored securely in the classroom and returned to students at dismissal.
- **Please do not contact your child by cell phone during After School hours.** In an emergency, or in the case that you need to notify them of when they will be picked up, messages should be left with the school's office.

### **Policy Regarding Adults in the School Building**

All adults on the Saint Saviour Catholic Academy campus need to be VIRTUS trained in order to be with children in the building without another teacher present. As a reminder, our bathrooms are for children only. If an adult needs to use the bathroom or accompany their child to the bathroom, they may use the bathroom in the front office.

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## Fall Enrichment Classes 2015 Registration Form

Please note that if you have an outstanding balance with SSCA, your child's registration will be held and will be incomplete until your balance is paid.

### Student Information

Student Name(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Grade(s) and Classroom(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies/Medical needs or other special information:

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

### Parent/Guardian Information

1<sup>st</sup> Parent/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

2<sup>nd</sup> Parent/Guardian's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

### Emergency Contacts (someone other than the parent/ guardian):

If a parent or guardian cannot be reached, the following individual(s) will be contacted in the event of an emergency. In addition, they are considered authorized persons for pickup.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to the child(ren): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to the child(ren): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

***Please see next page to complete registration***

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**Additional Authorized Persons for Pickup**

In addition to the parents, guardians, or emergency contacts listed above, the following individuals are authorized to pick up my child(ren) at the end of the day. Include any other authorized parent/guardian, as well as caregivers, friends or relatives who might pick up your child. They will need to show photo ID upon request.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to the child(ren): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Relationship to the child(ren): \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please list the Enrichment classes you would like your child(ren) to be enrolled in. (If you are registering more than one child, please indicate which child is taking which class.)**

**Mondays:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tuesdays:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Wednesdays:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Thursdays:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Fridays:** \_\_\_\_\_

**I have read and understand the SSCA Enrichment/ After School information and policies as they are outlined here. I agree to follow all the policies as they are outlined, and understand that my non-compliance may result in my child being dismissed from the SSCA Enrichment/ After School program.**

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Payment Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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