

RAMSEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL SPRING 2022 COURSE CATALOG

Welcome Back to in Person Classes!!!

ABOUT US

Ramsey Community School is a self-sustaining, non-profit organization operating under the Ramsey Board of Education. A unique town treasure, RCS has proudly served the Ramsey community and surrounding communities with enriching and stimulating courses and excursions in a variety of interests for over 30 years. In 2013 the Ramsey Adult School officially changed its name to Ramsey Community School, a more reflective name of what the organization has truly become.

RCS OFFICE LOCATION, CONTACT INFORMATION & OFFICE HOURS

The Administrative office handles all matters concerning Adult Continuing Ed., Youth and Children's Program and bookkeeping for all programs, as well as Ramsey School District facilities.

Located in Dater School, 35 School St., Ramsey, NJ 07446.
Park on and enter through the Shuart Lane entrance.

Email: RCSGeneral@ramsey.k12.nj.us

Phone: 201-327-2025

Hours: Monday through Friday, 9:30am - 4:00pm

RCS STAFF

Anne Marie Rawdon, Director

Nancy Galek, Secretary

Elaine Kehoe, Bookkeeper

Maureen Nelson, Facility Coordinator

THINGS TO KNOW

- You do not need to be a Ramsey or NJ resident to register.
- Pre-registration is required for all classes and trips. You must register through the RCS office; instructors cannot take registrations in class.
- Confirmations sent via email only; unless notified otherwise, your registration has been accepted.
- Include the RCS email address to your address book or account list to avoid spam filter problems with RCS emails.
- Mark your calendar as to time, date and location of class. Students are responsible for knowing their course schedule and directions to the designated school.
- All courses and trips are subject to cancellation. Students are phoned and emailed; full refunds are issued by whichever method of payment they originally made for the course. Check refunds take 4-6 weeks.
- Cancelled classes will be made up, if possible, by adding a session to the end of the term or by other means agreeable to students and teacher.

- Students are responsible for knowing all policies including refund policies. No exceptions please.
- You must be 18 years or older to register for an adult education class unless otherwise specified.

GENERAL INFORMATION

The Ramsey Community School reserves the right to change class locations, schedules, fees or instructors when necessary. RCS is not liable for any injury or property damage as a result of course taken. Students are responsible for knowing their class/trip schedule, location and directions to location. Cancelled classes will be made up, if possible, by adding a session to the end of the term or by other means agreeable to students and instructor.

SCHOOL CLOSING

No Community School class will meet if the public schools are closed due to holidays, vacations or bad weather. In most cases, if there is a delayed opening the Community School will be open. Classes closed due to bad weather will be made up, if possible, by adding a session at the end of the term or by other means agreeable to students and instructor. Check the RCS website www.ramseycommunityschool.com or call the Community School office at 201-327-2025 after 3:00pm for the updated information. **Please note schedule is subject to change.** Instructors will notify students at the first class of all scheduled meeting dates of the course.

RCS SPRING CLOSINGS

(RCS follows the RSD calendar)

April 11 – April 15 MPCE's Spring Break

April 15 – Good Friday

April 18 – April 22 Spring Break

May 30 – Memorial Day

REGISTRATION / DISCOUNTS / REFUND POLICY

Registration

Tuition must be paid in full at time of registration (instructors are not permitted to accept registrations in class.) Registrations are processed in the order received (you must be 18 years or older to register for an adult ed. class unless otherwise specified.) We cannot reserve or hold enrollment spots. Online or telephone registrations require a Visa or MasterCard payment. Mail or walk-in registrations are payable by check, cash, money order or credit card. Make checks payable to "Ramsey Community School". Returned checks incur a \$35 service fee.

There are four convenient ways to register:

ONLINE:

If you are a new student, you need to create a Student Profile; this can be done from the home page. If you are already registered as a student, please make sure your profile information is kept up to date with your most current data.

PHONE:

Call the RCS office at 201-327-2025. We accept Visa or MasterCard.

MAIL:

Complete a registration form and mail with your payment to: Ramsey Community School, 35 School Street, Ramsey, NJ 07446. (Make all checks payable to the Ramsey Community School.)

IN PERSON:

The RCS office is located in the Dater School, 35 School Street, Ramsey.

Discounts

Students eligible for a discounted course fee must register by phone at 201-327-2025 the first time in order to be coded as a discounted registration. Available discounts are:

Senior Citizen - Any student 60 years of age or older at time of registration is eligible to receive a Senior Citizen Discount if one is offered for the course. Seniors must submit proof of age prior to registration one time only, in order to be coded as a Senior Citizen in the computer to receive the discount. Afterwards, all future courses will automatically be applied the discount at registration check-out.

RSD Employee - Any current employee of the Ramsey School District is eligible to receive an Employee Discount if one is offered for the course (not applicable to relatives). Employees must contact RCS in order to be coded as an employee in the computer to receive the discount.

Refund Policy

We make a commitment to our instructors so we need a commitment from you! We make a contractual commitment to pay our instructors a salary so we need a commitment from our students as well. Therefore, no tuition can be refunded for any reason - including illness and/or medical - once a class has started. Before registering for a class or a trip please carefully read the refund policy below so you fully understand and agree to our refund policy:

Withdrawals at least 3 business days (weekends excluded) before the start of a class will be refunded, less a \$15 withdrawal fee. Withdrawals less than 3 business days (weekends excluded) before the start of a course cannot be refunded for any reason, including medical.

If Ramsey Community School cancels your course, you will receive a full refund by whichever method of payment you originally made. Allow 4-6 weeks processing time for check refunds.

Trip refunds: Less \$15 cancellation fee available **ONLY IF TICKETS CAN BE RESOLD.**

LOCATIONS

Ramsey Community School classes take place in 5 district schools in Ramsey. Make sure you know the location of your class. Note: Some courses are offered in cooperation with Midland Park Continuing Education.

Dater School

35 School Street, Ramsey
(off North Central Avenue)

Hubbard School

10 Hubbard Lane, Ramsey
(off Wyckoff Avenue, Rear entrance is off West Oak on Hubbard School Lane)

Ramsey High School

256 East Main Street, Ramsey

Smith School

73 Monroe Street, Ramsey
(North Central Avenue to Morse Street left on Elbert into Smith lot) (GPS use
2 Monroe Street, Ramsey)

Tisdale School

200 Island Avenue, Ramsey
(Franklin Turnpike to Madison Avenue, right on Island Avenue)

Faith Reformed Church

95 Prospect Street, Midland Park, NJ

Midland Park Continuing Education

Midland Park High School
250 Prospect Street, Midland Park, NJ
(Room assignments will be posted the first night of the class. Please register through the Ramsey Community School.)

MacFarren Field

101 Williams Drive, Ramsey
(Rt.17 N, take Williams Drive exit, follow road uphill, field on left.)

COVID POLICY

Governor Phil Murphy has mandated that facemasks will be required indoors at all school buildings for students, staff and visitors for the 2021-2022 school year. This includes the Continuing Education programs held in all district buildings. https://www.nj.gov/governor/news/news/562021/20210806_b.shtml

Stage Right requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus.

Broadway – As of July 30, 2021 proof of vaccination and masks are required for all guests to attend performances through October 31, 2021.

Please note: These policies can change due to any new restrictions or reversals of mandates.

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35 School Street
Ramsey, NJ 07446

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FULL NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ ZIP CODE _____

DAY/CELL PHONE # _____

EVENING _____

EMAIL _____
(Confirmations are sent via email)

SR CIT/ DOB _____
(I.D. Required)

CLASS NAME: _____

START DATE: _____

TUITION FEE: _____

+ MATERIAL FEE: _____

TOTAL FEE: _____

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CHECK # _____
(Make checks payable to Ramsey Community School)

VISA/MASTERCARD # _____

EXPIRATION DATE _____

NAME ON CARD _____

AUTHORIZED SIGNATURE _____

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CRAFTS

CROCHETING - Beginner

Crochet is a beautiful craft that has been around for centuries. A fun, relaxing, and some might say meditative activity, you can create handmade hats, scarves, shawls, blankets, toys, and more—at home or on the go! This course is designed for beginners with little to no previous experience; you will learn about different yarns and hooks, basic stitches and techniques, how to crochet in rows and “in the round,” how to read patterns and where to find them. As we progress, we will learn some simple stitch combinations and other crochet techniques. Attendees will choose a project and purchase appropriate yarn. A \$5 material fee includes a 5mm crochet hook, tapestry needle, and practice yarn, provided at first class. Instructor: *Clayton Leadbetter*

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT+\$5
8 Sessions – Starts 3/1
No class: 4/19
Tuesday, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
Smith School – Room 106

CROCHETING - Intermediate

If you’ve already been bitten by the crochet bug and want to expand your repertoire, join us to learn some more advanced techniques. The class will cover more challenging stitches, chainless foundation technique, joining pieces, decorative borders, following more difficult patterns, and more. Students in this course should already be comfortable with basic crochet techniques; if you are new to the craft, we recommend starting with Beginning Crochet. There is no material fee, as it is anticipated you will already have hooks, etc. Please bring some #4 weight practice yarn and preferred hook size (H/5mm recommended) to class. Instructor: *Clayton Leadbetter*

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT
8 Sessions – Starts 2/24
No class: 3/24 and 4/21
Thursday, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM
Smith School – Room 106

SILVER & GOLD JEWELRY MAKING – Advanced Beginner/Advanced

For those who have taken the beginner and advanced beginner classes and for the advanced student, design and make your own jewelry with guidance in design, techniques and soldering from the teacher. Prerequisite: Completed Silver and Gold Beginner and Advanced Beginner. Instructor: *Ani Barber*

Fee: \$150/142 SR CIT+\$20
10 Sessions – Starts 2/22
No class: 3/15 and 4/19
Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Dater School - Art Room 146

BASIC HOME PLUMBING

Students in this class learn basic knowledge in home plumbing repairs. There will be videos, repair demonstrations and hands-on practice. Topics include: Repairing and replacing faucets, repairing and replacing P traps, leaking toilets, repairing and replacing shower heads, basic tools and types of pipes. Instructor: *George Chrisafis*

Fee: \$100/94 SR CIT+\$10
3 Sessions – Starts 3/29
Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
Ramsey High School – Room 116/Cad Lab

BASIC HOME ELECTRICITY

Provide basic understanding of home electricity in three sessions. This is for students who want to learn, understand and practice minor electrical repairs. This course takes the student through hands-on activities based on common electrical home repairs and follows a Black & Decker outline. Topics include: Electrical circuit, safety, testing and tools, fuses and circuit breakers, replacing plugs, switches, receptacles and light fixtures and wiring a new fixture. Instructor: *George Chrisafis*

Fee: \$100/94 SR CIT+\$10
3 Sessions – Starts 3/31
Thursday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM
Ramsey High School – Room 116 Cad Lab

CULINARY

SOUPER EASY SOUPS & QUICHES

Join us for two fun filled evenings as we prepare soups and quiches. The first evening you will fully participate in the preparation of Italian wedding soup, spinach quiche, and artichoke pepperoni quiche. The second night will feature beef barley soup, artichoke bacon quiche and quiche Lorraine. Perfect meals for the cold winter months. Do not eat prior to class since you will eat and taste all items prepared in class! Bring to class: apron, dishtowel, chopping knife and take home containers. Instructor: *Joseph Scillieri*

Fee: \$70+\$40
2 Sessions – Starts 3/3
Thursday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM
Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

CULINARY

AUTHENTIC INDIAN COOKING

In the first night of this hands-on class you'll discover how to prepare delicious recipes such as Cauliflower Rice - Basmati rice steamed with spices and mixed with sautéed Cauliflower, Raita - Yogurt dip with various diced vegetables and cilantro and Potato Fry - Potatoes are cooked and sautéed with Indian spices to make a side dish that will become your new favorite. Night two you learn how to make Lemon Rice - Cook rice and add some lemon juice and ginger for a delicious south Indian delicacy, Bombay Chutney - A gravy with tomatoes and chickpeas flour. Fastest and most delicious accompaniment for rice/puffed bread/roti/naan and Onion fritters - Deep Fried Indian style onion rings. Bring to class: apron, dish towels, paring and chopping knife, peeler and take home containers. Instructor: *Subba Marellapudi*

Fee: \$50+\$35

2 Sessions – Starts 3/7

Monday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

A TASTE OF ITALY

Continue to broaden your culinary experience as we proceed with a new version of “A Taste of Italy”. In this two-night class you will fully participate in the preparation of mouth watering savory cuisine. Our first night will feature Lazy Lasagna layered with ricotta cheese and a meat sauce. We continue to compliment the meal with antipasto salad and garlic bread. Don't forget our fabulous cannoli's for dessert made with our homemade cannoli filling. Onward we proceed to week two as you prepare Eggplant Parmigiana with a homemade Italian Gravy (sauce) and tomato and fresh mozzarella skewers dressed in a balsamic vinaigrette dressing. We will finish our meal with pizzelles for dessert. This class will leave you with a pleasant taste. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, chopping knife and take home containers. Instructor: *Joseph Scillieri*

Fee: \$70+\$45

2 Sessions – Starts 3/24

Thursday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

ARTICHOKES SIMPLIFIED

Do artichokes scare you? Don't know what to do with the fresh artichokes or maximize their delicate flavor when you buy bags of frozen ones. Kim walks you through the elements of artichoke prep. This class will prepare 4 different dishes using them. If Stuffed Artichokes or Artichoke Tart Tatin make you drool, sign up! Bring to class: apron, dish towel, paring knife, chopping knife and take home containers. Instructor: *Kim Hendrickson*

Fee: \$40+\$20

1 Session – Starts 4/4

Monday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

MARSHMALLOWS – Delicious and Simplified

If you have never had hand crafted marshmallows, you don't know what you are missing! We think of Peeps and the rubbery blobs we toast. But, handcrafted marshmallows are wonderful on their own and added to a hot drink. Kim will walk you through the process, then each person will choose a flavor: vanilla bean, mint, caramel, or chocolate and make a pan of their own. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, 13 x 9 x 2-inch baking pan and take home containers. Instructor: *Kim Hendrickson*

Fee: \$40+\$10

1 Session – Starts 4/5

Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

MORE APPEALING APPETIZERS

You will be the hit of the party when you come out and present your guest with these mouth-watering appetizers. You will fully participate in the preparation of artichoke spinach bites, cheese straws, eggplant and red pepper appetizer and sausage bread made with homemade pizza dough. This class will leave you with a good taste in your mouth. You will taste and enjoy everything prepared. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, chopping knife and take home containers. Instructor: *Joseph Scillieri*

Fee: \$40+\$25

1 Session – Starts 4/7

Thursday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

CULINARY

SOUFFLES

Beginning with the correct dish, which Kim will provide and is included in your material fee, the class will go over the principles behind Soufflés. On night one the class will prepare 4 different dessert Soufflés and then 4 different savory Soufflés on night two. If Decadent Chocolate Soufflé or Herbed Cheese Soufflé sound appetizing, mark your calendar and join this class. Bring to class: apron, dish towel and take home containers. Instructor: *Kim Hendrickson*

Fee: \$70+30

2 Sessions – Starts 4/11

Monday and Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

PAD THAI – You can make it at home!

Most of us wait until we go out to eat to have this dish. But, with just a few basic steps and easy to find ingredients making Pad Thai at home whenever you crave it is easy. Kim will walk you thru the basics and then the class will break into teams and prepare the dish themselves. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, paring knife, chopping knife and take home containers. Instructor: *Kim Hendrickson*

Fee: \$40+\$15

1 Session – Starts 4/25

Monday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

VEGETARIAN POWER BOWLS

Want an easy and delicious solution to eating healthy? Sick and tired of boring salads? Looking for inspiring side dishes? Learn how to make Veggie Power Bowls, the hottest food trend around. Your whole meal is in one bowl. All the different flavors and textures combine to create one sumptuous and nutritious meal. Best of all they can all be prepped ahead saving you valuable time in the kitchen during the week. With endless combinations, they're fast, versatile and customizable to meet your lifestyle. Menu ingredients are vegetarian, gluten and dairy free. Join Natural Foods Chef and Holistic Nutrition & Lifestyle Coach, Christine Okezie for this fun, inspirational hands on class. You'll leave with actionable know-how and strategies to create your new healthy kitchen. Bring to class: apron, dishtowel, cutting knife, water bottle and take home containers. Instructor: *Christine Okezie*

Fee: \$45+\$15

1 Session – Starts 4/28

Thursday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

MILLIONAIRE BARS

A buttery shortbread crust, with a thick caramel layer topped with chocolate is what makes these bars worth a million! Some are intimidated by the steps (especially the caramel). But, Kim will share tips and advice to make these delicious bars at home for all to enjoy. After a basic demo, each person will make a 13 X 9-inch pan each. They store well, so you can distribute your sweets to all! Bring to class: apron, dish towel and 13 x 9-inch baking pan. Instructor: *Kim Hendrickson*

Fee: \$40+\$12

1 Session – Starts 5/2

Monday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

GALLETES – Sweet and Savory

Gallettes are nothing more than a free - form pastry that contains a filling. Taking the place of structured tarts, this is an easy way to jazz up almost any filling, sweet or savory! If making a crust scares you or If you think baking a tart is hard, come! After some basic tips and tricks, each person will make either a sweet or savory tart to take home. Bring to class: apron, dish towel, paring knife, chopping knife and baking sheet. Instructor: *Kim Hendrickson*

Fee: \$40+\$15

1 Session – Starts 5/9

Monday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

SPRINGTIME GRILLING

Keep your home cool while cooking outside. Grilling is easy, fun, and let's not forget flavorful. On our first night, we will prepare beef kabobs with fresh vegetables and on the second night we will prepare Salmon. Before we grill our vegetables, we will create a homemade marinade to toss our colorful zucchini, peppers, tomatoes, and onions. We will grill fruit that are abundant during the springtime. Grilled fruits are not only delicious but add a beautiful toss to your dish. Bring to class: apron, dishtowel, chopping knife and take home containers. Instructor: *Joseph Scillieri*

Fee: \$70+\$45

2 Session – Starts 5/12

Thursday, 6:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Ramsey High School – Culinary Arts 102

DANCE

SOCIAL BALLROOM AND LATIN DANCE - Beginner

Come and experience how dancing can add excitement, fun, and healthy exercise to your life. Enrich your world with the sounds of wonderful music. We will teach two Ballroom dances (Foxtrot and Swing) and two Latin dances (Cha Cha and Rumba). Please sign up with a partner (price is per person). Wear to class: soft or suede leather soles for hardwood floors. Instructor: *Matt Hauer*

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT

8 Sessions – Starts 3/7

No class: 4/18

Monday, 8:30 PM – 9:30 PM

Hubbard School – Gym

SOCIAL BALLROOM AND LATIN DANCE - Intermediate

Let's soothe our souls and improve our dancing with the Intermediate class. We will add some more variations in the Foxtrot, Rumba, Cha-Cha and Swing and introduce TANGO and WALTZ. Completion of the Beginner class is a must. Experience how dancing can add excitement, fun, and healthy exercise to your life. Enrich your world with the sounds of wonderful music. Please sign up with a partner (price is per person). Wear to class: soft or suede leather soles for hardwood floors. Instructor: *Matt Hauer*

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT

8 Sessions – Starts 3/7

No class: 4/18

Monday, 7:30 PM – 8:30 PM

Hubbard School – Gym

TAP DANCE – Beginner to Advanced Beginner

Hear your feet tapping to the sounds of Broadway, Jazz, and the Classics while you learn and review the Shim Sham, Waltz Clog, Shuffle Off to Buffalo, and other classic tap steps. Learn routines to show off to your friends and family. Tap dancing is great exercise for both the mind and body in addition to being a lot of fun for everyone. Dress comfortably. Wear soft sole shoes or tap shoes.

Instructor: *Jackie Gersht*

Fee: \$110/104 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 3/9

No class: 4/20

Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Eric Smith School - Cafeteria

LANGUAGE

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE – Basics

No voices will be used in class, as students learn a basic introduction to ASL and the communications of deaf culture. Visual- gestural activities include finger spelling, basic word vocabulary and sentence structure, use of body language and facial expression, and the describing of objects and location. This course is designed to meet the needs of family, employers, educators, human services providers and health professionals who use sign as a part of their daily and/or occupational responsibilities. Instructor: *Belle Hsu*

Fee: \$125/113 SR CIT

9 Sessions – Starts 3/1

No class: 4/12

Tuesday, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Midland Park High School

AMERICAN SIGN LANGUAGE – Intermediate

Continues basic language and culture study. Offers the opportunity to build receptive and expressive ASL vocabulary in a non-voice setting with group practice. Topics include the use of signing space and further use of non-manual components, including facial expression and body postures. Prerequisite: American Sign Language – Basics (or equivalent knowledge). Instructor: *Belle Hsu*

Fee: \$125/113 SR CIT

9 Sessions – Starts 3/1

No class: 4/12

Tuesday, 7:30 PM – 9:00 PM

Midland Park High School

FRENCH I - Basic

Parlez-vous Francais? Soon you will be one of those who can answer 'Oui!' If you want to converse on a basic level, if you wish to know more about French culture, customs and traditions or if you plan to travel to France for the first time, then this course is for you! Course content includes everyday vocabulary, grammar, cultural information and the little tips that make a trip successful. Required text: Easy French Step-by-Step by Myrna Bell Rochester, (ISBN 978-0071453875) available at Amazon.com. Instructor: *Henri-Pierre Corbacho*

Fee: \$140/133 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 2/23

No class: 4/20

Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Dater School – Room 225

LANGUAGE

FRENCH II - Basic

For returning and new students who have a basic knowledge of French. We will learn second and third group verbs, irregular verbs, and continue to focus on building vocabulary and strengthening conversational skills. French history, culture and traditions will be discussed. Required text: *Easy French Step-by-Step* by Myrna Bell Rochester – Class will start on Lesson 5. Instructor: *Henri-Pierre Corbacho*

Fee: \$135/128 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/24
No class: 4/21
Thursday, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Dater School – Room 225

ITALIAN I - Basic

This course will introduce you to the beginner grammatical features of this rich, romantic, and beautiful language. Basic vocabulary building, listening comprehension, pronunciation, and speaking ability will be the focus of this class. At the end of this course, you will learn the skills necessary for basic daily communication and simple interactions while traveling in Italy. Required text: *Italian Made Simple* by Cristina Mazzone, (ISBN 978-1931873116), Revised and Updated Edition available at Amazon.com. Instructor: *Giovanni Pilosio*

Fee: \$140/133 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/28
No class: 4/18
Monday, 6:15 PM – 7:45 PM
Eric Smith School – Room 112

ITALIAN II – Intermediate

TI PIACE PARLARE ITALIANO? An intermediate class for the student who already has a good grasp of the Italian language. Extensive work on grammar, vocabulary, pronunciation, verbal fluency and idioms will be the focus of this class. Some history on culture and traditions will be introduced as well. Required text: *Italian Made Simple* by Cristina Mazzone, (ISBN 978-1931873116), Revised and Updated Edition available at Amazon.com. Instructor: *Giovanni Pilosio*

Fee: \$140/133 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/28
No class: 4/18
Monday, 7:45 PM – 9:15 PM
Eric Smith School – Room 112

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH – Level I

Spanish conversation is a course designed to build and improve your communicative abilities in Spanish. This course would also provide exposure to the other language skills reading, listening, writing and socio-cultural competence which are a must to developing speaking fluency. Teacher will provide all the necessary materials. Bring to class: Bring Your Own Device, a tablet or a laptop. Instructor: *Patricia Sularz*

Fee: \$95/90 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/23
No class: 4/20
Wednesday, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Eric Smith School – Room 116

CONVERSATIONAL SPANISH – Level II

A course of intermediate difficulty in which you will be exposed to a variety of topics and be able to understand. Classes will specialize in extensive speaking practice. Students will frequently deliver short presentations and will participate in group conversations on a variety of topics each week. Teacher will provide all the necessary materials. Bring to class: Bring Your Own Device, a tablet or a laptop. Instructor: *Patricia Sularz*

Fee: \$95/90 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/23
No class: 4/20
Wednesday, 8:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Eric Smith School – Room 116

PERFORMING

PRIVATE PIANO LESSONS – All Levels

Learn piano with a unique and fun-loving teacher with over four decades of experience, formerly with the Berklee College of Music. These private, one-on-one, half hour lessons are designed for all ages, interests, and experience levels. Lessons can also be tailored to any high school student musician seeking to prepare for a college music major. There are no make-ups for private classes due to student absence. To register, call the Ramsey Community School office at 201-327-2025 to schedule a 30-minute private time slot. Required Material: Music manuscript book. Instructor: *Kathy Sheppard*

Fee: \$250
8 Sessions – Starts 3/1
No class: 4/19
Tuesday, 5:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Tisdale School – Room 28

PERFORMING

DRUMMING FUNDAMENTALS – Ages 10 & Up

The ins and outs for successful drumming! In this course we will assess the drummers' levels of skills, understanding of drumming and steer them to the direction needed for succession in drumming and MUSIC. We will cover the following topics: Grip Technique (the do's and don'ts). Understanding music theory; the importance of clefs in music, time signatures in relation to rhythm, basic rhythmic reading. Snare drums fundamentals: playing the drum, understanding the use of the whole drum, rudiments (the A, B, and C's of drumming.) Basic drum-set grooves/fundamentals and applying rudiments on the drum set. Instructor will provide: Practice pad and drum sticks. Students must purchase manuscript paper. Instructor: *Reed Silverstein*

Fee: \$210

5 Sessions – Starts 4/19

Tuesday, 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM

Midland Park High School – Choral Room

ACTING AND COMEDY WORKSHOP

This popular course includes improv exercises, theatre games, character creation, comedic monologues and more! Join the fun! Instructor: *Bernice Wood- Harris*

Fee: \$130/123 SR CIT

8 Sessions – Starts 2/22

No class: 3/15 and 4/19

Tuesday 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Dater School – Room 143

LIVING YOUR BEST LIFE!

Bernice Harris is the director of the "AnitaLaugh" comedy troupe, voted Best Comedy Entertainment" in Bergen County. She has been an instructor for over 20 years. People from all walks of life take her workshops to help overcome public speaking fears, anxiety and social discomfort as well as those looking for creative outlets and the support of other like-minded people. Whether you are looking to improve relationships, find your "funny side" or become a generally happier person, we will work to help achieve that! Now's the time to start enjoying more, join us!!! Instructor: *Bernice Wood- Harris*

Fee: \$50/46 SR CIT

4 Sessions – Starts 3/2

Wednesday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM

Dater School – Room 143

STUDIO

OIL PAINTING for Beginners to Advanced Beginners

Have you ever thought about learning to paint in oils? Or did you paint in oils a while ago and you want to get back to it? This is the class for you! This class combines beginners with experienced artists. Beginners will learn the fundamentals of oil painting while more experienced artists will "brush up" their skills learning more advanced techniques. Beginners and first time painters to our class work on structured projects tailored to students' experience. Everyone paints at their own level and at their own speed. The focus is on individual style. On the first night of class new students should bring pen and paper. We will go over materials. If you have any old oil painting supplies, please bring them regardless of their age. Our ongoing students continue working on their paintings. Many of our regular students have shown their painting in local exhibitions winning top prizes in juried shows. Check out our Facebook page: @artoftuesdaynight Instructor: *Susan Marlett*

Fee: \$190/171 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 3/1

No class: 4/12

Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Midland Park High School

COMPUTER

EXCEL I

Learn about the very useful and powerful Microsoft spreadsheet program. The basic concepts and skills of Excel will be explored including worksheets, workbooks, opening files, saving files, entering data, formatting data, formulas, copying formulas, arithmetic and column summing. Learn about using AutoSum to enter summing formulas for rows and columns. Learn about AutoFill to copy hundreds of formulas. Learn to work with spreadsheet projects that involve several separate sheets and 3-dimensional workbooks. Students must have a working knowledge of the Windows operating system. Students should be reasonably skillful using a mouse. All materials included. Instructor: *Gregory Fiorentino*

Fee: \$135/122 SR CIT

4 Sessions – Starts 4/18

Monday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Midland Park High School

COMPUTER

IPHONE TIPS AND TRICKS

Got a new iPad or iPhone and don't know how to use it or want to learn more about a device you already own? In this virtual class you will learn how to navigate and update your device, how to download APPS and many other great features that will make the iPad or iPhone much easier to use. Instructor is a certified Apple tech, trainer and tech enthusiast for over 13 years. Instructor: *Gregory Fiorentino*

Fee: \$35

1 Session – Starts 2/28

Monday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Midland Park High School

GOOGLE APPS

There are some available free Google Apps for personal use. A free Google Account will allow you to access many apps without having to purchase a subscription. Google apps are cloud-based and provide you with productivity, communication, and collaborative tools. Some of these tools include Gmail, Docs, Sheets, Slides, Calendar, Drive, Meet, and Forms. A Google Chrome browser lets you edit your docs, sheets, and slides in Chrome while you're offline and can also be accessed from another device. It is recommended that you create a Google Account before classes start. Instructor: *Theresa Iannantuano*

Fee: \$135/122 SR CIT

4 Sessions – Starts 3/7

Monday, 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM

Midland Park High School

EXERCISE

AFTER WORK STRENGTH TRAINING

Whether you've spent your day in the office or at home taking care of your family, this class is for you! Build core strength and improve balance with or without equipment. Weights and a yoga mat are strongly recommended. Elastic bands and a Pilates ring will kick up your workout! Train your heart with low impact aerobics. Appropriate for everyone. Modifications are always offered. Bring water. Must wear sneakers. Instructor: *Nina Chazen*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 2/24

No class: 4/21

Thursday, 7:15 PM – 8:15 PM

Tisdale School – Gym

BARRE

The dancer's body workout designed to help you develop a longer, leaner body. Barre uses small, controlled movements, isometric holds and high repetition. Define and lift the hips, thighs and glutes! Sculpt the abs and shape the arms! There's nothing else like it. The format includes light weights for upper body, standing barre work for lower body, mat work for abs. Bring to class: mat, water and one pair of light weights, (2- 3 lbs.). Instructor: *Denise Swan*

Fee: \$98/88 SR CIT

8 Sessions – Starts 3/2

No class: 4/13

Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM

Midland Park High School

CHAIR YOGA

Chair Yoga embraces all aspects of a traditional yoga class (breathing, stretching, balancing, strengthening, relaxing etc.) but modified to be done with the support of a chair, either seated or standing. This class is suitable for beginners, older adults and students with physical limitations or disabilities. Classes will include versions of twists, hip stretches, forward bends, mild backbends and supported balancing poses. Chair yoga helps participants strengthen large and small muscle groups, increases range of motion and flexibility, reduces stress and cultivates body awareness and a sense of well being. Bring to class: mat and water. Instructor: *Carrie Dye*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 3/2

No class: 4/20

Wednesday, 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Tisdale School – Gym

GO WITH THE FLOW YOGA

A co-ed course taught Tae Bo® style, of cardiovascular martial arts moves. A fun way to improve strength and balance while toning your muscles and burning fat. Great therapy for the mind and body! A no contact course. Participants will need: mat, water and wear athletic shoes. Instructor: *Carrie Dye*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 3/3

No class: 4/21

Thursday, 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM

Tisdale School – Gym

EXERCISE

KICKBOXING

A co-ed course taught Tae Bo® style, of cardiovascular martial arts moves. A fun way to improve strength and balance while toning your muscles and burning fat. Great therapy for the mind and body! A no contact course. Participants will need: mat, water and wear athletic shoes. Instructor: *Becky Shields*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/28
No class: 4/18
Monday, 7:00 PM – 8:00 PM
Tisdale School – Gym

KUNDALINI YOGA AND MEDITATION FOR STRESS MANAGEMENT

Too much stress begins to affect our thoughts, behaviors, and even our physical health. Over time, stress diminishes our vitality and reduces our ability to enjoy life. Kundalini Yoga and Meditation strengthens the parasympathetic nervous system, our “rest and digest” mode, which counteracts the “fight or flight” response that is triggered when we’re under stress. Combining breathing exercises, hand position, eye-focus, mantra and postures, Kundalini Yoga is designed to help you navigate life's challenges with more ease and intelligence. Even if you have never done yoga or meditation before this class is for you. If you have a Mind, you can receive all the health benefits. If sitting on the floor is not available to you many of the seated postures can be done in a regular chair. Instructor: *Christine Okezie*

Fee: \$90/85 SR CIT
5 Sessions – Starts 3/1
Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM
Tisdale School – Gym

PILATES

Join Pilates to find your core, which will help support your back. As we age we are slouching and shrinking. Pilates to the rescue... This work will help you to elongate your muscle, giving you a more leaner, longer look and who knows you just may find you like it. Keep in mind, Pilates works the whole body, and with time and consistency you will get stronger. If you don't try it, you won't know. See you on the mat! Participants will need: mat, water. Instructor: *Margaret Caruvana*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/28
No class: 4/18
Monday, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
Hubbard School – Gym

VINYASA YOGA - Beginner

Enjoy a slow, flowing yoga class, exploring fundamentals of alignment as we open and stretch the hips and shoulders. Stretch and strengthen the spine in a fun and safe way using breath awareness techniques, known as pranayama. Build strength and flexibility in a fun and safe way, where we gather our energy to cultivate healing, strength, and inner peace. Start where you are; all levels welcome. Bring to class: mat, water. Instructor: *Lisa Goldstein*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/28
No class: 4/18
Monday, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
Dater School – Gym

YOGA FOR A BETTER BACK

Students will learn yoga sequences to relax and release muscles, as well as, sequences to strengthen abdominal, hip and back muscles utilized to support the spine. This practice will include movements which will promote good posture and help students to discover deeper awareness of their body. Bring to class: mat, water and yoga block. Instructor: *Carrie Dye*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 3/2
No class: 4/20
Wednesday, 6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Tisdale School – Gym

ZUMBA

Zumba is a high energy fitness class that combines resistance training with interval training to tone and sculpt the body, burn fat and maximize the caloric burn, along with hip shaking, high energy Latin dance movements. By combining the aerobics from the easy-to-follow dance steps with the low-impact exercise you get an all over body workout. Getting in shape and losing weight has never been so much fun! Don't be shy - it's a fun way to get in shape. Instructor: *Jenny Kelly*

Fee: \$120/114 SR CIT
10 Sessions – Starts 2/23
No class: 4/20
Wednesday, 6:30 PM – 7:30 PM
Dater School – Gym

EXERCISE

WINTER WONDERLAND – 5 FITNESS HIKES

Enjoy the beautiful winter landscape while hiking about 3-4 miles with possible scenic stops to do planks, pushups, and yoga poses to build core strength and balance, or to rest and enjoy the view!. Snowshoes are welcome if there's snow.

Appropriate for everyone but stamina is a must! Face Masks and Social Distancing are mandatory. Bring water, poles, snack, wear sweat wicking clothes. Instructor: *Nina Chazen*

Fee: \$109/103 SR CIT

5 Sessions – Starts 2/5

No class: 2/19

Saturday, 10:00 AM – 12:00 AM

Local Park Trails

LEARN TO HIKE

If you've never hiked before or can't remember the last time you did, this friendly group is for you! Learn skills that will get you up the mountain safely and efficiently. Enjoy the warmth of early fall while hiking about 3- 4 miles to train your heart.

Build core and muscle strength at scenic stops by using elastic bands, pushups, and yoga poses, or rest and enjoy the view!

Appropriate for all levels but must have stamina to complete the hike! Hiking schedule will be determined by the instructor. Bring water, bug repellent, poles, wear sweat-wicking clothing. Instructor: *Nina Chazen*

Fee: \$109/103 SR CIT

5 Sessions – Starts 3/19

No class: 4/16

Saturday, 9:30 AM – 11:30 AM

Local Park Trails

SPRING BLOSSOM TRAILS – 5 FITNESS HIKES

If you've never hiked before or can't remember the last time you did, this friendly group is for you! Learn skills that will get you up the mountain safely and efficiently. Enjoy the warmth of early fall while hiking about 3- 4 miles to train your heart.

Build core and muscle strength at scenic stops by using elastic bands, pushups, and yoga poses, or rest and enjoy the view!

Appropriate for all levels but must have stamina to complete the hike! Hiking schedule will be determined by the instructor. Bring water, bug repellent, poles, wear sweat-wicking clothing. Instructor: *Nina Chazen*

Fee: \$163/155 SR CIT

5 Sessions – Starts 4/30

No class: 5/28

Saturday, 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM

Local Park Trails

MOUNTAIN LAUREL EXPLOSION – 4 SCENIC FITNESS HIKES

If you've never hiked before or can't remember the last time you did, this friendly group is for you! Learn skills that will get you up the mountain safely and efficiently. Enjoy the warmth of early fall while hiking about 3- 4 miles to train your heart.

Build core and muscle strength at scenic stops by using elastic bands, pushups, and yoga poses, or rest and enjoy the view!

Appropriate for all levels but must have stamina to complete the hike! Hiking schedule will be determined by the instructor. Bring water, bug repellent, poles, wear sweat-wicking clothing. Instructor: *Nina Chazen*

Fee: \$130/123 SR CIT

4 Sessions – Starts 6/11

No class: 7/2

Saturday, 8:30 AM – 11:30 PM

Local Park Trails

SPORTS

VOLLEYBALL CO-ED – Intermediate

This course is for the intermediate player that has some volleyball experience and understanding of game play. Players must be 18 and older. No beginner or advanced level players should sign-up for this course. RCS reserves the right to change your placement, based on instructor input, to ensure the correct playing level for your safety and the safety of others. Please be courteous and arrive on time. Instructor: *Thomas Harper*

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 2/22

No class: 3/15 and 4/19

Tuesday, 6:30 PM – 8:00 PM

Dater School – Gym

VOLLEYBALL CO-ED - Advanced

This course is for the advanced player that has extensive volleyball experience and a firm understanding of game play. You must be able to bump, pass, set and hit, and spike effectively. Players must be 18 and older. No beginner or intermediate level players should sign-up for this course. RCS reserves the right to change your placement, based on instructor input, to ensure the correct playing level for your safety and the safety of others. Please be courteous and arrive on time. Instructor: *Thomas Harper*

Fee: \$115/109 SR CIT

10 Sessions – Starts 2/22

No class: 3/15 and 4/19

Tuesday, 8:00 PM – 9:30 PM

Dater School – Gym

SPORTS

BOATING SAFETY & CERTIFICATION

This boating safety course is designed to appeal to all recreational boaters including those who cannot find time for a full, comprehensive boating safety course. This course is approved by the National Association of Boating Law Administrators and meets all of the requirements for NJ certification for all vessel operators. Completion of this course will provide the students with NJ Boating navigation rules, PWC and small boat handling, emergency measure and courtesy. This course satisfies the new mandatory NY Boating Safety Education requirements. Students are required to attend all 8 hours of instruction to obtain certification. Student 13 to 18 years of age must register with an adult for this class. Bring to class: A bagged lunch and pen. Instructor: *Pat Ermilio*

Fee: \$85

1 Sessions – Starts 2/26

Saturday, 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM

Eric Smith School – Room116

FAMILY

PUPPY OBEDIENCE – Group Classes

Puppy Group classes will address puppy problems –such as nipping, jumping, house training while also beginning important skills. Rain Date: June 6. Instructor: *Haggerty Dog Training*

Fee: \$160/144 SR CIT

4 Sessions – Starts 4/18

Monday, 4:00 PM – 5:00 PM

Midland Park High School

BASIC DOG OBEDIENCE – Group Classes

This 6-week course will address walking on a loose leash, sit and sit-stay, down and down-stay, come when called and go to your place. Rain Date: June 6. Instructor: *Haggerty Dog Training*

Fee: \$240/216 SR CIT

6 Sessions – Starts 4/18

Monday, 5:00 PM – 6:00 PM

Midland Park High School

HEALTH & WELLNESS

HEARTSAVER ADULT & CHILD CPR/AED & INFANT CPR with FIRST AID COURSE

With this combination class, you will be registering for both the Heartsaver Adult & Child CPR/AED with Infant CPR class and the Heartsaver First Aid class at the same time and save money! See the individual class schedules for details.

Instructor: *Richard Vander Wall*

Fee: \$140

2 Sessions – Starts 3/22

Tuesday, 6:15 PM – 9:15 PM

Dater School - Cafeteria

HEARTSAVER ADULT and CHILD CPR/AED with INFANT CPR

Heartsaver CPR AED is a video-based, instructor-led course that teaches adult and child CPR and AED use, infant CPR, and how to relieve choking in adults, children, and infants. This course teaches skills with the AHA's research proven practice while watching techniques, which allow instructors to observe the students, provide feedback, and guide the students' learning of skills. This course is for anyone with limited or no medical training who needs a course completion card in CPR and AED use to meet job, regulatory, or other requirements. Instructor: *Richard Vander Wall*

Fee: \$85

1 Session – Starts 3/22

Tuesday, 6:15 PM – 9:15 PM

Dater School - Cafeteria

HEARTSAVER FIRST AID

Heartsaver First Aid teaches critical skills to respond to and manage an emergency in the first few minutes until emergency medical services arrives. Learn first aid actions for choking, heart attack, and stroke victims as well as skills for handling injury and environmental emergencies including external bleeding, broken bones, sprains, bites and stings. This class is for people with limited or no medical training. Upon completion, you'll receive an American Heart Association Heartsaver First Aid certification card valid for 2 years.

Instructor: *Richard Vander Wall*

Fee: \$85

1 Session – Starts 3/29

Tuesday, 6:15 PM – 9:15 PM

Dater School - Cafeteria

MIND AND BODY

WEIGHT LOSS – LEARN MINDFULNESS EATING AND SELF-HYPNOSIS

Lose weight easily, safely, and permanently. In these two evenings you will learn how to eliminate your desire to overeat and feel full sooner, naturally, through hypnosis. You will learn self-hypnosis techniques for lifelong results. This is a safe and proven method. It does not involve the use of diets, pills, will power or calorie counting. We use clinical imagery, relaxation therapy and post-hypnotic suggestion to support you in a safe and permanent weight loss. Instructor: *Lindsey Sass*

Fee: \$60
2 Sessions – Starts 2/22
Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Ramsey High School – Room 101

DISCOVER YOUR PAST LIFE REGRESSION

Experience a journey back to a previous lifetime! In this workshop you will be guided on a journey, back to find and free yourself from old patterns and remnants of the past that may be hindering you today. We will explore the use of regression, intuition, dreams, meditation and free-association for past life recall. Core issue blocks, fears in relationships, health, prosperity and spirituality can be transformed through past life regression. You will experience an actual group past life regression. Instructor: *Lindsey Sass*

Fee: \$60
2 Sessions – Starts 3/1
Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Ramsey High School – Room 101

ANGEL MEDITATION

Connect and feel the divine love and compassion of your guardian angels through contemplation, writing, and meditation. Experience guided exercises with use of breath, imagery, and mantra (word). Ask questions of your guardian angels. Learn and experience the benefits of regular meditation: it lowers anxiety, stress, blood pressure and cortisol levels alleviating depression. Experience peace by connecting with your own inner stillness plus learn to release relaxant hormones and boost your energy levels. Receive clairvoyant readings from Lindsey. Instructor: *Lindsey Sass*

Fee: \$60
2 Sessions – Starts 3/22
Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Ramsey High School – Room 101

ADVANCED CHAKRA MEDITATIONS

Lindsey Sass will teach you as you experience the calm-abiding energy of Advanced Chakras. Learn profound Ancient Buddhist breathing techniques, mantras and meditations to bring vitality, health and spiritual development. Profound love, energy and insight into your abilities may be experienced through guided meditations as you develop your psychic abilities. Instructor: *Lindsey Sass*

Fee: \$60
2 Sessions – Starts 4/5
Tuesday, 7:00 PM – 8:30 PM
Ramsey High School – Room 101

SPECIAL INTEREST

MAH JONGG

Learn the modern American version of the Ancient Chinese game of Mah Jongg. Four people play the game at one time, but each play for them self. The game is similar in concept to Gin Rummy, but it employs more skill than luck. The game is not as difficult to learn as Bridge. Betting will not be discussed. Instructor: *Arlene Castleman*

Fee: \$95/90 SR CIT +\$3
8 Sessions – Starts 3/15
No class: 4/19
Tuesday, 4:00 PM – 5:30 PM -
Eric Smith School – Faculty Room

INTRODUCTION TO TAROT

Be your own fortune-teller! Am I going to meet Mr./Ms. Right? Will I get that raise? Is there a move in my future? Answer these questions and more with skill and insight, with a deck of Tarot cards. In this three night introduction to the Tarot, you'll learn brief keyword meanings for the cards and two simple spreads. By the end of the second night, you will be able to do uncannily accurate readings for yourself, your family and friends. Bring to class: a Rider-Waite Tarot deck (available on Amazon.com and at many bookstores) to class so you can begin working with the cards right away. Instructor: *Stephanie Saible*

Fee: \$89/80 SR CIT
3 Sessions – Starts 3/23
Wednesday, 7:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Midland Park High School

DAY TRIPS

BROOKLYN BOTANIC GARDEN'S CHERRY TREES/BROOKLYN PIZZA WALKING TOUR

Revel in the exuberant blossoms of the Cherry Esplanade and the Japanese Pond Garden. Explore a dozen specialty gardens and the Steinhardt Conservatory. We'll take a guided one block tour of Front St., America's most tasteful pizza district. Learn the stories behind Grimaldi's Pizza, Juliana Pizza, and Spumoni Gardens. Lunch, in Brooklyn Bridge Park, will feature two slices of pizza. Please wear comfortable walking shoes. Stage Right requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Thursday, 4/28
Time: 9:00 AM – 6:30 PM
Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot
Price: \$104

CLINTON – A Picture Perfect Norman Rockwell Treasure

Today we visit the Western New Jersey Town of Clinton (voted one of the best small towns in America by Architectural Digest) where we will experience historic architectural treasures, fine art, great food and quaint main streets. Our first stop is The Red Mill Museum Village, the most photographed building in New Jersey, where we will enjoy a guided tour and discover Hunterdon County's 19th industrial and agricultural past. Then it's off to lunch at the beautiful Clinton House and Inn, established in 1743. Here we partake in an elegant dining experience. The menu includes salad, Choice of entrée: Two 3oz filet medallions, grilled salmon or sautéed chicken w/asparagus and Vegetarian option: eggplant rollatini or seasonal vegetable pasta (indicate meal choice when registering). Dessert: cheesecake w/fresh berries, and coffee. After lunch we will take a tour of the award winning Huntington Art Gallery and conclude our day with a stroll down Main Street for some unique shopping and beautiful photo opportunities. Please wear comfortable walking shoes. Proof of Vaccination is required with valid I.D. upon entry to the Museum and Art Gallery. Trip led by *Melinda Scarso*.

Date Thursday, 5/5
Time: 8:30 AM – 6:00 PM
Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park
Fee: \$130

STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL AT PEDDLER'S VILLAGE

Back by popular demand! Come and have fun at the annual Strawberry Festival located in picturesque Peddlers Village. Browse amongst the booths of over 70 exceptional craftspeople from all over the region. Enjoy a variety of strawberry treats including chocolate dipped strawberries, assorted pastries, strawberry shortcake, strawberry jam, strawberry fritters and much more!

Date: Saturday, 5/14
Time: 8:30 AM – 5:30 PM
Pick-up: Midland Park High School parking lot
Fee: \$60

TOUR OF THE SHORE/SPRING LAKE – Lunch at the Breakers

We'll enjoy a guided bus tour from Sea Girt, with its historic light house, to Long Branch, where seven US presidents vacationed. We'll learn of the sinking of the Morro Castle and the rise of Bruce Springsteen. Buffet lunch at the Breakers hotel features Manhattan clam chowder, seafood salad, spring green salad, chicken scampi, honey ginger salmon, roast potatoes with rosemary and garlic and chocolate mousse for desert (Lunch included). Strolls on boardwalks of Spring Lake and Asbury Park. Please wear comfortable walking shoes. Stage Right requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 5/17
Time: 8:30 AM – 7:00 PM
Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot
Price: \$110

HISTORIC KINGSTON NY WALKING TOUR

Walk the Kingston street plan designed by Peter Stuyvesant in 1658 through the heart of the largest intact Dutch settlement in NY and where New York State was born in 1777. Guided by "The Friends of Historic Kingston", our tour passes 18th century limestone houses, the Old Dutch Church, where graves of Revolutionary War soldiers and New York's first governor are found. You will enter the Johnston House, built in 1812, containing American decorative arts and a museum of local history in Kingston's "stockade District" to name a few sights. Following our tour, we will eat lunch at "The Hoffman House", once a lookout for native American attacks, and severely damaged when the British burned Kingston in 1777, the building has been beautifully restored. Please indicate choice when registering: London Broil, Salmon, Chicken Francaise or Pasta Primavera. A tour of the "Senate House" follows lunch. During the Revolutionary War, New York's Constitutional Convention met there and on April 20, 1777, adopted the first New York State

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Constitution. Galleries, a museum and the grounds may also be explored (the 2nd floor art and furniture gallery is not handicapped accessible). Masks must be worn on the bus and visiting indoor spaces. Subject to change. Tour led by *Cindy Mahoney*.

Date: Saturday, 6/4
Time: 8:30 AM – 5:00 PM
Pick-up: Midland Park High School parking lot
Price: \$120

THE “NEW” EMPIRE STATE BUILDING, EATALY AND THE HIGHLINE

Experience the “New Empire State Building.” After a 165-million-dollar renovation we enjoy the restored magnificent lobby, the renovated museum with amazing exhibits where we will learn about the construction and history of this architectural masterpiece. We continue on our tour to the 86th floor observation deck where we experience a 360-degree view of NYC and beyond with floor to ceiling windows. Then it’s time for lunch at Eataly, a vibrant Italian Marketplace which has an outstanding array of cafes, restaurants, bars and shopping and unique kitchen products for sale. After lunch (on your own) we walk off those calories by taking a self-guided walk on the High Line where we will see breath-taking views of NYC, sculptures and gardens. Please wear comfortable walking shoes. Proof of Vaccination is required with valid I.D. upon entry to the Empire State Building. Trip led by *Melinda Scarso*.

Date: Tuesday, 6/7
Time: 9:45 AM – 6:00 PM
Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park
Price: \$99

PHILADELPHIA FLOWER SHOW – In Full Bloom

Discover innovative ideas in garden design at the nation’s biggest flower show. *In Full Bloom* explores the restorative and healing power of nature and plants and showcases how gardening can improve lives. The new outdoor venue, FDR Park, is a registered historical district designed by the Olmsted Brothers. FDR Park features impressive landscapes and architecture, majestic trees, and breathtaking views that contribute to the splendor of the Flower Show. Lunch on own. Stage Right requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 6/14
Time: 8:15 AM – 7:00 PM
Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot
Price: \$109

ESSEX STEAM TRAIN and RIVERBOAT CRUISE – Lunch at Griswold Inn

Depart for Essex, Connecticut and start your day with a delightful 3-course lunch at one of New England’s *truly* original country inns, The Griswold Inn. Luncheon includes: Potato Bisque Soup, choice of Pan Seared Salmon or Sliced Sirloin, Apple Turnover for dessert. Please indicate choice upon registration. After lunch, depart for the historic 1892 Essex Station, where you’ll board vintage rail cars pulled by an authentic steam locomotive. The train meanders through the scenic countryside to Deep River Landing, where you’re escorted onto the *Becky Thatcher* Riverboat. Aboard Becky’s 1-1/4-hour cruise along the Connecticut River, you’ll delight in breathtaking scenery and view historic landmarks such as Gillette Castle and Godspeed Opera House. When Becky returns to Deep River Landing, the steam train welcomes you for the return trip to Essex Station.

Date: Saturday, 6/25
Time: 8:00 AM – 7:15 PM
Pick-up: Midland Park High School parking lot
Price: \$130

MT. AIRY CASINO/RESORT – Forever Tina

Come and spend a day of fun at Mount Airy Casino/Resort in the Poconos, where every minute is a thrill. You will also enjoy a great musical tribute to TINA TURNER! Fee includes \$15 slot voucher and show ticket (show time 3:30 p.m.). State issued I.D. required in order to receive a voucher. Face Masks are strongly recommended.

Date: Saturday, 7/12
Time: 10:00 AM – 7:00 PM
Pick-up: Midland Park High School parking lot
Fee: \$99

THEATRE AND SHOWS

DEAR EVAN HANSEN – Music Box Theatre

The 2017 Tony winner for Best Musical follows Evan as he searches for the things in life we all need. A letter that was never meant to be seen, a lie that was never meant to be told, a life he never dreamed he could have. Evan Hansen is about to get the one thing he’s always wanted: A chance to fit in. Both deeply personal and profoundly contemporary, Dear Evan Hansen is the new American musical about life and the way we live it. 7:00PM curtain. Orchestra seating.

Date: Wednesday, 3/30
Time: 4:30 PM – 11:00 PM
Pick-up: Midland Park High School parking lot
Price: \$149

THEATRE AND SHOWS

FUNNY GIRL – August Wilson Theatre

Golden Globe® nominee Beanie Feldstein stars alongside Tony® nominee Ramin Karimloo, five-time Emmy Award® winner Jane Lynch and Jeff Award winner Jared Grimes and dazzles with the songs “Don’t Rain On My Parade,” “I’m the Greatest Star,” and “People.” This bittersweet comedy is the story of the indomitable Fanny Brice, a girl from the Lower East Side who dreamed of a life on the stage. Everyone told her she’d never be a star, but then something funny happened—she became one of the most beloved performers in history, shining brighter than the brightest lights of Broadway.

Date: Tuesday, 4/26

Time: 4:30 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: Midland Park High School parking lot

Fee: \$179

TINA – Lunt Fontanne Theatre

This new musical reveals a comeback story like no other, of a woman who dared to defy the bounds of racism, sexism and ageism to become the global Queen of Rock n’ Roll. TINA – THE TINA TURNER MUSICAL is a celebration of resilience and an inspiration of triumph over adversity. One of the world’s best-selling artists of all time, Tina Turner has won 12 Grammy Awards and her live shows have been seen by millions, with more concert tickets sold than any other solo performer in music history. Featuring her much loved songs, TINA – 7:00PM curtain. Orchestra seating. *Stage Right* requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 5/3

Time: 3:45 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot

Fee: \$179

MRS. DOUBTFIRE – Stephen Sondheim Theatre

Helloooooo! *Mrs. Doubtfire* is a musical now, poppets, and she's here to make everything better! Daniel Hillard, a struggling, out-of-work actor, will do anything for his kids. After losing custody in a messy divorce, he disguises himself as Scottish nanny Euphegenia Doubtfire in a desperate attempt to stay in their lives. As his new persona begins to take on a life of her own, Mrs. Doubtfire teaches Daniel more than he bargained for about how to be a father. A hysterical and heartfelt story about holding onto your loved ones against all odds, Mrs. Doubtfire is the next big musical comedy for families ---- of all kinds. 7:00PM curtain. Rear orchestra seating. *Stage Right* requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 5/3

Time: 3:45 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot

Fee: \$159

HADESTOWN – Walter Kerr Theatre

Welcome to *Hadestown*, where a song can change your fate. This acclaimed new musical by celebrated singer-songwriter Anais Mitchell and innovative director Rachel Chavkin (Natasha, Pierre & The Great Comet of 1812) is a love story for today... and always. *Hadestown* intertwines two mythic tales—that of young dreamers Orpheus and Eurydice, and that of King Hades and his wife Persephone—as it invites you on a hell-raising journey to the underworld and back. Mitchell’s beguiling melodies and Chavkin’s poetic imagination pit industry against nature, doubt against faith, and fear against love. Performed by a vibrant ensemble of actors, dancers and singers, *Hadestown* is a haunting and hopeful theatrical experience that grabs you and never let’s go. 7:00 PM curtain. Rear orchestra seating. *Stage Right* requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 5/3

Time: 3:45 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot

Fee: \$179

THEATRE AND SHOWS

HAMILTON – Richard Rodgers Theatre

Hamilton is the story of the unlikely Founding Father determined to make his mark on the new nation as hungry and ambitious as he is. From bastard orphan to Washington's right-hand man, rebel to war hero, a loving husband caught in the country's first sex scandal, to the Treasury head who made an untrusting world believe in the American economy. George Washington, Eliza Hamilton, Thomas Jefferson and Hamilton's lifelong friend/foil Aaron Burr all make their mark in this astonishing new musical exploration of a political mastermind. 7:00 PM curtain. Rear Mezzanine seating. Stage Right requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 5/10

Time: 3:45 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot

Fee: \$219

HAMILTON – Richard Rodgers Theatre

Hamilton is the story of the unlikely Founding Father determined to make his mark on the new nation as hungry and ambitious as he is. From bastard orphan to Washington's right-hand man, rebel to war hero, a loving husband caught in the country's first sex scandal, to the Treasury head who made an untrusting world believe in the American economy. George Washington, Eliza Hamilton, Thomas Jefferson and Hamilton's lifelong friend/foil Aaron Burr all make their mark in this astonishing new musical exploration of a political mastermind. 7:00 PM curtain. Front Mezzanine seating. Stage Right requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 5/10

Time: 3:45 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot

Fee: \$299

MUSIC MAN – Winter Garden Theatre

Two-time Tony, Grammy, and Emmy winner Hugh Jackman will make his highly anticipated return to Broadway as Professor Harold Hill in Meredith Willson's beloved classic, *The Music Man*. Two-time Tony-winning superstar Sutton Foster will star as Marian Paroo. There is trouble in River City when con artist Harold Hill arrives in town. There's only one problem with his plans—he falls in love with the straight-laced librarian, Marian. Featuring songs such as "Seventy-Six Trombones," "Trouble," "'Til There Was You," "Pickalittle" and "Gary, Indiana." 7:00 PM curtain. Rear Orchestra seating. Stage Right requires all participants to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19 and wear masks in order to attend their trips. Proof of vaccination is required at time of entry to the bus. Trip led by *Paul Boddy*.

Date: Tuesday, 5/10

Time: 3:45 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: MacFarren Field parking lot

Fee: \$309

PLAZA SUITE – Hudson Theatre

Two-time Tony Award winner Matthew Broderick and two-time Emmy Award winner Sarah Jessica Parker will return to Broadway in the first-ever New York revival of Neil Simon's classic comedy about marriage, directed by Tony Award winner John Benjamin Hickey. It's an evening of three one-acts set in the Plaza Hotel. One Visitor from Mamaroneck, a middle-aged married couple tries to rekindle their dying spark. One Visitor from Hollywood, a film producer invites his childhood sweetheart to a hotel for relations. One Visitor from Forest Hills, a bride has locked herself in the bathroom on her wedding day, with her parents desperate to get her out. 8:00 PM curtain. Dress Circle (Mezzanine) seating.

Date: Wednesday, 6/8

Time: 4:30 PM – 11:00 PM

Pick-up: Midland Park High School parking lot

Fee: \$225

OVERNIGHT TRIPS

AMELIA ISLAND, ST. AUGUSTINE & JACKSONVILLE, FL

Board your motorcoach for the sunshine of Jacksonville, Florida!! Your trip includes: 6-night lodging (4 nights in Florida); 6 breakfasts and 4 dinners; Visit to the Fountain of Youth; Guided Tours of Amelia Island, St. Augustine and Jacksonville; Narrated Cruise on the St. John's River; Dinner Party with Entertainment. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Tour escorted by *Melinda Scarso*. Call the RCS office at (201) 327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: 4/3 – 4/9, 2022

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$989

Double: \$729

Triple: \$709

NASHVILLE SHOW TRIP

Board your motorcoach and head for lots of excitement in Nashville. Your trip includes: 6 nights lodging, (4 nights in the Nashville area); 6 Breakfasts, 4 Dinners; 2 Great Shows: 1) The Grand Old Opry, 2) Nashville Nightlife Dinner Theater; Guided tours of Nashville and Belle Meade Plantation; Admissions to: the Country Music Hall of Fame; Grand Ole Opry Behind the Scenes Tour; Johnny Cash Museum; Ryman Guided Backstage Tour and Ride on the Delta Flatboats inside the Opryland Hotel. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Tour escorted by *Melinda Scarso*. Call the RCS office at (201) 327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: 5/15 – 5/21, 2022

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$1229

Double: \$979

Triple: \$959

VIRGINIA BEACH/NORFOLK/COLONIAL WILLIAMSBURG

Board your motorcoach and head for beautiful Virginia Beach! Your trip includes 4 nights lodging in Virginia Beach, 4 breakfasts and 4 dinners. Visits include: Virginia Beach Aquarium & Marine Science Center, The Virginia Beach Boardwalk, Guided Tour of Colonial Williamsburg, Dinner Cruise & Entertainment on the Spirit of Norfolk, Admission to the Nauticus & Battleship Wisconsin and Yankee Candle Village. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Tour escorted by *Melinda Scarso*. Call the RCS office (201) 327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: 6/13 – 6/17, 2022

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$1,099

Double: \$849

Triple: \$829

BOSTON, SALEM & CAPE ANN

Board your motorcoach and head for historic Boston. Your trip includes: 3 nights lodging; 3 Breakfasts, 3 Dinners; Full day guided tour of Boston; Boston's World Famous Faneuil Hall and Quincy Marketplace; John F. Kennedy Presidential Library and Museum; Minute Man National Historical Park. Visit Salem, a city with more than three hundred years of New England history and the site of the infamous Salem Witchcraft Trials. Tour continues on to beautiful Cape Ann. A \$100 non-refundable deposit required upon registration. Tour led by *Terry Seiders*. Call the RCS office (201) 327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register

Date: 7/8 – 7/11, 2022

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$569

Double: \$469

Triple: \$449

ATLANTIC CITY, CAPE MAY & PHILADELPHIA

Board your motorcoach and set off for the excitement of Atlantic City! Your trip includes: 2 nights lodging in an Atlantic City Casino Hotel; Casino Bonus; 2 Breakfasts; 2 Dinners; Guided Tour of Philadelphia; Trolley Tour of Cape May; Tour of a Historic Cape May Victorian Home; Guided Tour of Cape May Point and Cape May Point Lighthouse and free time on the Atlantic City Boardwalk. Proof of Vaccination is required for this trip. A \$100 non-refundable deposit required upon registration. Tour escorted by *Melinda Scarso*. Call the RCS office at (201) 327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: 8/15 – 8/17, 2022

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$719

Double: \$519

Triple: \$499

CHICAGO

Board your motorcoach for Sizzling Chicago - one of the most exciting cities in the country! Your trip includes: 6 nights lodging (4 nights in the Chicago area); 6 breakfasts and 4 dinners; a visit to the Museum of Science and Industry; Visit to the world famous 360 CHICAGO, formerly the John Hancock Observatory; Guided tour of Chicago, Skyline cruise on Lake Michigan; Visit to the historic Navy Pier and Chicago's Money Museum, Gaming at a Chicago area casino; Two dinner parties with entertainment, visit to the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame and Museum in Cleveland, OH en route home. A \$100 non-refundable deposit is required upon registration. Tour escorted by *Melinda Scarso*. Call the RCS office at (201) 327-2025 for a complete itinerary or to register.

Date: 9/18 – 9/24, 2022

Pick-up: Faith Reformed Church, Midland Park

Single: \$999

Double: \$789

Triple: \$769