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Before and After School Enrichment Program
Overview

Start Date September 7th, 2021
Open to Kindergarten to 5th Grade

○ **Locations**

- Stevens Brook Elementary School Gym
- Town Hall Gym
- Bridgton Community Ice Rink (Behind Town Hall)

*Pick Up location will be determined based on what activity your child is participating in at the end of the day. Each location will be set up for a specific activity. We will be using SAD #61 busing for transportation. A predetermined pick-up location will be established for you.

○ **Hours**

- 6:00 – 8:30AM (SBES Gym)
- 3:00–6:00PM (All Rec Programs Dismissed to SBES Gym Each Day)
- This includes sports practices and programs.

○ **Cost**

- \$100 per month (\$5 per day includes morning and evening)
 - Participant can come every day
 - Includes Half Days, No School Days, Vacation Weeks, Snow Days
- \$8.50 per day – preregister for select days (includes morning and evening)
 - Pre-register for Half Days, No School Days, Vacation Weeks, Snow Days **Required**
- \$10.00 per day – Drop In (Subject to spots available)
 - Pre-register for Half Days, No School Days, Vacation Weeks, Snow Days **Required**

Registration Will Open Beginning of August

- **Activities**

- We are still working on a schedule for the week and should have an update on specific days and what activities they will be. Participants should expect activities such as:
 - Athletics (Fees for Lake Region Youth Athletics Separate)
 - Lego Education
 - Science Club
 - Half Day Enrichment Field Trips
 - Outdoor Recreation – Kayaking, Snow Shoeing, Hiking
 - Community Projects and Events
 - Homework Help
 - Karate
 - Ice Skating – Learn to Skate with Bridgton Academy
 - Public Library Visits
 - Music, Art, and Drama Opportunities
- If your son or daughter is enrolled in our program full time, there are no additional cost to extra-curricular activities. (Excludes Athletics) If they are not enrolled with us full time registration there will be additional fees for certain activities. For example, karate, Lego Education, and Science Club would have additional fees for all part time participants.

- **Staffing**

- We are currently working on hiring a staff of five. We will have meet the staff night closer to the start of school. Our goal is 10:1 however we sometimes will go as high as 15:1 depending on location and the nature of the activity. Homework Club would have a high ratio of child to staff versus our kayaking group.

- **Assistance with Athletics and Other After School Programs**

- We are all busy, and sometimes athletics schedules can be hard to navigate. We are ready to help. If there is a game or practice for your child that is in Bridgton, and it starts earlier than 6:00PM we will make sure your child is at the field or court. So, if Sally has a practice at 4:30 at SBES for soccer you do not have to worry about getting her to practice. Rec staff will walk your child out to practice. If the practice ends at 5:30 Sally can come back to after school care to be picked up by 6:00PM. If practice ends at 6:00PM a responsible parent or guardian will need to pick up Sally at the end of practice. The same holds true for HOME games/contests. If coach wants the team to arrive at 4PM for a 5PM game and it is home, we will make sure Sally is at the field needed at 4PM. We do not have a way to accommodate away games currently.
- We will help accommodate and work with families and SBES to help participants with after school onsite appointments with teachers, counselors, therapist, or any school sponsored clubs.

- **COVID-19**

- We will follow all required protocols the school district has in place this fall. More details will be provided as information becomes available.

- **Specific Questions**

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