

MONDAY

Minecraft- Ms.McArdle students collaborate on Minecraft missions. Students will collaborate on Minecraft missionsClasswork, class description, projects, virtual code of conduct, and links will be posted in Google Classroom. Remember: Your username must be linked to a Microsoft Account in order to access Crossplay & the Server. Only the game version titled "Minecraft" will work, ("Minecraft Java edition" will not work for crossplay).

Virtual Travel- Ms. Silva Explore space, zoos, and all the places you want to go! See love animals in real time and learn about their habitats. Explore constellations in space and even travel to Mars! Come Join Ms. Silva on these wild adventures.

Cougar Crunch- Mr. Goodstone Cougar Crunch is a fitness club focusing on calisthenics, body awareness and balance. Students will learn proper techniques for a variety of body weight and balance exercises, yoga poses and stretching techniques all designed to decrease stress while improving one's strength, mobility, focus and overall body awareness. This club is designed for boys and girls and all ability levels and will allow all participants to feel capable, energized and at peace in mind, body and soul.

Yoga and Meditation Club- Ms. Rowe will focus on alignment, flow, breathing, and relaxation. No experience is necessary. This club is body positive, so all are welcome to join. This club is taught by 8th grade ELA teacher Ms. Rowe who completed her 200- hour Yoga Teaching Training at South Mountain Yoga in South Orange, NJ in 2019.

The Coffee House- Ms Kleinwaks Come listen to new and old music and talk about what it means to us now and what it meant to those then. All music offerings will be based on student and teacher recommendation. Music will be approved ahead of time, but will cover many genres and time periods. Expand your mind through music!

Visiting the Classics- Ms Holmes Students will read texts from the Classics such as *Crime and Punishment*. If you are interested in reading classic books- this is the club for you.

WEDNESDAY

Chess Club- Mrs. Laing-Rogers and Mr. Cadet: Check Mate! Learn the game of chess and compete in daily chess tournaments! Are you the next chess master?

Spectrum Club- Ms. Vorona Students can meet to discuss issues relevant to and in support of students and their families who self-identify as straight, gay, lesbian, bisexual, transgender, or are questioning these issues.

Creative Writing Club- Ms. Witrock Has your imagination been running wild while at home? Ours too! Join us at Creative Writing Club to find a safe place to share your ideas with like minded peers and grow your writing with fun writing games, peer to peer reviews, and a positive community. We will put out a literary magazine at the end of each club session to share our work with the SOMS and MMS communities.

Stay Late and Create- Ms. Reisman Stay Late and Create (Home Edition) - If you love art, being creative, and learning about new things, this club will let you create and share art based on a weekly theme. You can work with whatever materials you have available and you might learn new ways to use them!

Voiceover Acting: The Art of Creating a Character with Your Voice- Ms Laviola Students will learn the basics of voiceover acting, learn how to read copy for :30 and :60 commercials as well as getting copy to read for characters. They will put together a mock demo reel with various commercials and character reads. *Students are required to use either a computer or smartphone for this club.

THURSDAY

Photography Club- Ms. Pierce will be taking art into the scope of your camera. We will be using our home space as well as outside to capture the beauty that surrounds us. Come join and release your inner artist.

"Real Talk" Mr. Stoudemire (MMS only) This club is designed to have Real Conversations with young males of Color to give them a Safe space to dialogue about issues that they are faced with in school/society! Help them to develop their leadership qualities, and learn skills needed to navigate their environments safely and successfully.

Movie Club- Ms. Andrews Do you love watching and critiquing movies? Well, this is the club for you! In this club, we will analyze movies! We will focus on choices made by Directors: plot, casting, conflict, originality, acting, themes, cultural context, lighting, camera angles, character motives/desires, etc. The outcome of this club is for you to master your analytical skills and pay attention to detail. We will make recommendations for films based on the group consensus.

The Adventurers-Mr. Palmgren Role-play as a famous adventurer racing through mysterious fantasy realms. Use history, geography and mythology to outwit mystical opponents, solve puzzles, avoid traps and gain the power to save the universe.

Podcasts Club Ms. Laviola Students will learn about podcasts, how to put one together, writing material, and recording their first episode. The podcast can either be audio and/or visual too. They will learn to use programs like Screencastify and Audible. The club will culminate with students listening to each other's work. *Students are required to use either a computer or smartphone for this club. Students must be willing to be online for our in-person meetings, as well as share their work with others in the club.

FRIDAY

Junior Historian Club- Mr. Kaplan Do you have a love for history? Do you think old stuff is cool? Have you ever wondered about the origins of things around you? Join the Junior Historians Club, where we'll inspect intriguing artifacts, explore historical architecture, and learn more about how our surroundings came to be!

Marvel / DC Club- Mr. Palmgren Explore current superheroes from comics and movies while developing critical thinking and reading skills.

Chat & Paint- Ms Sebastian It's time to gather together, chat and get creative. Each meeting students will learn about different brush strokes and painting techniques using acrylic paint and canvas. Students will have a completed painting for each session.

The Book Club Cafe- Ms. Graham Do you enjoy reading and wish you had a community to talk books with? Join the Book Club Cafe as we take a deep dive into our favorite reads each week! Be prepared to cozy up with a good book and a warm beverage as we chat away.

GET!
INVOLVED!

HOW TO SIGN UP FOR A CLUB?

- 1) Beginning on November 30th, fill out the [Winter 2021 Registration form](#). If you are signing up for more than one club, you should use the same permission form and select all clubs you are registering for. You can sign up for one club on each day for a total of 4 clubs for the one fee of \$50.
- 2) Fill out the [Winter 2021 Registration form](#) permission slip form for Winter registration before December 18th. It is NOT a \$50 fee per club, but a single registration fee. Paypal payments can be made on the <https://www.somayouthnet.org/middle-school-clubs.html> website. (please indicate the PayPal confirmation number on the registration form). **No one will be turned away due to a financial hardship.**
- 3) Club signups are based on a first come, first serve basis. Some clubs have roster limits and fill up fast, so please fill out the registration form along with the registration fee as soon as possible to secure your spot in the club. Clubs run from 3:15-4:15pm. Clubs that do not have enough students registered will not run.

Need to contact YouthNet?

YouthNet Director:

Mrs. Diane Malloy: youthnetplus@gmail.com

YouthNet Coordinator's:

MMS: Mrs. Laing-Rogers

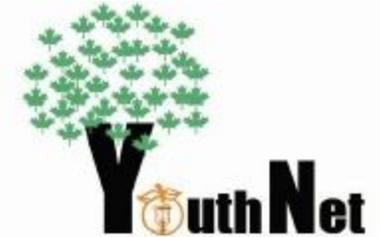
SOMS: Ms. Pierce



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SOMSD YouthNet Plus Winter 2021 Clubs



*Supporting the teen community
Of South Orange and Maplewood*

Registration: November 30th- December 11th
Late Registration: December 14th- December 18th

Clubs will begin on January 11th- February 19th

Clubs meet from 3:15pm- 4:15pm

Visit <https://www.somayouthnet.org/>
today to register!
Questions? Email youthnetplus@gmail.com