Westwood Early Childhood FALL 2019 Parent child Activities

Registration is required for most programs and available to all Westwood residents. Please register for only the programs you are committed to attend.

WEEKLY PROGRAMS

Little Music Makers: (all ages) Join Megan McQuirvy for an interactive children's sing and sign class. Children and parents/caregivers will find themselves clapping, singing, and signing to new and familiar songs.

Temple Beth David: Tuesdays, Oct. 15th, 22nd, 29th, Nov 5th, 12th, 19th @ 10:00 AM Register: http://tinyurl.com/weccmmon

Baby Kneads: (birth-6 months) Join Sheryl White as she helps parents learn to soothe, connect, and communicate with their babies. Monthly topics include "Infant Growth and Development", "Baby Massage", "Sign Language" and more.

Westwood Public Library: Mondays, Oct 21st, Nov 4th, 25th, Dec 2nd, 9th,16th @ 10:30-11:30 AM Register: https://tinyurl.com/cfcebaby

Family Playgroup: (18 months +). Create, build, and pretend with other children and their families. Tarynne Steenkamp will provide activities that enhance language development, motor coordination and social interaction in a preschool environment.

Westwood Integrated Preschool: Wednesdays, Oct 16th, 23rd, 30th, Nov 6th, 13th, 20th @10:00AM Register: http://tinyurl.com/weccfpg



WESTWOOD EARLY CHILDHOOD COUNCIL

Join the Early ChildhoodCouncil!

Meet great people and make a difference for children in Westwood. Meetings are held Mondays 9/23, 10/28, 11/25, 1/27, 2/24, 3/30, 4/27, 5/18 @ 1:15-2:15pm Westwood Library

IMPORTANT!

Some activity scheduling and registration has changed. Six week programs require attendance at all six sessions. Please double check all dates and registration requirements.

MONTHLY PROGRAMS Walk, Talk, Read: (Ages 2+) Lizzy McGovern Children's Librarian and a Naturalist from Hale Reservation will read a story pertaining to nature followed by a short walk through Hale discussing the theme. Powisset Lodge Hale Reservation: Mondays, Oct. 28th, Nov 25th @ 10:00 AM Register: http://tinyurl.com/weccwtread **Saturday Active Gym:** (Ages 3-5) Gym teacher Pat Foley organizes fun, non-traditional games and activities. Children and their parent/caregiver participate in group games using balls, hoops and parachute. Join him for the famous Cat and Mouse game! Deerfield Gym: Saturdays, Oct 26th, Nov 9th, Dec 14th 10:00 and 11:00 sessions Register: http://tinyurl.com/weccsagplay **Little Yogis:** Children ages 3-7 and their parents will learn simple yoga poses as they act out animals or characters from familiar stories. Erin Mann is a certified yoga instructor. Westwood Public Library: Saturdays, Oct 5th, Nov 2nd, @ 10:30 AM **Register:** http://tinyurl.com/weccly **Fine Motor Fun:** Children ages 3-6 with parent/caregiver will join Janet Lucey in fun activities to develop and strengthen the small muscles of the fingers and hands. Temple Beth David: Thursdays, Oct 24th, Nov 21st, Dec 12th @ 1:30 PM **Register:** http://tinyurl.com/weccfmf The Westwood Early Childhood Office is home of the Coordinated Family and Community Engagement Program. (CFCE) We serve families with young children. In an effort to support parents in their role as their child's first teacher, we have coordinated these programs to provide enriching interactions between parents/caregivers and children. Our goal is to provide programs that are inclusive and supportive to children of all abilities and their families. All Westwood residents are welcome and encouraged to attend. If access to or participation in a program or event presents a concern for any reason, please **IN PROGRESS** contact Janet Lucey. **Contact Information:** Janet Lucey, Coordinator Westwood Early Childhood Office Hanlon School 790 Gay St. Westwood, MA 02090 (781) 461-9548 Please visit our website http://www.westwood.k12.ma.us/early-childhood-council/ or

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Thanks to the fundraising efforts of the Early Childhood Council, and generous donations from the Westwood Young Women's Club, and Foundation for Westwood Education, these programs are free of charge. We fund raise throughout the year and would appreciate any support you could offer whether as a financial donation or as volunteer hours.