

Afterschool Program Overview

During the afterschool program at the Boys & Girls Clubs of Santa Cruz County, Club members are encouraged to participate in a variety of programs and activities that promote good character, academic success, personal responsibility, exploration and fun. While at the Club, members are placed in age appropriate groups and have scheduled time in each of our program areas, ensuring they receive a fulfilling, well-rounded afterschool experience. Below you will find information on how we structure a typical day:

Sample Daily Schedule

- 2:30- 3:15pm Check in, Free time & Snack
- 3:15 - 4:00pm Power Hour (Homework)
- 4:00 - 4:30 Choice of activities
- 4:30 - 6:30 Program Rotations
- 6:30 - 7:00 Free Play

Time	Games Room	Art	Sports and Movement	Computers
4:30-5:30	6 & 7	8 & 9	10 & up	6 & 7
5:30- 6:30	8 & 9	10 & up	6 & 7	8 & 9





Weekly Program Highlights

- **Technology Program:** Daily computer activities will feature lessons on coding, and Internet safety sessions, as well as other education-based game play.
- **Creative Arts:** Members will work both individually and in groups to create works of art using a variety of media. Projects will include: collage, drawing, watercolor and acrylic painting, arts and crafts, group mural projects and much more.
- **Education & Academic Enrichment:** Club members will participate in activities relating to the following areas:
 - Science based learning
 - Financial literacy
 - Anti-bullying and self-advocacy
 - Health and life skills classes with emphasis on healthy food choices and agricultural education



Power Hour Monday - Thursday 4:00 - 5:00pm

We offer a free educational enhancement program called **Power Hour** which includes homework help and tutoring. Staff and volunteers provide assistance to members and distribute points and incentives for homework completion which can be exchanged for fun prizes. If members finish homework early, they can participate in other educational activities to further develop their skills.

Special Interest Programs

Tech

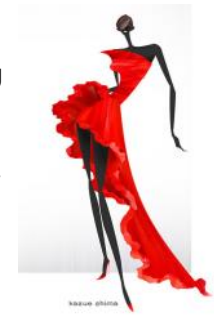
Builders/Makers *all ages*

Students will be building/making projects like Robots, mini arcade cabinets, raspberry pi. Using precision hand and power tools
Wednesdays 4:30 - 5:30p



Fashion Design & Illustration *all ages*

Members will learn industry standards of fashion illustration, learn to develop their own line using creative and technical aspects. Members will also learn tailoring (hand stitching) techniques and how to sew on a range of machines.
Thursdays 4:30 - 6:00
Cost: \$25 per session
 Session 1 8/31-12/15
 Session 2 01/11-05/24
 Limit 15 students per session

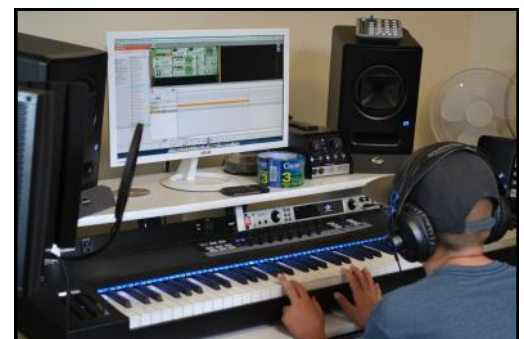


Music

Digital Recording Studio

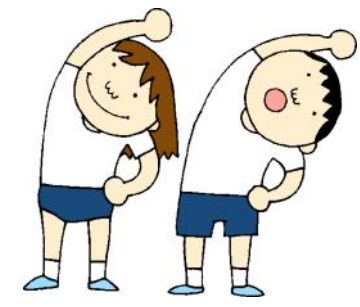
Ages 11 and up
 Anyone can make a song in their head, but with Music Production and Recording, you can turn your vision into a reality. Learn to make a song from scratch, using cutting edge software as well as state of the art gear just like the pros use. Whether it's dance music, grimy hip hop, or head bangin' rock and roll, anything is possible with the skills you'll learn.

Mondays or Thursday
 5:00-6:00
Cost: \$35 for 4 week session
 Limit 3 students per session



Athletics

More info coming soon.



Session & Registration Dates

Most special programs will be held in the 4 week sessions outlined below. Registration dates are Tuesday evenings, from **5pm - 7pm** on the date specified.

Session Dates	Registration Date
Session 1: Tue, September 5 - Sept 29	8/29
Session 2: October 9 - November 3	10/3
Session 3: November 13 - December 15 (no classes week of 11/ 20)	11/7
Session 4: January 8 - Feb 2	12/12
Session 5: February 12 - March 9	2/6
Session 6: March 19 - April 20 (no classes week of 4/2)	3/13
Session 7: Apr 30 - May 25	4/24
Summer Registration - ALL DAY, starting at 10am	5/15

Teen Programs

Cyber Patriots: Wednesdays 5:30-6:30 This is a national youth cyber education program open to middle and high school students Please see www.uscyberpatriot.org for more information

Career Connections: Tuesdays 4:30-6:00 open to members 14 and up Prepares youth for applying for jobs, resume building interview techniques and connections to local businesses

Keystone Club -High School Members: Days and times TBA. Promotes character and leadership qualities among Club teens, provides awareness and impact in the areas of community service, academic success, career preparation and teen outreach, the four focus areas of Keystoning.



Lifestyle Programs

Passport to Manhood (Bro Code): Wednesdays 3:45-5:45 This program fosters positive values and responsible behavior in boys ages 11 to 14 while giving them practice in making healthy decisions related to their physical, cognitive, emotional, and social development. They will build and practice life skills for decision-making, conflict resolution, and healthy relationships. Permission to attend is in membership packet.

Smart Girls (Aloha U'is): Fridays 4:30-6:30 Open to teen members 12 and up who identify as female. Build self esteem through improving self image using body positive philosophies, encourages young women to become leaders in their communities, develop and enhance important role modeling relationships with female mentors, and develop positive lifetime nutritional habits. Honest answers are given to all questions. (permission to attend is in membership packet)

Walking Bus from Del Mar, Live Oak Tierra Pacifica and Green Acres



Starting on Monday, August 28th we offer walking bus programs from Del Mar, Live Oak , Tierra Pacifica and Green Acres to the Boys & Girls Club's afterschool program Monday through Friday. Please see front desk for registration.

Walking bus details: Club staff escort 1st-5th graders after school.

Extended Hours Days & Club Closures

Extended Hours Days - open 7:30am-6pm

Cost: \$5.00 per day/child

Fri, November 10: Veterans' Day
Mon-Wed, November 20-22: Thanksgiving Break
December 22, 26-29, Jan 2-5: Winter Break
Fri, February 16: Lincoln's Birthday
Mon-Fri, April 2 - April 6: Spring Break
Mon, January 22: LOSD Staff Day

Open Early Minimum Days - open 12:30 pm

Thurs, Dec 21: Winter Break Start

Early Closures TENTATIVE

Wed, Dec 13: Staff Party CLOSED 6PM
Thu, Mar 22: Youth of the Year Banquet CLOSED 6PM

Club Closures

Mon-Fri, August 21-25: Summer Cleanup Week
Mon, September 4: Labor Day
Thurs-Fri, November 23-24: Thanksgiving Holiday
Mon, December 25: Christmas
Mon, January 1: New Year's
Mon, January 15: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
Mon, February 19: Presidents' Day
Mon, May 28: Memorial Day
Mon-Fri, June 4-8: Summer Prep Week
Wed, July 4: Independence Day
Mon-Fri, Aug 20-24: Summer Cleanup Week



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUBS
OF SANTA CRUZ COUNTY
LIVE OAK CLUBHOUSE**

2017-18 Afterschool Program



Monday – Friday

Program Hours: 2:00 pm – 7pm

Wed and Fri 12:30pm – 7pm

Open to youth ages 6 – 18

Annual membership: \$75



Activities Include

- Homework Assistance
- Games Room Tournaments
- Gym & Sports Activities
- Arts & Crafts and Music
- Computer & Technology Programs
- Recreational Swim
- Field Trips

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