

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

2:00- 3:45pm Check in, Free time & Snack @ 3:30
 3:45 - 4:00pm Assembly (Group Check-in)
 4:00—5:00pm Power Hour (Homework Hour)
 (Wednesday Power Hour is from 3:00-4:00pm)
 5:00—5:15 pm Assembly (Group Check-In)
 5:15—6:45pm Rotations and Snack (5:30pm)
 7:00pm Club Closes, Goodbye

Time	Games Room	Art	Sports and Movement	Computers
5:00-5:45	6 & 7	8 & 9	10 & up	6 & 7
6:00-6:45	8 & 9	10 & up	6 & 7	8 & 9



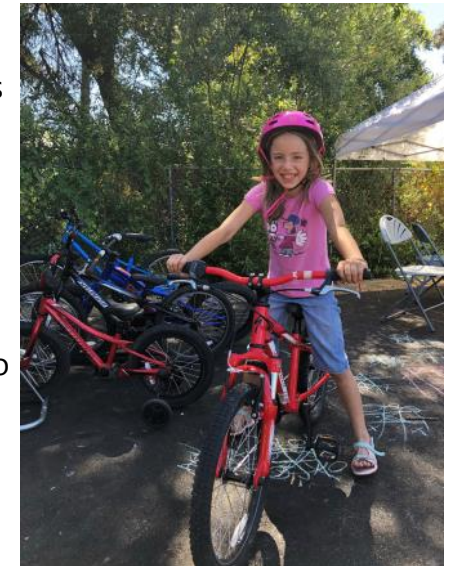
Power Hour Monday - Thursday 3:00-4:00

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.



Weekly Program Highlights

- **Garden Program:** We will learn about healthy eating habits, what is needed for a good garden and talk about seasons and ways to create a garden at home.
- **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



Special Interest Programs

- Arts
- Athletics
- Music



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 4 - Sept 28	8/28
Session 2: October 8 - November 2	10/2
Session 3: November 12 - December 14 (no classes week of 11/ 19)	11/6
Session 4: January 7 - Feb 1	12/11
Session 5: February 11 - March 8	2/5
Session 6: March 18 - April 19 (no classes week of 4/1)	3/12
Session 7: Apr 29 - May 24	4/23
Summer Registration - ALL DAY, starting at 10am	5/14

Teen Programs

SMART Girls (Fall 2018) (Middle School age)

SMART Girls is a small-group health, fitness, prevention/education and self-esteem enhancement program designed to meet the developmental needs of girls in three age groups. Through dynamic sessions, highly participatory activities, field trips and mentoring opportunities with adult women, Club girls explore their own and societal attitudes and values as they build skills for eating right, staying physically fit, getting good health care and developing positive relationships with peers and adults.



Youth Volunteer Opportunities

High school aged Teens are encouraged to sign up to be Youth Volunteers in the Club. They can gain necessarily volunteer hours and get experience in working with youth in a safe environment. Pick up a Youth Volunteer form at the Front Desk and return to Maia.

Walking Bus from Vine Hill Elementary



Starting on Monday, August 27th we offer a walking bus program from Vine Hill Elementary to The Club on Scotts Valley Drive Monday through Friday. We meet under the canopy, behind the benches. Please provide a hat if sunny or an umbrella if raining. Please see front desk for registration.

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

Cost: \$5 / week

We are working on transportation from SLV and Brook Knoll. Maia would love to set up a car pool for families that are interested and willing to help. Please email Maia at maia@boysandgirlsclub.info to talk more about this.

Extended Hours Days & Club Closures

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

Cost: \$5.00 per day/child

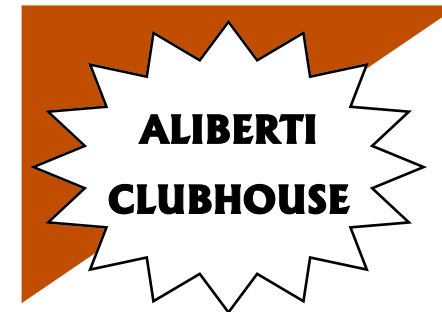
- Mon, November 12: Veterans' Day
- Mon-Wed, November 19-21: Thanksgiving Break
- December 21, 26-28, 31 Jan 2-4: Winter Break
- Fri, February 15: Lincoln's Birthday
- Mon-Fri, April 1 - April 5: Spring Break

Early Closures - TENTATIVE

- Thu, Dec 13, 6pm: Staff Party
- Thu, Feb 7, 6pm: Youth of the Year Banquet
- Fri, April 12, 5pm: Kids Nite Out Fundraising Event

Club Closures

- Mon-Fri, August 20-24: Summer Cleanup Week
- Mon, September 3: Labor Day
- Thurs-Fri, November 22-23: Thanksgiving Holiday
- Mon-Tues, December 24-25: Christmas Weekend
- Tues, January 1: New Year's Day
- Mon, January 21: Martin Luther King Jr. Day
- Mon, February 18: Presidents' Day
- Mon, May 27: Memorial Day
- Mon-Fri, June 3-7: Summer Prep Week
- Thurs, July 4: Independence Day
- Mon-Fri, Aug 19-23: Summer Cleanup Week



2018-19 Afterschool Program



Monday – Friday
Program Hours: 2:00 pm – 7pm
Wed 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
- Field Trips
- Special programs for Teens

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