

COMMUNITY LIVING

# RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA

SPRING 2025

Your Guide for Activities & Community Services



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## CONNECT WITH US

### The Bell Tower Regional Community Center

22232 El Paseo  
Rancho Santa Margarita, CA  
949-216-9700  
[www.cityofrsm.org](http://www.cityofrsm.org)

The Bell Tower Regional Community Center and City Hall will be closed on the following dates this spring:  
2025

- May 26 Memorial Day

Age Well Senior Services . . . . 949-709-7592

Boys & Girls Club . . . . . 949-709-7595

Register today at

[RSMconnect.org](http://RSMconnect.org)

#### About the Cover

The Rancho Santa Margarita Bell Tower, which separates the Community Center and City Hall, stands as an enduring and iconic symbol of the city's charm, rich tradition, and strong sense of unity, pride, and community spirit.



## Services

### AMERICAN FLAG DISPOSAL BOX

Retire American Flags at the Bell Tower Regional Community Center for a proper retirement ceremony on Flag Day, June 14, by local Boy & Girl Scout Troops. A flag drop off box is located inside the lobby.

### BATTERY RECYCLING

Batteries are considered hazardous waste & are prohibited by State law to be thrown away in the garbage. Batteries can be dropped off at City Hall (22112 El Paseo). A battery drop off box is located inside the lobby.

### LOW-COST ANIMAL VACCINATION CLINICS

First Wednesday evening of every month at the Bell Tower Regional Community Center. By appointment only. Provided by Healthcare & Emergency Animal Rescue Team (HEART). For pricing & information, call [714-993-9193](tel:714-993-9193) or visit [www.heart4pets.org](http://www.heart4pets.org).

### OCSD POLICE SERVICES in RANCHO SANTA MARGARITA

Report suspicious persons & activities.  
Non-emergency Line: [949-770-6011](tel:949-770-6011).  
Always call 911 in the event of an emergency.

### PASSPORT SERVICES

The City of Rancho Santa Margarita is a designated Passport Acceptance Facility. Visit [www.cityofrsm.org](http://www.cityofrsm.org) for more information or call [949-635-1800 ext 6404](tel:949-635-1800). By appointment only.

### SENIOR MOBILITY PROGRAM

City of Rancho Santa Margarita residents aged 60 & older are eligible for the Senior Mobility Program. This transportation program is funded by the OCTA & designed to provide a taxi service to eligible residents. Service is provided within City limits. For more information or to schedule an appointment to determine eligibility, call [949-216-9700](tel:949-216-9700).

### SHARPS/USED NEEDLE COLLECTION PROGRAM

Rancho Santa Margarita residents are eligible to receive a free SHARPS container from the City. Visit [www.cityofrsm.org](http://www.cityofrsm.org) to sign up & for more information, or call [949-635-1800](tel:949-635-1800).

### SOLID WASTE RECYCLING

In compliance with SB 1383, the City of Rancho Santa Margarita offers residents a complimentary small kitchen bin for residents to collect their food scraps and place it into their greenwaste (now organics) cart. A limited number of bins are available inside City Hall (22112 El Paseo). For questions about participation, please call CR&R at 877-728-0446.

### OCSD POLICE SERVICES - CITIZEN'S ACADEMY

RSM Police Services is happy to announce their second Citizens' Academy from February 20<sup>th</sup> through April 24<sup>th</sup>. 25 citizens of RSM will have the opportunity to get an inside look of the Orange County Sheriff's Department. You must be 18 years or older and a resident of RSM to participate. If you are interested in learning more about OCSD, please fill out an application at [www.cityofrsm.org](http://www.cityofrsm.org); go to the Police Services section to find the application. Once you fill out the application, send it to [RSMCrimePrevention@ocsheriff.gov](mailto:RSMCrimePrevention@ocsheriff.gov).

# Youth Classes

## Arts & Music

### Beginning Guitar & Ukulele Ensemble

Age: 8-13 Years

Enjoy learning to play great songs on the guitar or ukulele in this unique combination class. No past musical experience required. Bring your own guitar or ukulele to class. No class 4/7.

Instructor: Ronald Gorman

M	4:00-5:00pm	3/31-5/5	\$115
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### Fables and Fun

Age: 2-6 Years

Children and parents will explore a different theme each week through story time, song, movement and a craft. This class will assist your child in developing a love of learning, improve social interaction and motor skills all in a creative, fun environment.

Parent participation required. **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Ms. Jodie

Th	10:00-10:45am	3/6-3/27	\$56
Th	10:00-10:45am	4/3-4/24	\$56
Th	10:00-10:45am	5/1-5/22	\$56

### Music Together

Age: 6m-4 Years

Our classes give the families a chance to get in touch with their inner musician and connect with other families. Our mission is to make the world a better place by making it more musical! Parent participation required. **\*Additional \$44 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Music Together

W	10:30-11:15am	3/19-3/26	\$45
W	10:30-11:15am	4/2	\$20
W	10:30-11:15am	4/9-5/28	\$165*



## Refund Information

- All refunds (unless the class is canceled by the City or instructor) will be assessed a \$7 processing fee per class registration.
- Refund requests for 1-day classes or workshops must be received in writing at least 5 business days prior to the class start.
- Checks returned due to non-sufficient funds are subject to a \$25 processing fee.
- All refund requests must be made prior to the first class meeting. E-mail [recreation@cityofrsm.org](mailto:recreation@cityofrsm.org).

### Paint Paste and Pour

Age: 1yr 6m-6 Years

Watch your child discover paint, glue, crayons, dough, and more. Kids enjoy developmentally appropriate hands-on experiences with manipulative art and sensory materials. Parent participation is required. **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.** No class 4/9.

Instructor: Paint, Paste and Pour (Rachel Westfall)

W	10:00-10:45am	3/5-3/26	\$53
W	10:00-10:45am	4/2-4/30	\$53
W	10:00-10:45am	5/7-5/28	\$53

## Fitness & Dance

### Beginning Irish Dance

Age: 5-12 Years

Dancers will learn basic foot positions, skips, jumps, side steps, and a basic reel. Boys/girls wear black or navy shorts/skirts, a solid white t-shirt, white socks, and soft soled shoes. Optional class shirt available for purchase. Class may be taken multiple times. No class 4/16.

Instructor: Thistle Academy of Irish Dance

W	6:00-7:00pm	3/19-4/30	\$110
W	6:00-7:00pm	3/19-6/11	\$219
W	6:00-7:00pm	5/7-6/11	\$110

### OCMA: Martial Arts Beginners

Age: 7-13 Years

Our program is specialized to teach students the fundamentals of martial arts while also creating a foundation of positive mental attitude, high goal setting, perseverance, and confidence. **A one time \$100 registration fee is due to OCMA for new members.** Call OCMA for the most accurate schedule and closures. All classes take place at OCMA Rancho Santa Margarita: 29821 Aventura, Building 1, Suite B.

Instructor: OCMA Studios

March	View schedule at <a href="http://RSMconnect.org">RSMconnect.org</a>	\$190
April	View schedule at <a href="http://RSMconnect.org">RSMconnect.org</a>	\$190
May	View schedule at <a href="http://RSMconnect.org">RSMconnect.org</a>	\$190

Classes are subject to change.  
Visit [RSMconnect.org](http://RSMconnect.org) for the latest schedules.

## OCMA Martial Arts Little Lions

Age: 3-6 Years

Our Little Lions program provides safe, fun and exciting martial arts training. We focus on respect, self-discipline, and hand eye coordination. Your child will have an increased ability to pay attention and follow directions while improving their motor skills. **A one time \$100 registration fee due to OCMA for new members.** Call OCMA for the most accurate schedule and closures. All classes take place at OCMA Rancho Santa Margarita: 29821 Avenida, Building 1, Suite B.

**Instructor:** OCMA Studios

March	View schedule at RSMconnect.org	\$170
April	View schedule at RSMconnect.org	\$170
May	View schedule at RSMconnect.org	\$170

## Spring Break Camp

### Camping Science: Connecting with Nature

Age: 5-12 Years

Join our fun hands-on workshop to discuss camping-related topics, such as wildlife, survival, sun power, rocks and more. Your child will have the chance to explore fascinating aspects of nature and participate in exciting camping-related activities that bring the outdoors to life. **Additional \$95 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

**Instructor:** Bionerds, Inc.

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	4/14-4/18	\$240
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## FACILITY RENTALS

**Interested in a rental at the Bell Tower Regional Community Center?**

**E-mail us at [FacilityRentals@cityofrsm.org](mailto:FacilityRentals@cityofrsm.org) or call (949) 216-9700.**

**Reservations can be made up to 12 months in advance. Start your rental process today!**

**Community Services staff will contact you shortly after your Facility Use Inquiry has been reviewed.**

## CONTRACT INSTRUCTORS WANTED

**Interested in offering contract classes for the City of Rancho Santa Margarita?**

**We know our community will benefit from the unique and innovative programming that you have to offer!**

**E-mail us at [recreation@cityofrsm.org](mailto:recreation@cityofrsm.org) for more information.**

## Family & Adult Classes

### Arts & Music

### Beginning Guitar & Ukulele Ensemble

Age: 14 Years & Up

Enjoy learning to play great songs on the guitar or ukulele in this unique combination class. No past musical experience required. Bring your own guitar or ukulele to class. No class 4/7.

**Instructor:** Ronald Gorman

M	5:00-6:00pm	3/31-5/5	\$115
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### Crochet 101

Age: 10 Years & Up

Learn the basics of crochet! Discover essential stitches, how to read patterns, and create your first project. Perfect for beginners. No experience necessary. **Additional \$25 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

**Instructor:** Rebel Threads Crochet

W	4:00-5:00pm	3/5-5/28	\$225
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### Aigurumi Crochet

Age: 10 Years & Up

Learn to crochet adorable amigurumi animals! This beginner-friendly class will teach you basic stitches, stuffing techniques, and how to add cute features. Understanding of crochet basics required. **Additional \$25 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

**Instructor:** Rebel Threads Crochet

W	5:00-6:00pm	3/5-5/28	\$225
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## Fitness & Dance

### Line Dancing (Beginner)

Age: 16 Years & Up

Beginner class teaches basic line dancing steps, and many fun beginner-level dances (16-32 counts) which include substantial symmetry, and few turns.

No class 5/26, 5/29, 6/19.

Instructor: Lauren Schmid

Th	6:30-7:25pm	3/27-5/1	\$99
M	9:30-10:25am	4/7-5/12	\$99
M	6:30-7:25pm	4/7-5/12	\$99
Th	6:30-7:25pm	5/8-6/26	\$99
M	9:30-10:25am	5/19-6/30	\$99
M	6:30-7:25pm	5/19-6/30	\$99



### Line Dancing (Fundamentals)

Age: 16 Years & Up

Fundamentals class teaches basic line dancing steps & concepts at a relaxed pace & several fun beginner-level dances.

Instructor: Lauren Schmid

Tu	6:30-8:00pm	3/11	\$12
Tu	6:30-8:00pm	4/15	\$12
Tu	6:30-8:00pm	5/13	\$12

### Line Dancing (Intermediate)

Age: 16 Years & Up

Intermediate class teaches more complex steps, and many fun intermediate-level dances (32-48 counts) which include asymmetry, multiple walls, and multiple turns, with occasional tags and restarts. No class 5/26, 6/19.

Instructor: Lauren Schmid

Th	7:35-8:30pm	3/27-5/1	\$99
M	10:35-11:30am	4/7-5/12	\$99
M	7:35-8:30pm	4/7-5/12	\$99
Th	7:35-8:30pm	5/8-6/26	\$99
M	10:35-11:30am	5/19-6/30	\$99
M	7:35-8:30pm	5/19-6/30	\$99

### Line Dancing (Review)

Age: 16 Years & Up

Review class provides a quick review of 12-16 intermediate-level dances in preparation for line dancing at a local eatery.

Instructor: Lauren Schmid

Tu	6:00-8:00pm	3/4 & 3/25	\$39
Tu	6:00-8:00pm	4/8 & 4/22	\$39
Tu	6:00-8:00pm	5/6 & 5/20	\$39

Unable commit to a full session?  
Drop-in Line Dancing classes available!  
Arrive 15 minutes before class to register.

## Yoga for Everybody

Age: 14 Years & Up

Everyone CAN do yoga! This gentle class is for all those that have wondered if yoga is for them. Yes, yoga is for you too! Caring and gentle instruction will enable you to enjoy the benefits of yoga: reduced stress, calmness, flexibility, strength, and improved balance.

Instructor: Roz Maissy

M	5:15-6:00pm	3/3-5/19	\$185
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### AM Yoga

Age: 14 Years & Up

Over the three month session, you will gain strength and flexibility. Deep breathing brings a sense of calm to carry throughout your day. With over 25 years of experience, Roz provides a warm and encouraging environment, making it your favorite hour of the day! Join us!

Instructor: Roz Maissy

Tu	9:00-10:00am	3/4-5/27	\$205
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### PM Yoga

Age: 14 Years & Up

Over the three month session, you will gain strength and flexibility. Deep breathing brings a sense of calm, while rejuvenating you from your day. With over 25 years of experience, Roz provides a warm and encouraging environment, making it your favorite hour of the day!

Instructor: Roz Maissy

M	6:00-7:00pm	3/3-5/19	\$190
Th	5:45-6:45pm	3/6-5/29	\$205

## Yoga for the Family!

Age: 10 Years & Up

Yoga is a great way to spend quality time as a family! This fun and engaging workshop will be uplifting, and a great way to exercise together. Each registration pays for you and a guest! Participants under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

Instructor: Roz Maissy

W	5:00-6:00pm	3/19	\$35
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### Yoga Flow

Age: 18 Years & Up

Focus on mindfulness and balance improvement through flowing yoga poses. This calming, stress-reducing class is perfect for people who work at a desk and want to maintain a healthier lifestyle. Bring a yoga mat, strap, and block to class.

Instructor: Simone Pannebaker, RYT 500

Tu	6:00-7:00pm	3/4-4/8	\$89
Tu	6:00-7:00pm	4/15-5/27	\$103



## Yoga Move

Age: 18 Years & Up

Focus is on flexibility and breath through yoga poses directly on the mat. This class is designed for beginning students who want to improve their range of motion or those returning after an injury. Bring a yoga mat, strap, and block to class.

**Instructor:** Simone Pannebaker, RYT 500

W	6:00-7:00pm	3/5-4/9	\$89
W	6:00-7:00pm	4/16-5/28	\$103



## Zumba

Age: 13 Years & Up

Zumba Gold is a low-impact fitness program that utilizes combinations of exciting and motivating American, Latin, and international rhythms to tone and strengthen your body. This program is designed for active older adults, the true beginner, or anyone interested in a low impact program that is effective and easy to follow.

**Instructor:** Tania Villalbazo

Tu	7:00-8:00pm	3/4-3/25	\$70
Th	7:00-8:00pm	3/6-3/27	\$70
TuTh	7:00-8:00pm	3/4-3/27	\$130
Tu	7:00-8:00pm	4/1-4/22	\$70
Th	7:00-8:00pm	4/3-4/24	\$70
TuTh	7:00-8:00pm	4/1-4/24	\$130
Th	7:00-8:00pm	5/1-5/22	\$70
Tu	7:00-8:00pm	5/6-5/27	\$70
TuTh	7:00-8:00pm	5/1-5/27	\$130



## Health & Safety

### Interest List for Active Violence Survival

Age: 13 Years & Up

Interested in learning crucial skills to respond during active violence situations? Sign up on the interest list and once enough participants sign up, the instructor will contact you to schedule the class. Learn how to stop life-threatening bleeding, enhance situational awareness, defend against attacks, and safely interact with law enforcement. Earn your AVERT certification and be prepared.

**Instructor:** American Eagle CPR

### Interest List for CPR Adult/Child

Age: 13 Years & Up

Interested in learning life-saving skills like CPR, AED use, choking relief, Epi-pen, and NARCAN administration? Sign up on the interest list and once enough participants sign up, the instructor will contact you to schedule a class. Earn your certification from the Health and Safety Institute.

**Instructor:** American Eagle CPR

**Join the interest list today at [RSMconnect.org](https://RSMconnect.org)**



## Special Interests

### Digital Photography I

Age: 18 Years & Up

Learn photography basics and complete some great photography projects. We will focus on technical and creative aspects of digital photography to enhance your technical skills and to express yourself through the creation of your images. Students must provide their own digital camera. **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

**Instructor:** Mandis Razavi

Tu	6:00-7:30pm	3/11-4/8	\$140
Tu	6:00-7:30pm	4/22-5/20	\$140

### Digital Photography II

Age: 18 Years & Up

Participants will learn the basics of photography and complete some great photography projects. Participants focus on both technical and creative aspects of digital photography to enhance your technical skills and to express yourself through the creation of your images. Students must provide their own digital camera. **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

**Instructor:** Mandis Razavi

Th	6:00-7:30pm	4/17-5/15	\$140
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**Classes are subject to change.  
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## Kitchen Basics

Age: 14 Years & Up

Students will have the opportunity to learn about navigating kitchens of all sizes. We use different tools, learn about cutting style and techniques, as well as the many different methods of cooking, and the components of meals and plating. **Additional \$10 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Uncle Iceberg

W	5:30-6:30pm	3/19	\$30
W	5:30-6:30pm	4/16	\$30
W	5:30-6:30pm	4/30	\$30
W	5:30-6:30pm	5/14	\$30

## Making Pickles

Age: 14 Years & Up

Each session the group will learn the origin of pickles, how and why this came about, along with the evolution of the process while looking at multiple types of pickles. Participants will use the traditional cucumber and other fruits and vegetables in the class. **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Uncle Iceberg

W	5:30-6:30pm	3/12	\$30
W	5:30-6:30pm	4/2	\$30
W	5:30-6:30pm	4/23	\$30
W	5:30-6:30pm	5/21	\$30



## Women's Discussion Group

Age: 18 Years & Up

This group will go "beyond chit chat," giving you the opportunity to share your experiences, challenges, and joys in life. Meet new friends, and find a circle of encouragement and support with laughter and sometimes a few tears. Moderated by Roz Maissy, MS Counseling.

Instructor: Roz Maissy

Tu	10:15-11:15am	3/4-4/8	\$40
Tu	10:15-11:15am	4/15-5/27	\$45



## DID YOU KNOW?



In celebration of the City's 25th birthday, enjoy these unique and interesting facts about our City's rich history!



- The City of Rancho Santa Margarita was officially incorporated into Orange County on January 1, 2000.
- The city seal features 33 gold stars, representing Rancho Santa Margarita as the 33<sup>rd</sup> city incorporated in Orange County.
- Saddleback Mountain is featured on the City Seal, along with a jacaranda tree in the left centerground by a panoramic depiction of the bell tower entrance of the Beach Club at Lago Santa Margarita, representing the city's landscaping.
- The City of Rancho Santa Margarita spans 13 square miles.
- Rancho Santa Margarita originally spanned 359 square miles, stretching from Oceanside to Aliso Creek.
- The Bell Tower Regional Community Center features seven bronze bells, with the heaviest weighing 990 pounds.
- Each bell was cast in bronze in the Netherlands by the oldest active bell factory in the world.
- Rancho Santa Margarita adopted the 2nd Battalion, 5th Marine Regiment on January 10, 2007, to support the marines, sailors, and their families throughout the years.
- The Shoshonean Native Americans, called Acjachemen, were the first residents of the Rancho Santa Margarita area.
- The City Seal for Rancho Santa Margarita was developed through a citywide contest. Community entries were submitted to the City Seal Design Committee for review.
- Fossils of prehistoric animals, including mammoths, saber-tooth cats, and giant ground sloths, have been found during construction projects in Rancho Santa Margarita.
- One million years ago, Rancho Santa Margarita was home to prehistoric creatures like tapirs and marine hippo-like animals called desmostylus.
- The O'Neill family purchased what is now Rancho Santa Margarita in 1882.
- The City's Master Planner, Richard Reese, is the visionary behind the flourishing City of Rancho Santa Margarita. He was described as the "heart and soul of the community" and dedicated his life to crafting a vibrant and connected urban village.



# Summer Camp Preview!

## American Doll Fashions Sewing Camp

Age: 7.5-14 Years

Design, plan and create your very own doll fashions. Students will select fabrics and learn to follow a pattern while mastering basic sewing skills and will work on a complete outfit for an 18" doll. Girls are encouraged to bring their doll to class for the fittings. **Additional \$35 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Sew Cool Sewing

M-W	10:00am-1:00pm	7/7-7/9	\$188
M-W	10:00am-1:00pm	7/14-7/16	\$188

## Anime, Cartooning, and Comic Creation

Age: 5-11 Years

Cartooning is a great way to learn how to sketch, create interesting stories, and develop character dialogs. Students will learn how to create their own characters from conception to completion as well as popular characters from a variety of cartoons, comics, and anime.

Instructor: Parker Anderson Enrichment

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	7/14-7/18	\$210
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## Beginning Guitar & Ukulele Ensemble

Age: 8-18 Years

Enjoy learning easy songs and popular melodies in this unique combination class. Play together in a supportive environment. Bring your guitar or non-toy ukulele to class.

Instructor: Ronald Gorman

M-F	10:00-11:00am	6/16-6/20	\$115
M-F	10:00-11:00am	7/21-7/25	\$115

## BrainStormSTEM: LEGO™ Building through the Ages

Age: 7-11 Years

Ready, set, LEGO™! Explore engineering from medieval castles and catapults to modern motorized machines like racers and hill climbers. Through fun, hands-on challenges, students will gain real-world engineering skills and build confidence in their creative designs.

Instructor: BrainStorm Education

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	7/28-8/1	\$265
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## BrainStormSTEM: LEGO™ Mechanical Marvels

Age: 7-11 Years

Join us for LEGO™ Mechanical Marvels! This hands-on camp lets kids explore creativity and engineering by building zip line racers, spring-powered cars, and Rube Goldberg machines. They'll master gears, levers, and more while having a blast!

Instructor: BrainStorm Education

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	6/9-6/13	\$265
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	8/11-8/15	\$265

## BrainStormSTEM: Robotics Playground

Age: 7-11 Years

Build and code robots, complete fun challenges like drawing, navigating obstacle courses, and battling bots. Master engineering, programming, and problem-solving. Develop future-ready skills in a creative, hands-on environment!

Instructor: BrainStorm Education

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	6/9-6/13	\$265
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## BrainStormSTEM: STEM Adventures

Age: 7-11 Years

Explore new STEM concepts daily with fun, hands-on projects in chemistry, rocketry, physics, engineering, coding, electronics, and robotics. Perfect for all levels, this course builds valuable skills. Students will take home an exciting final project to share!

Instructor: BrainStorm Education

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	7/21-7/25	\$265
M-F	1:00-4:00pm	8/4-8/8	\$265

## Chem Kidz

Age: 5-11 Years

In this electrifying camp, students will create Elephant Toothpaste, create extreme bubbles, make five-minute ice cream, and learn the difference between chemical reactions and physical changes while completing a variety of hands-on chemistry experiments!

Instructor: Parker Anderson Enrichment

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	8/11-8/15	\$230
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## Forensic Science - Bionerds' Way!

Age: 5-12 Years

Become a Forensic Scientist! Learn forensic and biology techniques, experiments, and activities to further deductive reasoning to uncover the truth. Topics include fingerprinting, DNA, trace evidence, dental forensic and more! **Additional \$95 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Bionerds

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	8/4-8/8	\$240
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## From Forensic Science to Land Water Creatures

Age: 5-12 Years

Join our fun hands-on biology workshop. Learn about forensic science in the morning. Learn about lizards, frogs, sea urchin, stingray and more in the afternoon. Get up close with biology related activities and take part in cool biology/forensic experiments! **Additional \$127\*/\$95\* materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Bionerds

M-F	9:00am-4:00pm	8/4-8/8	\$450*
M-F	1:00-4:00pm	8/4-8/8	\$240+

## Hollywood Special Effects

Age: 7-13 Years

Are you a fan of Special Effects in movies? Participants will use effects like: Forced Perspective, "Green Screen" technology, CGI, making characters appear and disappear, etc! Be a part of movie history! **Additional \$30 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Movies By Kids

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	7/7-7/11	\$195
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## Inventors Workshop

Age: 5-11 Years

Learn to think outside the box as you explore the inner workings of past inventions & come up with your own innovative ideas! From a pen dipped in ink to a text message from a friend, learn about the history and evolution of inventions. Make homemade paint, games, flying objects and more as you examine how everyday inventions have changed the world.

Instructor: Parker Anderson Enrichment

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	7/21-7/25	\$225
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## Jewelry, Design, and Craft Creation

Age: 6-11 Years

Make your own jewelry, outfits, accessories, and crafts in this hands-on and creative class. Students make jewelry, bags, clothes, and other accessories using a variety of materials. Look at the works of famous fashion experts as you make different outfits from concept to completion. Student will become design experts as they create their own styles, head to toe.

Instructor: Parker Anderson Enrichment

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	6/16-6/20	\$230
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## LEGO™ Fornite Movies

Age: 7-13 Years

Everyone loves the Fortnite video game! Create an interesting Fortnite story with Stop Motion Animation! Follow along typical gameplay scenarios, or think totally outside the box for an epic, original Fortnite adventure created by you! **Additional \$30 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Movies By Kids

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	6/16-6/20	\$195
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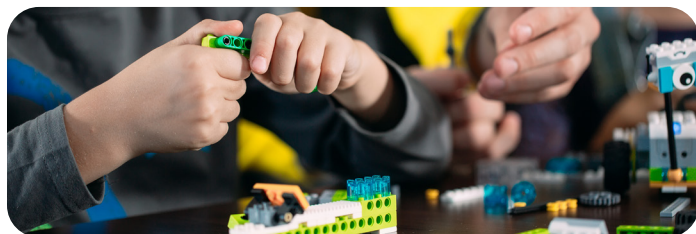
## LEGO™ Ninjago Animation

Age: 7-13 Years

Are you a fan of LEGO™ Ninjago? Choose Lloyd, Kai, Cole, Nya, Zane, Wu, and Lord Garmadon and take them on an original adventure! Have them take on new quests, join forces, or go with the classic scenes you already know using the Art of Stop-Motion Animation. **Additional \$30 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Movies By Kids

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	7/7-7/11	\$195
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## LEGO™ Robotics

Age: 6-11 Years

Challenge aspects of your creativity and intellect while learning the basics of engineering and physics! Students are given new and different projects every day to build, test, and modify as they graduate to the next level of engineering comprehension.

Instructor: Parker Anderson Enrichment

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	6/23-6/27	\$210
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## Life Skills for Pre-Teens

Age: 9-12 Years

Through interactive lessons, we teach essential life skills that will help them succeed in all areas of their lives. Lessons include: Introductions, Dining Etiquette, Peer Pressure, Valuing Yourself & Others, Communication and more! **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: The Etiquette Factory

M-Th	9:00am-12:00pm	8/4-8/7	\$149
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## Manners, Character & Social Skills "Foundations"

Age: 5-9 Years

Over 50 different etiquette skills are taught using games, role play, props, music, activities, stories, and kind discussion. Some of the skills included are: Introductions, Dining Etiquette, Kindness, Tact, Conversation, Being a Guest, and so much more! **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: The Etiquette Factory

M-Th	9:00am-12:00pm	6/23-6/26	\$149
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Classes are subject to change.  
Visit [RSMconnect.org](https://RSMconnect.org) for the latest schedules.

## Red, White and Blue!

Age: 8-12 Years

Burst open your creativity and create tie-dye t-shirts, patriotic banners and more! **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Paint, Paste and Pour (Rachel Westfall)

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	6/16-6/20	\$233
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## Robot Building

Age: 6-11 Years

Build both in-class robots and robots you get to keep. Gain knowledge of engineering principles while working with levers, gears, and motors to design motorized robots. Participate in group robotics challenges using a variety of materials.

Instructor: Parker Anderson Enrichment

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	7/28-8/1	\$250
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## Sew Cool Sewing Camp

Age: 7.5-14 Years

Students will learn sewing basics, including fabric selection, following a pattern, and several different machine stitches. Students have fun while building self-confidence by completing various sewing projects in the class! **Additional \$35 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Sew Cool Sewing

M-Th	2:30-6:30pm	7/7-7/10	\$210
M-Th	2:30-6:30pm	7/14-7/17	\$210



## STEAM Camp!

Age: 7-11 Years

Join the fun at Strategic Kids STEAM camps! We include a combination of our enrichment programs from the school year! Camp activities include LEGO™, chess, cartooning, origami, magic and more! **Additional \$10 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Strategic Kids

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	6/9-6/13	\$223
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	6/16-6/20	\$223
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	8/11-8/15	\$223

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## Summer Fun!

Age: 8-12 Years

Come create crafts and make new friends! **Additional \$20 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Paint, Paste and Pour (Rachel Westfall)

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	7/14-7/18	\$233
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## Summer of Art

Age: 6-11 Years

This Art Camp is filled with creative and fun projects. Explore a variety of media such as acrylics on canvas, watercolors, pastels, clay sculptures and more! We will enjoy summer time through art as we draw and paint landscapes, still-life, animals and other themes. Clay projects will be glazed and fired. All art supplies and aprons will be provided. Please send a small snack for your child. **Additional \$25 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: MyArtStudio

M-F	1:30-3:30pm	7/7-7/11	\$140
M-F	1:30-3:30pm	7/28-8/1	\$140

## TechKidz: Minecraft

Age: 5-12 Years

Join us to play the most popular computer game on the planet! Learn Minecraft building techniques, details of commands, and how to change the look of the game by playing on the provided tablets. Students may bring their own devices, but not required.

Instructor: Parker Anderson Enrichment

M-F	1:00-4:00pm	8/4-8/8	\$210
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## Young Einstein: STEMgineers

Age: 7-11 Years

Discover the exciting world of STEM! In this hands-on course, young scientists explore chemistry, rocketry, physics, engineering, coding, electronics, and robotics. Through fun, engaging projects, students connect classroom learning to real-world applications. Join us today!

Instructor: BrainStorm Education

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	7/21-7/25	\$265
M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	8/4-8/8	\$265



## Youtube Style Videos

Age: 7-13 Years

Online & Social Media videos have taken the entertainment industry by storm! Kids now watch YouTube more than TV! Participants will film about 3-4 assigned videos using a variety of topics and filming techniques to get the job done! **Additional \$30 materials fee due to instructor on the first day of class.**

Instructor: Movies By Kids

M-F	9:00am-12:00pm	6/16-6/20	\$195
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The mission of Age Well Senior Services is to promote and improve the quality of life and independence of the senior community. Volunteer opportunities are available!

For more information about any of the programs below, contact Age Well Senior Services, Rancho Santa Margarita at 949-709-7592, or visit the Bell Tower Regional Community Center.

All activities take place at the Bell Tower Regional Community Center. **RSVP required.**

### Meals on Wheels (Ages 60+)

Meals on Wheels provides nutritious daily meals for seniors aged 60+ who are unable to shop or prepare meals for themselves. Deliveries run Mondays through Fridays and include one breakfast, one hot lunch and one frozen dinner.

**For additional programs, special events and resources, call 949-709-7592 or visit [RSMconnect.org](http://RSMconnect.org) and select the Senior Services tab.**

### Congregate Lunch (Ages 60+)

Visit the Bell Tower Regional Community Center to enjoy healthy and nutritious hot or cold lunches served daily while engaging in social interaction and making new friends. This meal is made possible by Age Well Senior Services. Event details:

- Noon - 1pm
- Monday - Friday (excluding holidays)
- Suggested Donation: \$5.50

## PROGRAMS & ACTIVITIES

### Monday

10-11am Total Body Fitness  
11am-12pm Coffee & Conversation  
12:45-2pm Bingo

### Tuesday

10-11am Tai Chi  
11-11:45 Blood Pressure Clinic (1st & 3rd Tuesday)  
11am-12pm Coffee & Conversation

### Wednesday

10-11am Tai Chi  
11am-12pm Coffee & Conversation  
12-1pm Lunch with the Law (1st Wednesday)

### Thursday

10-11am Tai Chi  
10-11am Coffee & Conversation  
11am-12pm Hula Dancing with Laura  
12:45-1:45pm Gentle Yoga with Jeanette

### Friday

9:30-10:30am Chair Exercise  
11am-12pm Coffee & Conversation  
1-2pm AlzOC Caregiver Support (1st Friday)

**Stop by the Bell Tower Regional Community Center for more programs, activities, and events!**





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## SPLASH PAD

**OPEN: 10:00 AM SATURDAY, MAY 3**

The Splash Pad's many water features include sprayers, bubblers, dumping buckets, and a custom-designed theme celebrating Rancho Santa Margarita's surrounding natural beauty. The gated facility has restrooms and shaded canopies to ensure visitors comfortably enjoy the park on even the hottest summer days.

Hours of operation vary by season.  
Wet surfaces may be slippery.  
Do not drink the water.

Equipment for children ages 2 to 12.  
Surfaces may become hot.  
Use at your own risk.

**LOCATED AT 30824 LA MIRANDA (CENTRAL PARK)**

For more information, including rules and hours, visit [RSMconnect.org](http://RSMconnect.org) and select the Special Events/Facilities tab.

## Summer Concert Series

**Sundays 6:00 - 8:00 PM**

**July 6, 13, 20, 27 &  
August 3, 10**



**30824 LA MIRANDA (CENTRAL PARK)**



## SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

Interested in becoming a Community Partner?

Sponsorship provides a unique marketing opportunity to reach thousands of active consumers, spanning diverse demographics. It boosts business exposure and supports high-quality events and programs with a positive impact on participants' lives.

Sponsorship opportunities are available and customizable!

Please call 949-216-9700 or email [recreation@cityofrsm.org](mailto:recreation@cityofrsm.org) for more information.

