

Elementary & Youth Department

The Elementary & Youth Department provides programming for school-aged children, including quality before- and after-school care and summer camp.

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JCCNV's Camp Achva

Summer is short: Play hard!

For grades K-10

For more than 40 years, Camp Achva has offered campers in Northern Virginia summer fun in a caring Jewish environment. From kindergarten through 10th grade, from one-week specialty camps to summer-long programs, Camp Achva has something for everyone! No matter what Camp Achva experience you choose for your child, we promise a unique Jewish flavor and a staff filled with fun-loving and experienced counselors. Brochures and registration materials are available at the JCCNV or online at www.jccnv.org.

Before- and After-School Enrichment Program (BASE)

The Before- and After-School Enrichment (BASE) Program offers myriad opportunities to engage your child each day. In addition to quality care, the following activities are available at no additional charge:

- free swim twice a week in the JCCNV's 25-meter, heated indoor pool
- quiet homework room with staff assistance
- daily organized art, cooking and science projects
- free play on our playground and in our gym
- organized sports activities

Interested in enrichment classes?

Enrollment is available for a variety of classes and lessons. No extra driving for you; we take care of getting students to and from each activity.

Options include:

- piano, violin, viola, guitar and vocal instruction
- dance and sports classes
- private and group swim lessons
- enrichment classes

After-Kindergarten Program

Enjoy a special program designed to compliment your child's half-day kindergarten experience. We enjoy lunch together, art projects, swimming, gym time and weekly Shabbat programs. Throughout the day, we work on social skills and focus on how to be a good friend.

Mondays, 11am-3:30pm

Tuesday through Friday, noon-3:30pm

Transportation Is Available

Students who attend Wakefield Forest or Mantua Elementary can ride both the A.M. and P.M. Fairfax County school buses that stop at the JCCNV. Contact the Wakefield Forest or Mantua Elementary office to arrange for your child to ride the bus. In addition, both A.M. and P.M. care is available for Gesher Jewish Day School students who ride the Gesher bus.

The JCCNV provides P.M. transportation from Little Run, Canterbury Woods, Olde Creek, Camelot and Mosby Woods Elementary schools (transportation for Canterbury Woods After-Kinder students will be available if a minimum number of students enroll). There is a transportation fee of \$65/month (subject to change).



BASE When You Need It!

The BASE program isn't just in session on school days. We offer full-day care from 7:30am to 6pm on school vacation days and snow days and extended hours when school is delayed or dismissed early due to inclement weather. Our Winter and Spring Break Programs include field trips, guest performers and themed programming. Vacation day and inclement-weather programming isn't just for students who normally attend the BASE program; it's open to the entire community. When school is out, BASE is the place to be!



Music Lessons and Enrichment Classes

Private Music Lessons

The JCCNV offers private music lessons for kindergarteners through adults. Lessons will begin the week of June 28 and go through the week of August 23. Contact Nori White at (703) 537-3041 or e-mail NoriW@jccnv.org before registering a student, in order to arrange a time slot and find out details about teachers schedules.

Violin and Viola

Mondays

Summer Session Cost: \$30M/ \$40NM
per lesson
Code: 213/VV/J10

Piano

Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays

Summer Session Cost: 30M/ \$40NM
per lesson
Code: 213/PL/J10

Guitar Lessons

Days to be determined

Summer Session Cost: \$30M/ \$40NM
per lesson
Code: 213/GL/J10

Yoga Kids

Grades K-6

School can be stressful, so why not take a little time to unwind and relax? This beginner-level yoga class is taught by a trained instructor and is designed to be appropriate for children's growing bodies. Mats are provided; children should wear comfortable clothes they can move in.
Wednesdays, May 12-June 16 (5 weeks)

4:15pm-5pm

Cost: \$72M/ \$108NM

Code: 213/YGA/M10

Kids' Cooking Club

Grades K-4

Create your own after-school snacks in this kids' cooking class. We'll be whipping up tasty treats and yummy sweets, all with an eye toward good nutrition, kitchen safety and lots of fun!

Tuesdays, May 25-June 15 (4 weeks)

4:30pm

Cost: \$54M/ \$74NM

Code: 213/KCC/M10

Creative Kids

Grades K-2

CREATIVE KIDS is an innovative and dynamic literature-based drama program. A professional actor/teacher leads the class in exploring and dramatizing specially selected children's stories. The students then create and act out their own original stories based on these books. The stories come from all over the world and are carefully chosen for each age group. CREATIVE KIDS introduces students to acting, increases their love of books and is loads of fun!

Session C: Mondays, May 10-June 14

(6 weeks)

4:15pm-5pm

Session C Cost: \$125M/ \$140NM

Session C Code: 1213/DRA/M10

Session D: Mondays, July 12-August 16

(6 weeks)

4:15pm-5pm

Session D Cost: \$125M/ \$140NM

Session D Code: 213/DRA/J10

Birthday Parties

Contact: Nori White, NoriW@jccnv.org
(703) 537-3041

Make your child's birthday celebration one to remember! Fun for the kids and carefree for the parents! Parties are available on Sundays from 10am-noon or 1pm-3pm, with activities lasting between 45 minutes to one hour, based on age.

All parties include:

- Party room for two hours
- Up to 15 children
- Set-up/clean-up
- Paper products
- 15 helium balloons

Cost: \$225M/ \$250NM

Code: 213/BDP/J10

You can add one of these activities to your child's birthday celebration, for an additional fee:

Arts and Crafts Party

Guests will enjoy creating their own projects at this fun-filled party! Art projects are a great way for children to express themselves and discover their own creativity.

Fee: \$5 per child

Cooking Party

Guests will enjoy baking their own treats. And, while the food is in the oven, they will decorate their own aprons!

Fee: \$10 per child

Karaoke Party

This unique party is designed for the child who wants to be a star! Children will sing and perform, using our karaoke machine, complete with lyrics and a light show!

Fee: \$10 per child

Game Party

Kids will enjoy structured games and exciting activities! Staff will plan and run the events specifically catered to your child's interests.

Fee: \$50 per group

Interested in a pool party for your child's birthday?

The JCCNV makes its pool available on Sundays. Space is limited. Visit the JCCNV website at www.jccnv.org, or contact Teo Albu at (703) 537-3053 • TeoA@jccnv.org for additional information.

