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WINTER-SPRING 2016 Program Guide

Registration is now open! jccgw.org





Best Gym for People Over 40 and Best Preschool/Day Care.

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BUILDING HOURS

HEALTH & FITNESS

Monday-Thursday Fridav Saturday Sunday

5:30 am-10 pm 5:30 am-8 pm 7 am-8 pm* 7 am-8 pm

The building closes ½ hour after the Fitness Center closes.

INDOOR POOL

Monday-Thursday Friday Saturday Sunday

6 am-10 pm <u>6 am-8 pm*</u> 7-10 am & 12:30-8 pm* 7 am-8 pm

*Open until 8:30 pm November 7, 2015-March 19, 2016.

MEMBERSHIP

| SALES & GUEST SERVICES | | | |
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| Monday-Thursday | 8:30 am-8 pm | | |
| Friday | 8:30 am-5 pm | | |
| Sunday | 10 am-5 pm | | |

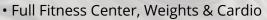
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ALL ARE WELCOME

The JCCGW embraces and welcomes the diversity of our community and encourages everyone to seek meaning and fulfillment by participating in our rich programming inspired by our Jewish heritage. We open our doors to everyone, including people of all backgrounds, religions, abilities and sexual orientations, and interfaith couples and families.

Inclusion permeates our Center. Inclusion is belonging.

We're part of your community



- 100+ Group Exercise Classes
- Basketball & Racquetball
- Indoor and Outdoor Pool
- Swim Lessons
- Babysitting 7 days a week

- After School Recreational Programs
- Art and Music Lessons
- Programs and Events for the Family
- Camp JCC Travel Opportunities
- And So Much More!

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Session Calendar

SESSION CALENDAR WINTER-SPRING 2016 Skip dates subject to change; please confirm with instructor.

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COLOR & SYMBOL KEY

Winter Session: January 24-March 26

Spring Session: April 3-June 18

Skip Dates: Youth classes not held

Holidays: See hours and closures at right.



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Holiday Schedule _

Friday, April 22 Erev Pesach H&F open 5:30 am-3 pm Preschool closes at 12:30 pm Offices close at 1 pm

Saturday, April 23 Pesach H&F open 7 am-3 pm

Sunday, April 24 Pesach H&F open 7 am-8 pm

Friday, April 29 Pesach H&F open 5:30 am-8 pm Offices and preschool closed

To receive JCCGW text alerts, please visit jccgw.org/textalerts.

Network A for Good.

Saturday, April 30 Pesach H&F open 7 am-8 pm

Monday, May 30 Memorial Day H&F open 7 am-6 pm Offices and preschool closed

Sunday, June 12 Shavuot H&F open 7 am-8 pm

TRUIST

Monday, June 13 Shavuot H&F open 5:30 am-10 pm Offices and preschool closed







Aquatics Caroline Cardullo 301-348-3890 | ccardullo@jccgw.org

GROUP SWIM LESSONS

Swim Lessons Waterbabies 6-18 mos

Parent and child learn together in the water. This introduction to the water class uses a gentle, low-key approach with techniques to aid in each child's progress.

| W | Jan 24-Mar 20 | 9-9:30 am | \$108m/\$130p | 14905 |
|---|---------------|------------|---------------|-------|
| | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 9:30-10 am | \$108m/\$130p | 14913 |
| | Jan 30-Mar 26 | 9-9:30 am | \$108m/\$130p | 14899 |
| W | Apr 3-Jun 5 | 9-9:30 am | \$96m/\$115p | 15049 |
| | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 9:30-10 am | \$120m/\$144p | 15058 |
| | Apr 9-Jun 18 | 9-9:30 am | \$108m/\$130p | 15142 |

Swim Lessons Watertots 18 mos-3 yrs

Parent and child learn together in the water in this class that introduces basic swimming skills such as back float, kicking, reaching and blowing bubbles.

| W | Jan 24-Mar 20 | 9:30-10 am | \$108m/\$130p | 14989 |
|---|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------|
| | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 10-10:30 am | \$108m/\$130p | 14939 |
| | Jan 30-Mar 26 | 9:30-10 am | \$108m/\$130p | 14988 |
| W | Apr 3-Jun 5 | 9:30-10 am | \$96m/\$115p | 15125 |
| | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 10-10:30 am | \$120m/\$144p | 15057 |
| | Apr 9-Jun 18 | 9:30-10 am | \$108m/\$130p | 15042 |

Swim Lessons Level 1 3-5 yrs

Focusing on water acclimation, this course is for children who are unable to be in the water on their own without using a flotation device. Children are in the water with the instructor.

| Su Apr 3-Jun Su Apr 3-Jun M Apr 4-Jun Tu Apr 5-Jun | | om \$84m/\$101p | 14995 |
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Swim Lessons Level 2 4-6 yrs

To enroll, children must be able to enter water using steps or jump in independently; open eyes underwater and retrieve submerged object; front glide, two body lengths; back float, three seconds; exit water independently.

| Su | Jan 24-Mar 20 | 10-10:30 am | \$108m/\$130p | 15006 |
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| Su | Jan 24-Mar 20 | 10:30-11 am | \$108m/\$130p | 15007 |
| Tu | Jan 26-Mar 22 | 4-4:30 pm | \$108m/\$130p | 15008 |
| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 4-4:30 pm | \$108m/\$130p | 14892 |
| Th | Jan 28-Mar 24 | 4-4:30 pm | \$108m/\$130p | 14947 |
| Sa | Jan 30-Mar 26 | 9:30-10 am | \$108m/\$130p | 15005 |
| Μ | Feb 1-Mar 21 | 4-4:30 pm | \$84m/\$101p | 14919 |
| Su | Apr 3-Jun 5 | 10-10:30 am | \$96m/\$115p | 15069 |
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| Su | Apr 3-Jun 5 | 10:30-11 am | \$96m/\$115p | 15070 |
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| Su | Apr 3-Jun 5 | 10:30-11 am | \$96m/\$115p | 15070 |
| Su M | Apr 3-Jun 5 Apr 4-Jun 6 | 10:30-11 am 4-4:30 pm | \$96m/\$115p \$96m/\$115p | 15070 15060 |
| Su M Tu | Apr 3-Jun 5 Apr 4-Jun 6 Apr 5-Jun 14 | 10:30-11 am 4-4:30 pm 4-4:30 pm | \$96m/\$115p \$96m/\$115p \$120m/\$144p | 15070 15060 15071 |

Swim Lessons Level 3 4-7 yrs

To enroll, children must be able to enter water by jumping in; rotary breathing; back float, 30 seconds; tread water, 30 seconds.

| Tu W Th | Jan 24-Mar 20 Jan 26-Mar 22 Jan 27-Mar 23 Jan 28-Mar 24 Feb 1-Mar 21 | 11-11:30 am 4:30-5 pm 4:30-5 pm 4:30-5 pm 4:30-5 pm | \$108m/\$130p \$108m/\$130p \$108m/\$130p \$108m/\$130p \$84m/\$101p | 14902 14920 14934 14976 14994 |
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Swim Lessons Level 4 6+ yrs

To enroll, children must be able to enter by jumping from side; enter headfirst from sitting and kneeling positions; bobbing while moving toward safety; rotary breathing; survival float; flutter, scissor, dolphin and breaststroke kicks on front; elementary backstroke; front crawl, 15 yards.

| Su | Jan 24-Mar 20 | 11-11:30 am | \$108m/\$130p | 14901 |
|----|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------|
| Su | Apr 3-Jun 5 | 11-11:30 am | \$96m/\$115p | 15081 |

PRIVATE & SEMI-PRIVATE SWIM LESSONS

Members only. Sessions are 30 minutes. To register, contact Caroline Cardullo at 301.348.3890 or ccardullo@jccgw.org.

Private (one student per instructor)

| Three sessions | \$140 |
|----------------|-------|
| Six sessions | \$240 |
| Ten sessions | \$308 |

Semi-Private (two students per instructor)

| \$183 |
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| \$317 |
| \$468 |
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SWIM CLUBS

Pre-Team Swim Club 6-12 yrs

Designed to prepare swimmers for the swim team, this stroke clinic is for those who are interested in participating in competitive swimming.

| Th | Jan 28-Jun 16 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$168m/\$199p | 14848 |
|-----|------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| Μ | Feb 1-Jun 6 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$133m/\$162p | 14846 |
| M 8 | Th Jan 28-Jun 16 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$291m/\$368p | 14880 |

Swim Club 7-14 yrs

Swimmers work on competitive skills and build endurance by swimming laps and corrected strokes. Swimmers must be able to swim one lap (50 yards) without stopping.

| Th | Jan 28-Jun 16 | 5:15-6:30 pm | \$191m/\$235p | 14869 |
|-----|--------------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| Μ | Feb 1-Jun 6 | 5:15-6:30 pm | \$151m/\$186p | 14864 |
| M 8 | ۲h Jan 28-Jun 16 ، | 5:15-6:30 pm | \$342m/\$421p | 14867 |

Masters Swim Club 18+ yrs

This noncompetitive recreational swim club provides challenging workouts, with individual stroke correction, for swimmers of all levels. Members only.

| M&W&F Jan 15-Jun 17 12-1 pm | \$303 | 14866 |
|--------------------------------|-------|-------|
| Punch Pass: 10 visits for \$75 | | |
| Drop-in Pass: \$8 | | |

INDOOR SWIM MEET

Events include freestyle, backstroke, breaststroke, butterfly and individual medley. Swimmers age 5-10 compete in up to three events. Swimmers age 11-14 and 15-18 compete in up to four events.

Su Jan 31 5-8 pm \$30m/\$35p 14606

ISADORE AND BERTHA GUDELSKY

EXCEPTIONAL SWIM PROGRAM

The Isadore and Bertha Gudelsky Exceptional Swim Program helps children, teens and adults with orthopedic-related disabilities to enjoy aquatics. The program partners professional staff members (a coordinator, physical therapist and adaptive water instructors) and volunteers with participants to teach swimming basics and help them feel comfortable in the water.

Children & Families BENDER-DOSIK PARENTING CENTER

Lauren Dworkin

301.348.3837 I ldworkin@jccgw.org

The Bender-Dosik Parenting Center provides activities, classes and educational opportunities for the whole family. Programs allow you to connect with other families and bond with your little one (0-5 years) in a nurturing and hands-on environment. Celebrate Jewish holidays, cultivate essential developmental skills and create play-filled memories together.

Mommy and Baby Yoga 6 wks-9 mos

Moms will learn mom-baby postures and massage techniques designed to promote bonding with each other and bring a sense of calm to baby. Strengthen, stretch and relieve stress while getting to know other moms and babies.

M Jan 25-Mar 21 11 am-12 pm \$80m/\$90p 14986

Music Together 0-12 mos

This introduction to Music Together is especially appropriate for infants who are not yet mobile. Meet other parents and learn fun and fascinating musical activities that you can recreate at home.

| Tu | Jan 5-Mar 8 | 11:30 am-12:15 pm | \$225m/\$235p | 14889 |
|----|--------------|-------------------|---------------|-------|
| Tu | Apr 5-Jun 14 | 11:30 am-12:15 pm | \$225m/\$235p | 15180 |

Music Together 0-5 yrs

Build on your child's natural enthusiasm for music and movement and learn the skills to support the natural process of music development.

| Tu Su | Jan 5-Mar 8 Jan 5-Mar 8 Jan 10-Mar 13 Jan 10-Mar 13 | 9:30-10:15 am 10:30-11:15 am 10-10:45 am 11-11:45 am | \$225m/\$235p \$225m/\$235p \$225m/\$235p \$225m/\$235p | 14894 14977 14949 14900 |
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| Su Tu | Apr 3-Jun 12 Apr 3-Jun 12 Apr 5-Jun 14 Apr 5-Jun 14 | 10-10:45 am 11-11:45 am 10:30-11:15 am 9:30-10:15 am | \$225m/\$235p \$225m/\$235p \$225m/\$235p \$225m/\$235p | 15177 15178 15179 15181 |

Shabbat Shalom Playgroup 0-5 yrs

Spend a fun-filled morning celebrating Shabbat and other Jewish holidays and themes. Learn about customs, traditions and prayers through art, music, movement and storytelling. One-time registration is required at jccgw.org/parenting.

| F | Feb 12-Apr 1 | 10-11 am | Free | 15016 |
|---|--------------|----------|------|-------|
| F | Apr 8-Jun 3 | 10-11 am | Free | 15047 |

Story Time 0-5 yrs

Story Time is a joyful exploration of children's literature through song and movement. Following Story Time, enjoy imaginative play, space to climb and explore, and age-appropriate toys.

| W | Feb 10-Mar 30 | 10-11 am | \$25m/\$30p | 15004 |
|----|---------------|----------|-------------|-------|
| Th | Feb 11-Mar 31 | 10-11 am | \$25m/\$30p | 15003 |
| W | Apr 6-Jun 1 | 10-11 am | \$25m/\$30p | 15141 |
| Th | Apr 7-lun 2 | 10-11 am | \$25m/\$30p | 15140 |

Parent & Tot Swim & Gym

Please see page 9.

Parent & Tot Gym Class

Please see page 9.

Child and Infant CPR 18+ yrs

Every parent and caregiver should know how and when to administer CPR. Participants will become Red Cross certified in CPR for babies and children up to 12 years old.

| Tu | Jan 26 | 7-9 pm | \$45m/\$55p | 15204 |
|----|--------|--------|-------------|-------|
| W | Åpr 13 | 7-9 pm | \$45m/\$55p | 15052 |

Mommy Movie Mondays 0-12 mos

Moms and babies are invited to the JCCGW auditorium where a film will be shown to an audience that doesn't mind if your baby cries! Children age 1-5 years may be dropped off at J-Club, our babysitting program, for a fee.

| М | Jan 25 | 10 am-12 pm | \$5 | 15173 |
|---|--------|-------------|-----|-------|
| Μ | Feb 8 | 10 am-12 pm | \$5 | 15182 |
| Μ | Feb 22 | 10 am-12 pm | \$5 | 15183 |

SONDRA AND HOWARD BENDER EARLY CHILDHOOD CENTER JCCGW PRESCHOOL Ora Cohen Rosenfeld

301.348.3830 I orosenfeld@jccgw.org Register at jccgw.org/preschool.

At the JCCGW Preschool, children grow and learn in a nurturing and inclusive Jewish setting. We strive to foster a positive sense of self in each child. We encourage children to express themselves through creative art and music activities. We make our holidays, customs, traditions and values come to life.

Through our flexible 10-month and 12-month programs, the preschool builds the foundation to create childhood memories, both Judaic and secular. We challenge, enlighten and broaden children's horizons through a wide variety of experiences.

Our exceptional staff makes the difference. It is our priority to employ experienced staff members who meet our high standards. We offer ongoing professional development to support our staff as lifelong learners. Our talented and dedicated staff is committed to ensuring each child's happiness, safety and growth.

Free JCCGW Family Membership with Full-Day Enrollment!

Nitzanim - Preschool Prep 12-24 mos

Prepare your child for preschool and have fun together. Enjoy circle time, art and movement, and take trips to the playground and gym.

| Th Jan 7-Feb 25 (2nd Participant Fee: 5 | 10-11:30 am \$60m/\$130p 15166) | \$110m/\$130p | 15165 |
|--|------------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| Th Mar 3-Apr 21 (2nd Participant Fee: | | \$110m/\$130p | 15167 |

Children & Families (continued)

HolidayCare 2-5 yrs

HolidayCare is offered for JCCGW Preschool students in the 10-month and 12-month programs on certain Jewish holidays when the preschool is closed but the Center is open. It is available only to children enrolled in the JCCGW Preschool.

Pesach

| F Apr 29 | 9 am-5 pm | \$80 | 15169 |
|----------|-----------|------|-------|
| Shavuot | | | |
| M Jun 13 | 9 am-5 pm | \$80 | 15170 |

Kid Koverage 2-5 yrs

Kid Koverage provides childcare for preschool students in the 10-month program who would like to attend school during school vacations when the 12-month program is in session.

| М | Apr 25 | 9 am-5 pm | \$80 | 15087 |
|----|--------|-----------|------|-------|
| Tu | Apr 26 | 9 am-5 pm | \$80 | 15099 |
| W | Apr 27 | 9 am-5 pm | \$80 | 15116 |
| Th | Apr 28 | 9 am-5 pm | \$80 | 15115 |

Elie Ronen Scott Family Gym

Families with children age 18 months to 6 years are invited for Sunday morning fun in the gym.

FAMILY ENGAGEMENT

Jennifer Radosh 301.348.3848 l jradosh@jccgw.org jccgw.org/jplay

The JCCGW and PJ Library welcome Montgomery County families to join us for fun-filled Jewish experiences, both inside and outside the walls of the Center. Through play dates, community events and holiday celebrations, we aim to connect families and build friendships in their geographic area.

Youth, Tweens & Teens

Sarah Weissman 301.348.3767 | afterschool@jccgw.org

BEFORE-SCHOOL AND AFTER-SCHOOL CARE

Please note that children in kindergarten through grade six must be enrolled in a supervised program while at the Center on their own. Thank you for your cooperation in helping to keep our children safe.

FULL SCHOOL-YEAR PROGRAMS

Kids After School Gr K-6

This program is licensed through the Maryland State Department of Education.

3:30-6 pm. Participating in this full school-year program allows students to socialize with friends, complete homework with staff assistance, and stay active through a variety of supervised activities led by enthusiastic staff. Healthy snacks are offered, and credit toward JCCGW youth enrichment classes is available. **Care on days when school is out, including winter and spring breaks, is included for students participating in Kids After School on the days they are enrolled.** A \$100 nonrefundable registration fee is required for all Kids After School participants. MCPS provides bus transportation to the JCCGW from Luxmanor Elementary School, Farmland Elementary School and Tilden Middle School.

Kids After-School Monthly Fees

| Five days | \$430m*/\$460p |
|------------|----------------|
| Three days | \$305m*/\$335p |
| Two days | \$230m*/\$250p |

*Must have family-level membership to take advantage of member rates.

NEW Kids Before School Gr K-6

The JCCGW is now offering before-school care starting at 7:30 am each school day. The mornings will be filled with games, homework help and access to the computer lab. No breakfast will be served. The Farmland Elementary School, Luxmanor Elementary School and Tilden Middle School buses will stop at the JCCGW each morning to pick up children. Children who attend CESJDS will be walked across the street at 8 am. A drop-in option is available.

Kids Before School Monthly Fees

Five days \$225m*/\$250p

*Must have family-level membership to take advantage of member rate.

AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAMS BY SESSION

Class Complement Gr K-6

Offered Monday-Thursday between 3:30 and 4:30 pm. This program provides **required supervision for children who are ENROLLED in an enrichment class** and who will be at the JCCGW before an enrichment class starting at 4:30 pm. Children will be escorted to their enrichment classes by a member of the JCCGW after-school staff. The children will **NOT** be picked up after class; parents are required to pick up their children **DIRECTLY** from the class. Free for members.

CESJDS Walkover: We provide complementary walkover for CESJDS students in grades K-2. Please send an email to afterschool@jccgw.org to add your child to the walkover list.

| M | Feb 1-Mar 21 | \$0m/\$45p | 14987 |
|----|---------------|------------|-------|
| Tu | Jan 26-Mar 22 | \$0m/\$45p | 14992 |
| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | \$0m/\$45p | 14993 |
| Th | Jan 28-Mar 24 | \$0m/\$45p | 14991 |
| M | Apr 4-Jun 6 | \$0m/\$45p | 15145 |
| Tu | Apr 5-Jun 14 | \$0m/\$45p | 15146 |
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | \$0m/\$45p | 15035 |
| Th | Apr 7-Jun 16 | \$0m/\$45p | 15144 |

Class Complement Extended Gr K-6

Offered Monday-Thursday between 4:30 and 6 pm. Available for children who **need coverage for classes beginning after 4:30 pm or AFTER their class ends.** Children may do homework, read or play games. They will be escorted to and from their enrichment classes by a member of the after-school staff. This option provides coverage BEFORE and AFTER enrichment classes. A light snack will be offered.

CESJDS Walkover: We provide complementary walkover for CESJDS students in grades K-2. Please send an email to afterschool@jccgw.org to add your child to the walkover list.

| M | Feb 1-Mar 21 | \$110m/\$160p | 14930 |
|----|---------------|---------------|-------|
| Tu | Jan 26-Mar 22 | \$110m/\$160p | 14931 |
| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | \$110m/\$160p | 14962 |
| Th | Jan 28-Mar 24 | \$110m/\$160p | 14961 |
| M | Apr 4-Jun 6 | \$110m/\$160p | 15117 |
| Tu | Apr 5-Jun 14 | \$110m/\$160p | 15120 |
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | \$110m/\$160p | 15121 |
| Th | Apr 7-Jun 16 | \$110m/\$160p | 15118 |

Class Complement Daily Drop-In

This program provides required supervision on a drop-in basis. For details and to register, please contact Sarah Weissman at 301.348.3767 or sweissman@jccgw.org at least 24 hours in advance.

SCHOOL OUT DAYS GR K-6

When school is closed, JCCGW staff provides a fun and engaging day of programming such as sports, swimming, cooking and arts & crafts.

CESJDS School Out Days

| M Jan 25 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 14663 |
|-----------|---------------|-------------|-------|
| F Feb 12 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 14898 |
| M Feb 15 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 14918 |
| Th Mar 24 | 12-6 pm | \$35m/\$45p | 14996 |
| F Mar 25 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15015 |
| Th Mar 31 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15040 |
| F Apr 1 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15041 |
| W Apr 20 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15150 |
| Th Apr 21 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15265 |
| F Apr 22 | 7:30 am-12 pm | \$35m/\$45p | 15266 |
| F Jun 17 | 12-6 pm | \$35m/\$45p | 15148 |
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MCPS School Out Days

| Μ | Jan 25 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 14663 |
|----|--------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Μ | Feb 15 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 14918 |
| F | Feb 26 | 12:30-6 pm | \$35m/\$45p | 14965 |
| Tu | Apr 26 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15267 |
| F | Jun 17 | 12-6 pm | \$35m/\$45p | 15148 |

SPRING BREAK CAMPS GR K-6

Spend your break at the JCCGW enjoying arts & crafts, sports, swimming and a field trip.

CESJDS Spring Break Camp

The fee to attend all four days is \$265 for members and \$320 for the general public. The code is 15268.

| M Apr 25 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75/\$90 | 15269 |
|-----------|--------------|-----------|-------|
| Tu Apr 26 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75/\$90 | 15270 |
| W Apr 27 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75/\$90 | 15271 |
| Th Apr 28 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75/\$90 | 15272 |

MCPS Spring Break Camp

The fee to attend all seven days is \$490 for members and \$590 for the general public. The code is 15096.

| Th | Mar 24 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15207 |
|----|--------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| F | Mar 25 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15208 |
| Μ | Mar 28 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15107 |
| Tu | Mar 29 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15038 |
| W | Mar 30 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15112 |
| Th | Mar 31 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15104 |
| F | Apr 1 | 7:30 am-6 pm | \$75m/\$90p | 15131 |

HOLIDAYCARE

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HolidayCare is available to elementary school students who attend day schools and need care on days when school is out. HolidayCare is offered when the Kids After School (KAS) program is closed but the JCCGW is open.

| F | Apr 29 | 7:30 am-5 pm | \$80 | 15176 |
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AFTER-SCHOOL CLASSES

Preschool in the Kitchen 3-5 yrs

Children explore their culinary skills by making fun and edible creations through a variety of culinary techniques.

| Th Jan 28-Mar 24 | 3-3:45 pm | \$225m/\$270p | 15189 |
|------------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Th Apr 7-Jun 16 | 3-3:45 pm | \$225m/\$270p | 15188 |
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Chess 5-12 yrs

This introduction to chess focuses on basic moves and piece familiarity. Students with some knowledge of chess will learn new moves.

| M Feb 1-Mar 21 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$105m/\$126p | 14978 |
|----------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| M Apr 4-Jun 6 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$105m/\$126p | 15048 |

Zumba Kids 7-12 yrs

This high-energy dance and movement class mixes great moves and music to a Latin beat.

| Th | Jan 28-Mar 24 | 4:15-5 pm | \$165m/\$180p | 15191 |
|----|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Th | Apr 7-Jun 16 | 4:15-5 pm | \$184m/\$200p | 15192 |

ART

Debbie Clark

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Build Your Own Games & Toys 6-9 yrs

Students can make their own version of a toy, or invent a totally original toy out of materials such as paper, cardboard, plastic, wood and fabric.

| М | Jan 25-Mar 21 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$179m/\$195p | 14910 |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| Μ | Apr 4-Jun 6 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$179m/\$195p | 15074 |

Building with Clay 9-11 yrs

Students will create exciting objects by shaping clay while improving their hand-building skills. They can make a place setting or a sculpture, or build on other ideas.

| Tu | Jan 26-Mar 22 | 4:15-5:45 pm | \$233m/\$251p | 14903 |
|----|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| Tu | Apr 5-Jun 14 | 4:15-5:45 pm | \$235m/\$255p | 15062 |

Fun with Clay 5-8 yrs

Dive into the "mud" and create fantastic animals, vessels, wall hangings and more with clay. Learn hand-building techniques such as slab construction, pinching, coiling and sculpture, with many kinds of surface decoration.

| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$197m/\$215p | 14908 |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$215m/\$235p | 15061 |

Jewelry Making 6-8 yrs

It's fun to make bracelets, necklaces, crowns, belts and other items that you design yourself and can wear for all types of occasions. We will use beads, feathers, string, wire, sculpey and papier mache.

| Th | Jan 28-Mar 24 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$197m/\$215p | 14907 |
|----|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| Th | Apr 7-Jun 16 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$215m/\$235p | 15065 |

Paint and Draw

Learn the basics of painting and drawing through a step-by-step approach. Let your imagination run wild!

Young Painters – 5-8 yrs

| Th Jan 28-Mar 24 Th Apr 7-Jun 16 | | \$197m/\$215p \$215m/\$235p | 14985 15036 |
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| Budding Artists M Jan 25-Mar 21 M Apr 4-Jun 6 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$179m/\$195p \$179m/\$195p | 14968 15063 |
| Budding Artists Tu Jan 26-Mar 22 Tu Apr 5-Jun 14 | 5:15-6:15 pm | \$197m/\$215p \$215m/\$235p | 14811 14808 |

Scrapbooking - Real & Imaginary 9-12 yrs

Learn how to make your memories unforgettable, or build a timeless story of your own.

| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$197m/\$215p | 14969 |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$215m/\$235p | 15066 |

Super Crafters 8-11 yrs

Learn the basic skills of making objects such as bags, wallets, 3-D sculptures and 2-D collages. Develop new craft skills as you work in media such as painting, beading, needlework, decoupage and duct tape.

| Tu | Jan 26-Mar 22 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$197m/\$215p | 14909 |
|----|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| Tu | Apr 5-Jun 14 | 4:15-5:15 pm | \$215m/\$235p | 15064 |

Youth, Tweens & Teens (continued)

DANCE

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Please note that the JCCGW School of Dance has a full schedule of classes that run from September through June. If space is still available in a year-long class, students may register with permission of the instructor at a prorated tuition. The schedule can be found at jccgw.org/dance.

Preschool

Pre-Ballet: Creative Movement 3-4 yrs

Explore dance concepts through the Magic Box filled with tricks of our trade. Music, props, art, non-competitive games and creative activities are used as tools for learning the basics of dance.

Tu Jan 26-Jun 7 3-3:45 pm \$342m/\$400p 14878

Pre-Ballet: Ballet/Tap Combo 3-5 yrs

Ballet provides an opportunity for children to learn poise, grace, coordination and strength. Tap provides the opportunity to discover different sounds and rhythms while burning off some energy.

Th Jan 28-Jun 9 3-3:45 pm \$342m/\$400p 14887

Pre Ballet: Twist & Twirl 3-5 yrs

In this introductory pre-ballet class, dance concepts will be creatively presented using poems, stories and world music.

W Jan 27-Jun 8 3-3:45 pm \$342m/\$400p 14886

Ballet

Classes consist of barre exercises and center work, focusing on overall body alignment and awareness with emphasis on proper usage of feet and legs and execution of turnout. Carriage and usage of upper torso and arms are also stressed.

| Beginning Ball Tu Jan 5-Jun 7 | et I 4-5 yrs 4:15-5:15 pm | \$485m/\$525p | 15205 |
|---|-------------------------------------|---------------|-------|
| Beginning Ballet II 6-8 yrs Tu Jan 5-Jun 7 5:15-6:15 pm \$485m/\$525p 15206 | | | |

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Jazz dance brings energy and life to all those who dance it. Classes explore body isolations of the head, shoulders, ribcage, feet and arms.

| Intermediate I | Jazz 10-13 yrs | | |
|----------------|----------------|---------------|-------|
| Th Jan 7-Jun 9 | 6:15-7:15 pm | \$503m/\$545p | 15190 |

Street Jazz Hip-Hop

Street jazz warm-up and center exercises will start the class. Center work will add a challenge as students tackle isolations and syncopated rhythms in hip-hop. Students will be introduced to street dance styles.

Street Jazz Hip-Hop I 8-11 yrs W Jap 6-Jun 8 4:15-5:15 pm \$503m/\$545p

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| Street Jazz Hip | -Hop II 12-16 | yrs | |
| W Jan 6-Jun 8 | 5:15-6:15 pm | \$503m/\$545p | 15195 |

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Tap | Beginning 5-7 yrs

Tap is a fun, fast-paced style of dance that teaches rhythm, counting and coordination. Students will build listening skills, learn tap vocabulary, and connect movement response to sound and sequencing.

| Th | Jan 7-Jun 9 | 4 pm-5 pm | \$503m/\$545p | 15187 |
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Yoga Kids

Students learn classic yoga postures using books, games and music. This class focuses on yogic principles, including kindness, tranquility, confidence and courage. Meditation and breathing exercises will be taught.

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| W | Jan 20-Mar 23 Apr 6-Jun 15 | 4:15-5:15 pm 4:15-5:15 pm | \$165m/\$180p \$188m/\$198p | 15022 15151 |
|----|-------------------------------|------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------|
| 8- | 12 yrs | | | |
| W | Jan 20-Mar 23 | 5:15-6:15 pm | \$165m/\$180p | 15024 |
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 5:15-6:15 pm | \$188m/\$198p | 15153 |

MUSIC

Janet Getz

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Age 5+ yrs. Private instruction is offered Saturday through Thursday year-round in piano, guitar (acoustic, electric, bass), percussion and drums, voice, woodwinds (flute, clarinet, oboe, bassoon, saxophone), strings (violin, viola, cello) and brass (trumpet, trombone). Private music lessons are also offered in Hebrew for guitar and in Korean for piano. Please note that online registration is not available for private music lessons.

BIRTHDAY PARTIES Sarah Weissman

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You say it's your birthday? Celebrate with a party at the JCCGW! Parties are held on Saturdays and Sundays, and we have two great packages from which to choose. Party themes include: Arts & Crafts • Pirate or Superhero • Sports • Gymnastics Jewelry Making

ONGOING PROGRAMS

Arts Alive Jewish Learning Program

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For children in kindergarten through grade 3, this interactive Jewish educational experience fosters positive Jewish identity, nurtures a love for Jewish life and learning, and inspires a passion for the arts.

Tzofim

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Join the Tzofim (Israel Scouts), Shevat Gilad, made up of more than 100 fluent Hebrew speakers in grade 3 through 12 who meet every Sunday at the JCCGW to engage in Israel-related activities, all in Hebrew.

Rockville Open House

RockvilleOpenHouse@gmail.com

This supervised, safe gathering space is for lesbian, gay, bi-sexual, transgender, queer, questioning, or intersex Jewish teens age 13 to 18, and their friends and allies.

BBYO and BBYO Connect

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BBYO is the leading pluralistic teen movement inspiring to involve more Jewish teens in more meaningful Jewish experiences. For 90 years, BBYO has provided exceptional identity enrichment and leadership development experiences for hundreds of thousands of Jewish teens. BBYO convenes and connects 8th-12th grade teens of all backgrounds for a wide variety of educational, Judaic, athletic and advocacy programming.

BBYO Connect offers teens a variety of experiences to help bridge the gap between immediate pre- and post-bar/bat mitzvah and high school programs. Focused on service, social and Judaic programming, BBYO Connect builds a network of teens across North America at a critical age when middle school students begin to strengthen their identities, form social circles and prepare for high school and beyond.

Sports & Recreation

Susan Fischer

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Parent & Tot Gym & Swim 12-24 mos

Parents and children will have fun working on balance and coordination in the gym under the guidance of an experienced instructor, then get in the pool together for a Watertots class.

| Μ | Feb 1-Mar 21 | 10-11:15 am | \$147m/\$182p | 14975 |
|---|--------------|-------------|---------------|-------|
| Μ | Apr 4-Jun 6 | 10-11:15 am | \$168m/\$208p | 15039 |

Little All-Stars Multi-Sports 3-5 yrs

Children are introduced to the basic skills and rules of different team sports such as soccer, kickball and basketball.

| Tu | Jan 26-Mar 22 | 2:45-3:15 pm | \$72m/\$90p | 14937 |
|----|---------------|--------------|-------------|-------|
| Tu | Apr 5-Jun 14 | 2:45-3:15 pm | \$80m/\$96p | 15108 |

Preschool Sports & Sorts 3-5 yrs

Children are introduced to different activities and sports such as soccer, kickball and basketball.

| М | Feb 1-Mar 21 | 3-3:45 pm | \$70m/\$84p | 14972 |
|---|--------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| Μ | Apr 4-Jun 6 | 3-3:45 pm | \$80m/\$96p | 15110 |

Preschool Team Sports Challenges 3-5 yrs

This exciting new class offers activities outside of traditional team sports that challenge students both physically and mentally. It introduces team-building, problem-solving and physical challenges.

| Tu Jan 26-Mar 22 | 3:30-4 pm | \$72m/\$90p | 14953 |
|------------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| Tu Apr 5-Jun 14 | 3:30-4 pm | \$80m/\$96p | 15097 |

Youth Team Sports Challenges 5-8 yrs

This exciting new class offers activities outside of traditional team sports that challenge students both physically and mentally. It will introduce team-building, problem-solving and physical challenges.

| Tu Jan 26-Mar 22 | 4:15-5 pm | \$90m/\$108p | 14954 |
|------------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Tu Apr 5-Jun 14 | 4:15-5 pm | \$100m/\$120p | 15098 |

All-Star Multi-Sports 5-7 yrs

Children will be introduced to different activities and the basic skills and rules of team sports such as soccer, kickball, floor hockey, basketball and more.

| Μ | Feb 1-Mar 21 | 4:15-5 pm | \$70m/\$84p | 14997 |
|---|--------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| Μ | Apr 4-Jun 6 | 4:15-5 pm | \$80m/\$96p | 15109 |

Ga-Ga Sport 5-12 yrs

Children will play rousing games of ga-ga and striker on the racquetball courts.

| Tu Jan 26-Mar 22 | 5-5:45 pm | \$90m/\$108p | 14915 |
|------------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Tu Apr 5-Jun 14 | 5-5:45 pm | \$100m/\$120p | 15056 |

SPECIAL NEEDS

Sports Adventures 8-12 yrs

In this adapted physical education class, participants with special needs learn the basic skills of a variety of sports. The instructor will make any necessary adjustments so that all participants can be involved in each activity.

| Μ | Feb 1-Mar 21 | 5-5:30 pm | \$70m/\$84p | 14951 |
|---|--------------|-----------|-------------|-------|
| Μ | Apr 4-Jun 6 | 5-5:30 pm | \$60m/\$72p | 15075 |

BASKETBALL

Mini Hoopsters 3-5 yrs

Children will improve their basketball skills through dribbling, passing and shooting drills and games. They will also begin to learn the basic rules of basketball.

| Th Jan 28-Mar 24 | 3-3:45 pm | \$90m/\$108p | 14938 |
|------------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Th Apr 7-Jun 16 | 3-3:45 pm | \$100m/\$120p | 15076 |

Basketball Skills Level 1 5-7 yrs

This introduction to basketball includes fundamentals such as ball-handling, shooting, passing and defense. Mini games and contests will be incorporated.

| Th | Jan 28-Mar 24 | 4:15-5 pm | \$90m/\$108p | 14896 |
|----|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Th | Apr 7-Jun 16 | 4:15-5 pm | \$100m/\$120p | 15043 |

Basketball Skills Level 2 8-12 yrs

Though participants will continue to work on the fundamentals, they should already be comfortable with dribbling, passing and shooting. This class will cover defenses, offensive positions, the triple threat position and rebounding.

| Th | Jan 28-Mar 24 | 5-5:45 pm | \$90m/\$108p | 15011 |
|----|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| Th | Apr 7-Jun 16 | 5-5:45 pm | \$100m/\$120p | 15111 |

GYMNASTICS

Parent & Tot Gymnastics 1-3 yrs

Under the guidance of an experienced instructor, parents will lead children through gymnastics warm-ups and stretching, and then introduce them to gymnastics apparatus.

| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 10-10:30 am | \$108m/\$126p | 14952 |
|---|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------|
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 10-10:30 am | \$100m/\$120p | 15077 |

Tumble Tots Gymnastics 3-4 yrs

Children will be introduced to the basic terminology and fundamentals of gymnastics. They will work on balance and coordination.

| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 2:45-3:15 pm | \$90m/\$108p | 14957 |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 2:45-3:15 pm | \$100m/\$120p | 15138 |

Super Tots Gymnastics 4-5 yrs

Children will be introduced to the basic terminology and fundamentals of gymnastics. They will work on balance and coordination.

| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 3:30-4:15 pm | \$108m/\$126p | 14890 |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 3:30-4:15 pm | \$100m/\$120p | 15137 |

Jump Around Gymnastics 1 5-8 yrs

Children play on specialized gymnastics equipment in this class, which provides them the opportunity to develop balance-beam skills, cartwheels, rolls and bar work.

| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 4:30-5:15 pm | \$108m/\$126p | 14955 |
|---|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------|
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 4:30-5:15 pm | \$120m/\$140p | 15139 |

Jump Around Gymnastics 2 8-12 yrs

Children play on specialized gymnastics equipment in this class, which provides them the opportunity to develop balance-beam skills, cartwheels, rolls and bar work.

| W | Jan 27-Mar 23 | 5:15-6 pm | \$108m/\$126p | 14956 |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| W | Apr 6-Jun 15 | 5:15-6 pm | \$120m/\$140p | 15136 |

KARATE

Lil Dragons Karate 3-5 yrs

This introduction to Tae Kwon Do teaches basic martial arts techniques, as well as life and safety skills, through fun activities and drills.

| М | Feb 1-Jun 6 | 3:15-4 pm | \$289m/\$334p | 14877 |
|---|---------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| W | Jan 27-Jun 15 | 3:15-4 pm | \$366m/\$423p | 14879 |

Kid Tiger Karate 5-8 yrs

For beginner/intermediate students.

| M Feb 1-Jun 6 | 4:15-5 pm | \$289m/\$334p | 14865 |
|-------------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| W Jan 27-Jun 15 | 4:15-5 pm | \$366m/\$423p | 14863 |
| M&W Jan 27-Jun 15 | 4:15-5 pm | \$655m/\$757p | 14862 |

Sports & Recreation (continued)

Beginner Karate 9+ yrs

For beginners with no belt through purple belt/green stripe. M&W Jan 27-Jun 15 5-5:45 pm \$655m/\$757p 14881

Intermediate/Advanced Karate 9+ yrs

For intermediate/advanced students with a green belt through brown belt/red stripe.

M&W Jan 27-Jun 15 5:45-6:30 pm \$655m/\$757p 14882

Advanced/Black Belts and Adults Karate 9+ yrs

M&W Jan 27-Jun 15 6:30-7:15 pm \$655m/\$757p 14861

SPORTS LESSONS

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Private and semi-private lessons are offered in gymnastics, basketball, karate and more.

JCC MACCABI GAMES

Susan Fischer

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MID-ATLANTIC JUNIOR GAMES Caroline Cardullo

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For athletes age 10 to 12, the Mid-Atlantic Junior Games are a oneday experience modeled after the JCC Maccabi Games.

ADULT SPORTS

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Mamanet 18+ yrs

The Israeli game of Mamanet (called Newcomb in the US) is a competitive game similar to volleyball. Players must catch the ball before passing it back over the net, making those with little or no background in team sports able to participate.

| Tu | Jan 26-Mar 22 | 7-8 pm | \$90m/\$108p | 14970 |
|----|---------------|--------|---------------|-------|
| Tu | Apr 5-Jun 14 | 7-8 pm | \$150m/\$160p | 15201 |

Spring Softball League 18+ yrs

Grab your bat, step up to the plate and register for our co-ed softball league! We have divisions for various skill levels. Register as a team or individually.

Sunday League

| Su Apr 10-Jul 31 | 9 am-12 pm | \$1,500m/\$1,500p | 15196 |
|-------------------|------------|-------------------|-------|
| Weekday League | | | |
| M,Tu Apr 18-Aug 2 | 6:30-10 pm | \$1,300m/\$1,300p | 15197 |

Free Drop-in Adult Sports 18+ yrs

Basketball | Members only | Tu & Th 6-10 pm Volleyball | Open to all | M 7-9 pm

Fitness

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The JCCGW's Weinberg Health & Fitness Center features basketball, racquetball and squash courts; clean and cutting-edge equipment with cardio theater; free weights; adult and family locker rooms; personal training; and babysitting.

Tai Chi 18+ yrs

Tai Chi uses gentle flowing movements to reduce the stress of a busy lifestyle and improve balance, agility and health.

| Μ | Jan 18-Mar 21 | 11:30 am-12:30 pm | \$99m/\$149p | 14964 |
|---|---------------|-------------------|--------------|-------|
| Μ | Apr 4-Jun 6 | 11:30 am-12:30 pm | \$99m/\$149p | 15122 |

GROUP EXERCISE

Megan Riggs

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We offer more than 100 weekly group and specialty exercise classes, including Kangoo, Yoga, Total Body Conditioning, Zumba, BODYPUMP[™] by Les Mills and Boot Camp. Watch for news about new pre- and post-natal classes, and barre and belly dance workshops and classes.

PERSONAL TRAINING

Dahhia Smith Johnson

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Age 13+. Customized fitness training programs designed to help you meet your fitness goals.

Junior Strength Training 10-14 yrs

Our youth fitness classes are designed to help youth be more active through cardio exercise, calisthenics and use of strength equipment.

| W | Feb 3-Mar 23 | 4:30-5:30 p | om | \$110m/\$130p | 14932 |
|---|--------------|-------------|----|---------------|-------|
| W | May 4-Jun 8 | 4:30-5:30 p | om | \$95m/\$110p | 15101 |

Plyo-Tensity 15-18 yrs

This class focuses on speed, agility and plyometerics, intense bursts of activities designed for higher burn in a shorter period of time. It will boost your metabolism while challenging your cardiovascular system.

| W | Feb 3-Feb 24 | 6-6:45 pm | \$90m/\$100p | 15184 |
|---|--------------|-----------|---------------|-------|
| W | May 4-Jun 8 | 6-6:45 pm | \$120m/\$135p | 15089 |

TRX Training 16+ yrs

This new category of exercise for all fitness levels leverages your body weight and gravity using the TRX to develop strength, balance, flexibility and core stability simultaneously.

| Th | Feb 4-Mar 24 | 12:30-1:15 pm | \$110m/\$130p | 15185 |
|----|--------------|----------------|---------------|-------|
| Th | Feb 4-Mar 24 | 6:30-7:15 pm | \$110m/\$130p | 14982 |
| Th | Apr 14-Jun 9 | 10:30-11:15 am | \$110m/\$130p | 15102 |

Women With Weights 16+ yrs

This women-only program is designed to target multiple muscle groups at once. In a short amount of time, you will build lean muscle, lose body fat and burn calories.

| M&F | Feb 1-Mar 14 | 9:30-10:30 am | \$135m/\$150p | 14999 |
|-----|--------------|---------------|---------------|-------|
| M&F | May 2-27 | 9:30-10:30 am | \$95m/\$110p | 15088 |

PARKINSON'S WELLNESS INITIATIVE

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The JCCGW offers classes for individuals with Parkinson's disease as part of the Edmond J. Safra National Parkinson's Wellness Initiative. Held at the JCCGW in partnership with Georgetown University Hospital, the program is designed to improve the lives of those impacted by Parkinson's through fitness, support, education and socialization. It includes classes in chair-based strengthening, yoga fitness and NIA (neuromuscular integrated action) and a care partner support group.

NPF: Ageless Grace/NIA

Ageless Grace consists of 21 simple exercise tools designed for all ages and abilities.

| Su | Jan 17-Apr 3 | 1-2 pm | \$85m | 14936 |
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NPF: Chair-Based Strength

This full-body workout is designed especially for Parkinson's patients to help improve and maintain Activities of Daily Living and to help improve quality of life by working on balance, strength, flexibility and range of motion.

| | Tu | Jan 19-Apr 5 | 1-2 pm | \$85m | 14935 |
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NPF: Yoga

Participants will go through postures or asanas from lying down to seated to standing in this class designed to help improve flexibility and range of motion, and decrease feelings of stress and tension. Must be able to move from the floor to standing.

| Th Jan 21-Apr 7 1-2 pm \$8 | 85m 1492 | 9 |
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J-CLUB BABYSITTING

Parents can work out or attend a program at the JCCGW while their children, age 3 months to 5 years, have fun in our supervised play room. Please pay in advance at the membership desk.

| Monday-Thursday | 8:30 am-12:30 pm & 4:30-7:30 pm |
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| Friday | 8:30 am-12:30 pm |
| Saturday | 9 am-2 pm |
| Sunday | 9 am-1 pm |

Hours subject to change. Please call 301.348.3800 to confirm.

Fee per hour, per child: \$3m/\$6p Fee for 10-hour card, per child: \$30m/\$60p Unlimited Pass: \$20 per month (members only)

PROACTION PHYSICAL THERAPY

301.881.2273 | proactionpt.com

Services include treating orthopedic injuries; treating those who had surgery, such as joint replacement and rotator cuff repair; aquatic therapy; and treating runners and injury prevention.

Adults

DANCE Debbie Clark 301.348.3777 I dclark@jccgw.org

Alvin Mayes Modern Dance Workshop 18+ yrs

Dancer and choreographer Alvin Mayes, a member of the dance faculty at the University of Maryland, teaches this enjoyable, flowing and challenging class.

| Th Jan 28-Mar 24 | 9:30-10:45 am | \$184m/\$192p | 14950 |
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| Th Apr 7-Jun 16 | 9:30-10:45 am | \$184m/\$192p | 15143 |

GAMES

Meryl Trachtman

301.348.3808 | mtrachtman@jccgw.org

Beginner Mah Jongg 18+ yrs

Learn the basics of this fun and challenging game, including rules, strategy and etiquette. Meet other players or form your own group. Purchase the National Mah Jongg League Card.

W Mar 30-Apr 20 10:30 am-12:30 pm \$60m/\$75p 15119

Intermediate Mah Jongg 18+ yrs

This class focuses on strategies and choosing hands. It is for players who know the basics of the game.

| Tu Mar 8-29 | 7-9 pm | \$60m/\$75p | 14906 |
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| Tu Apr 26-May 17 | 7-9 pm | \$60m/\$75p | 15123 |

Beginner Bridge 18+ yrs

This course is for bridge newcomers, and players who need a refresher. It will cover the fundamentals of modern bidding and play of the hand, and some defensive principles.

Th Apr 7-May 12 7-9 pm \$135m/\$150p 15149

Intermediate Bridge 18+ yrs

For players who have played bridge for a year or more, this class will include all forms of bidding.

| W Feb 17-Wal 25 7-9 pm \$155m/\$150p 1490 | W Feb 17-Mar 23 | 7-9 pm | \$135m/\$150p | 1496 |
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Duplicate Bridge

Join fellow bridge lovers for drop-in duplicate bridge on Mondays at 7:15 pm at the Center.

HEBREW & YIDDISH

Rivka Degani

301.348.3810 I rdegani@jccgw.org

Hebrew Aleph I 14+ yrs

Students should be familiar with present tense and infinitive, and have a vocabulary of 300 words.

| Tu Feb 9-Jun 21 | 9-11 am | \$420 | 14857 |
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Hebrew Aleph I 14+ yrs

This class is for students with no previous Hebrew knowledge. Both the cursive and printed alphabets are taught, along with vocabulary for basic dialogue.

| Th Mar 3-Jun 23 | 7:30-9:30 pm | \$400 | 14855 |
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Hebrew Aleph II 14+ yrs

Students should be familiar with present tense and infinitive, and have a vocabulary of 300 words.

| Tu | Feb 9-Jun 21 | 11 am-1 pm | \$420 | 14841 |
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Hebrew Bet II 14+ yrs

This class is for students who are familiar with active verb conjugations of all groups in present and past tenses, inflection of prepositions, and definite smikhut. We will review tenses, learn the future tense and extend vocabulary.

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Hebrew Bet 14+ yrs

This class is for students who have mastered basic conjugation in present tense and infinitive active verb groups, and have a vocabulary of 400 words. We will work on past tense, possessive form, and will enrich vocabulary.

| Th | Feb 11-Jun 23 | 7:30-9:30 pm | \$420 | 14871 |
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Hebrew Gimel 14+ yrs

Students should have a good command of basic vocabulary, as well as understanding of the infinitive, present and basic past tense verbs. We will learn future tense, declension of prepositions and conjunction.

| M Feb 15-Jun 27 7:30-9:30 pm \$420 | 14851 |
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Hebrew Gimel 2 14+ yrs

Students should be familiar with active verb conjugations of all groups in present and past tenses, basic future tense, inflection of prepositions, and definite smikhut.

| W | Feb 3-Jun 15 | 9:30-11:30 am | \$420 | 14868 |
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Hebrew Gimel 2 14+ yrs

Students should have a good command of basic vocabulary and understanding of the infinitive, present and some basic past tense verbs. Course will review past tense, introduce future tense, and extend vocabulary.

W Feb 3-Jun 15 7:30-9:30 pm \$420 14858

Adults (continued)

Hebrew Gimel 3 14+ yrs

This class is for students who know the present, past and some future tense. We will review all tenses and study the future tense, declension of prepositions, and syntax.

| М | Feb 15-Jun 27 | 4:45-6:45 pm | \$420 | 14853 |
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Hebrew Gimel 3 14+ yrs

This class is for students who have mastered basic conjugation in active verb groups. We will work on passive verb forms, and acquire new vocabulary.

| F | Feb 5-Jun 24 | 10 am-12 pm | \$420 | 14852 |
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Hebrew Dalet 14+ yrs

For students who have mastered basic conjugation in active verb groups, this class will work on passive verb forms, review tenses, and acquire new vocabulary.

| Th | Feb 11-Jun 23 | 7:30-9:30 pm | \$420 | 14876 |
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Hebrew Vav 14+ yrs

For students who have previously studied in the Hebrew Ulpan program and are familiar with active verb conjugations, definite smikhut, conditional and accusative clauses, this class is conducted entirely in Hebrew.

| W | Feb 3-Jun 15 | 11:30 am-1:30 pm | \$420 | 14860 |
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Hebrew Vav 14+ yrs

For students who have previously studied in the Hebrew Ulpan program and are familiar with active verb conjugations, definite smikhut, conditional and accusative clauses, this class is conducted entirely in Hebrew.

| W | Feb 3-Jun 15 | 7:30-9:30 pm | \$420 | 14849 |
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Advanced Hebrew

This class is taught with an emphasis on conversation. We will read about current events in Israeli newspapers and listen to Israel broadcast news.

| | Μ | Feb 15-Jun 27 | 7-9 pm | \$420 | 14847 |
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Yiddish

This course introduces spoken and written Yiddish using dialogues, songs, oral exercises, proverbs and video clips to build basic speaking and listening skills.

Th Feb 4-Apr 21 7:30-9 pm \$200 14838

SPORTS & RECREATION

Please see page 10.

JEWISH FAMILY LIVING & LEARNING

Rabbi Elyssa Auster

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MINDFULNESS SERIES

Tu B'Shevat Seder and Meditation

Guided meditation of the natural world will enhance the meaning of the fruit and nut seder in celebration of Tu B'Shevat. Come with an appetite for mindfulness and delicious edible delicacies.

| M Jan 25 7-8:30 pm | \$10 | 15209 |
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Joy Meditation: In Honor of Rosh Chodesh Adar

When the Hebrew month of Adar enters, our joy is supposed to increase. Join Rabbi Elyssa for a Rosh Chodesh, New Month, ritual and meditation focused on joy!

| Su Feb 7 | 2:30-4 pm | Free | 14924 |
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Shabbat Chanting and Meditation

Join Rabbi Elyssa Joy Auster for a peaceful and joyful morning of Shabbat meditation and chanting. Through song, meditation and Torah study, you will be renewed, uplifted and fulfilled.

| Sa | Feb 20 | 10:30 am-12 pm | Free | 15210 |
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| Sa | Mar 5 | 10:30 am-12 pm | Free | 15211 |
| Sa | Apr 2 | 10:15 am-11:45 pm | Free | 15082 |

Pre-Purim Spirituality Retreat

Join The Kirtan Rabbi, Andrew Hahn, Ph.D., and Rabbi Elyssa Joy Auster as we spiritually nourish ourselves for Purim. The day will include an art project, meditation and spiritual teachings to make the holiday more meaningful. Lunch and snacks will be vegetarian. Register by January 15 for a special rate of \$54.

Su Mar 13 9:30 am-4:30 pm \$64 15212

Mindful Meet and Greet Meditation

Let's celebrate four successful seasons of Mindfulness. We will meet and greet each other with snacks and seated meditation.

| Su | May 1 | 2-4 pm | Free | 15084 |
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Passover Yoga

Discover a way of relating to the Passover seder with Yoga poses.

| Su Apr 17 2:30-4 pm \$10 | 15086 |
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SPECIAL NEEDS

Leah Schwartz

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The Center hosts social groups for individuals age 18+ who have learning, intellectual and other developmental disabilities. We also offer exciting new programs for individuals with special needs and their families, such as innovative art classes and parent respite opportunities.

IT'S ALL AT THE JCC: ADULT LIVING AND LEARNING

Debbie Sokobin

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At the JCCGW, one can fulfill ALL of the keys to healthy aging! Work out in our fitness center to maintain your body and reduce stress, cultivate relationships through our social groups, enjoy a nutritious kosher meal, and keep your brain stimulated through our new ALL (Adult Living and Learning) program.

ALL: Ceramics Class

Get your creative juices flowing while learning how to use the pottery wheel and how to work with clay.

| Tu Feb 2-Mar 8 Materials fee: \$15 | 10 am-12 pm 14874 | \$40m/\$50p | 14839 |
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| W Feb 3-Mar 9 Materials fee: \$15 | 10 am-12 pm 14854 | \$40m/\$50p | 14842 |

ALL: A Visitor's Guide to Mind-Brain Science - The Brady Lecture

This course will begin with an overview of the brain. Two neuroscientists from NIH will share current research on this subject. Dinner is included.

| W Feb 10, 17 6:30-8 pm \$12m/\$18p | 14840 |
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ALL: Clash of Secular & Orthodox

Each session will consist of an episode of the award-winning Israeli TV miniseries, *A Touch Away*, followed by class discussion.

| W Mar 9-Apr 13 | 10:30 am-12 pm | \$30m/\$40p | 14888 |
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| Th* Mar 10-Apr 14 | 10:30 am-12 pm | \$30 | 15202 |
| *The Thursday class is h | eld at Leisure World | | |

Adults (continued)

ALL: Jewish Communities Around the World

Former Jewish Federation executive Elton Kerness will lead an indepth study of Jewish customs and practices in Australia, Brazil, Portugal, Japan and Zimbabwe.

| W | Feb 10-Mar 9 | 11 am-12 pm | \$25m/\$35p | 14875 |
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ALL: Jewish Women of Song

This class is held at Leisure World. Explore the contributions of Jewish women to music and of women to Jewish music. We will learn about the lives of Sophie Tucker, Fanny Brice and Dinah Shore with performer Karen Webber Gilat.

| Th | Mar 10-24 | 1-2 pm | \$15 | 15203 |
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ALL: The Fight for Civil Rights

This class, taught by Paul Levy, will cover the profound historical period of the 1960s, focusing on minorities, the 1964 and 1965 Civil Rights Acts, LGBT rights and equality issues, and women's rights and issues.

| Tu Feb 2-Mar 1 10-11:15am \$25m/\$3 | 5p 14870 |
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ONGOING PROGRAMS

Debbie Sokobin

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Coming of Age in Maryland

Activities, programs, excursions, social services and special events for individuals age 60+. Call 301.348.3832

Discussion Groups

Men's Club and Women's Connections meet weekly to discuss topics of interest.

Gateways

Through this comprehensive program for speakers of other languages (ESOL), immigrant seniors (predominantly from the Former Soviet Union) learn English from a staff of dedicated volunteers.

ESOL 60+ yrs

| Classes focus on Eng | lish, daily | life skills, | reading | and |
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| Tu & Th Jan 5-May 19 | 10-11:30 a | m \$4 | 40 14 | 843 |
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Citizenship

Citizenship classes are offered at the JCCGW through Baltimore City Community College. Contact Yana Cascioffe at 410.580.2772 or ycasscioffe@bccc.edu.

Howard Lessoff History Club

History buffs meet monthly at the Center.

Internal Light

Low vision support group for older adults to gather and discuss ways to improve quality of life.

Mix & Mingle for Baby Boomers & Kindred Spirits

Created for singles age 60+, this active group is for people who like to exchange ideas and meet others. Talk, schmooze, and make lasting personal connections.

New Friends

Social group for individuals age 60+.

Parkinson's Wellness Initiative

Held at the JCCGW in partnership with Georgetown University Hospital, the Parkinson's Wellness Initiative is designed to improve the lives of those impacted by Parkinson's through fitness, support, education and socialization. For details, please see page 10.

Primetimers

A group for mature adults to socialize and enjoy activities at the Center and around the Greater Washington area.

Selma Sweetbaum Senior Satellite Program

Meet new friends, discuss cultural topics and current events, have your blood pressure monitored, exercise, be entertained, and enjoy a delicious hot kosher lunch at sites throughout Montgomery County and Prince George's County.

Senior Chorus

Directed by Frieda Enoch, the chorus meets on Tuesdays from 1 to 2:30 p.m. at the JCCGW. Anyone who loves to sing is welcome to join.

Tuesdays @ the J

Join us for any or all of the following activities: weekly chair exercise; monthly blood pressure check; Yiddish conversation group led by Hilda Rubin; delicious hot kosher meal (a \$5 donation is suggested); and educational and entertaining programs.

Volunteers

Support the JCCGW with your gift of time, talent and expertise. Visit jccgw.org/volunteer for volunteer opportunities.

BOOK CLUBS

Jennifer Smith

301.348.3778 | jsmith@jccgw.org

The Center hosts the JCCGW/Hadassah Book Club, Books & Fellowship for Jewish singles age 45+, and the NCJW Book Club.

JCCGW/Hadassah Book Club Schedule Thursdavs at 1 pm

| January 14 | "50 Children" by Steven Pressman |
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| March 10 | "Ismael's Oranges" by Claire Hajaj |
| May 12 | "Henna House" by Nomi Eve |
| June 16 | "In the Courtyard of the Kabbalist" |
| | by Ruhama King Feuerman |

CONCERTS

Janet Getz

301.348.3779 | jgetz@jccgw.org jccgw.org/concerts

For the Polinger Artists of Excellence Concert Series schedule, please see page 17.

Concert for Families and Children

Peter and the Wolf

Monday, January 18 | 11 am & 2:30 pm Presented through a grant from The Howard and Geraldine Polinger Family

Foundation, the JCCGW is thrilled to present a special full-orchestral production of this timeless musical tale, complete with narrator, props and tons of fun!

Special Concert Event

Ariel Horowitz, Violin Recital Sunday, January 24 | 3 pm

New Orchestra of Washington (NOW)

"Essences" with Violist Marcus Thompson Sunday, March 6 | 7 pm



PROGRAM OPTIONS

ADOM, LAVAN, KACHOL These programs offer a variety of activities including daily instructional and recreational swim, sports, music, arts & crafts, Israel, teva (nature), drama, ropes course and dance, as well as field trips throughout the summer.

Adom

- Adom 4's* | Age 4 by 9/1/16
- Adom 5's | Age 5 by 9/1/16 and entering
- Kindergarten *Adom 4's do not participate in field trips
- Lavan

Entering Grade 1

Lavan bridges the gap between early childhood and school age.

Kachol

Entering Grade 2

Kachol provides a comfortable first experience in a "bigger kids" camp. Campers are encouraged to explore new areas and gain more independence.

VAROK - Electives

Entering Grades 3 and 4

Yarok campers choose their own electives and customize their schedules. They participate in instructional and recreational swim and can choose from electives like digital photography, cake decorating, guitar, outdoor sports, drama, football, ceramics and running. Campers also participate in field trips and late stays.



ZAHAV - Day Trip Adventures Entering Grades 5 and 6

Zahav's daily trips offer a busload of excitement, adventure and fun. Daily excursions may include theme parks, water parks, hiking, biking, canoeing, ziplining, tubing-the possibilities are endless. Each session includes an overnight and a late stay and Friday recreational swim at Camp JCC.

OMANUT - Creative Arts **Entering Grades 1 through 7**

Draw, paint, sculpt, design-be creative, express yourself and have oodles of fun in our enhanced art specialty camp program. Guided by working artists, campers enjoy the creative process and display their art at the end of each session. Daily optional instructional swim and daily recreational swim in our outdoor pool.

HABIMAH - Theater Arts **Entering Grades 2 through 7**

Learn the craft and magic of acting and dancing from a faculty of experienced specialists. Activities may include yoga, improv, hip-hop, play writing, and set design. Campers perform live on stage twice during the summer. Daily optional instructional swim and daily recreational swim in our outdoor pool. Program offered sessions 1 & 2 (4 weeks) OR session 3 (3 weeks).

MACCABIAH - Sports Camp

Junior Maccabiah Entering Grades 1-3 **Senior Maccabiah Entering Grades 4-7**

Maccabiah campers choose their own sports and customize their schedules. Activities are led by collegiate athletes and local coaches. Weekly intensives develop skills in a chosen sport while daily sport activities allow for recreational play. Sports may include baseball/t-ball, basketball, soccer, field hockey, tennis, golf, volleyball, lacrosse, instructional and recreational swim and so many more!

MITZVAH CORPS Service Learning Travel Camp Entering Grades 7 through 9

Mitzvah Corps offers a program based on service learning and advocacy. Campers earn 15 SSL hours each week with the perfect combination of volunteering, hands-on activities, adventure and fun, including local and overnight travel.

- June 27-July 8 (no camp July 4) includes 1 week overnight travel to Pittsburgh. Kosher style meals provided.
- July 11-July 22 includes 1 week overnight travel to North Carolina. Kosher style meals provided.

MADATZ - Counselor In Training (C|T)

Entering Grade 10

So, you want to be a counselor? Start by developing leadershipskillsandlearningwhatyouneedtoknow to work at Camp JCC. Earn 30 SSL hours per week. Contact campicc@iccgw.org to schedule a required interview before submitting a camper application.

KOCHAVIM - Senior Stars Ages 12-21

Kochavim is a transitional program for teens and young adults with a wide range of disabilities. Socialization, recreation and independent living skills are enhanced in a fun environment. An interview is required for new participants. Please note: AM/PM extended day is not available for Kochavim. Contact kochavim@jccgw.org for more information and to schedule an interview.



CAMP JCC 2016 SESSION DATES & HOURS

Session 1 (2 weeks)

June 27 – July 8 (no camp Friday July 4)

Session 2 (2 weeks) July 11 – 22

Session 3 (3 weeks) July 25 – August 12

AM/PM Extended Day Options* Camp Hours

9 a.m.-4 p.m.

7:30-9 a.m. or 4-6 p.m. *For an additional fee. APPLY AT JCCGW.ORG/CAMP

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS Lose weight V See 2 4000 Exercise V See 2 4000 Join the JCCGW Health & Fitness Center V

NEW YEAR, NEW YOU \$0 Initiation Fee in January! 50% OFF Initiation Fee in February!

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Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington

JCCGW | 6125 Montrose Road | Rockville, MD 20852 jccgw.org | 301.945.4836

Bender Early Childhood Center at the JCC of Greater Washington



Our Teachers Make the Difference

Our talented and dedicated staff is committed to ensuring each child's happiness, safety and growth.

Preschool for children age 24 months to 5 years
Half-day and full-day options, 7:30 a.m. until 6 p.m.
Free membership with full-year enrollment

Enrollment is open to the public as of January 18. jccgw.org/preschool

301.348.3839 | preschool@jccgw.org

GOLDMAN ART GALLERY

The JCCGW is proud to host meaningful exhibits revolving around the Jewish experience, identity and culture in a beautiful, warm and welcoming gallery space.

Lisa Del Sesto 301.348.3756 ldelsesto@jccgw.org

jccgw.org/gallery

Gildenhorn/Speisman Center for the Arts Exhibits

The JCCGW gratefully acknowledges The Kaplan Family Foundation for supporting these exhibits. The exhibits are open when the JCCGW is open.

SIMPLY THE BEST Washington School of **Photography Camera Club**

Jan 1-31 Reception: Sunday, Jan. 10 | 2-4 pm

THE SOUND OF COLOR **By Sharon Dar**

Feb 7-28 **Opening reception:** Sunday, Feb 7 | 2-4 pm

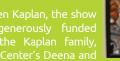
RESPONSES: A Survey of Narrative

Paintings by Gerald Wartofsky

Mar 13-Apr 10

SENIOR ADULT ART SHOW

A Lifetime of Perspective: **Art by Older Adults** May 1-June 5







Washington Jewish Film Festival

The Washington DC JCC's Washington Jewish Film Festival is an exhibition of international cinema that celebrates the wonderful diversity of Jewish history, culture and experience through the moving image. As part of the Festival, the JCC of Greater Washington will feature the following films:

Encirclements In Hebrew with **English subtitles** Saturday, February 27 7:30 p.m.



Aharon Ninio, 13 years old, is the only child of parents who are unable to conceive again. He is determined to win the honor of carrying the Torah scrolls on Simhat Torah. The belief that he who carries the Torah may ask God for anything on behalf of others can elevate Aharon's status in the neighborhood and win his distant father's approval and love. But after Aharon wins the honor, his achievement brings ancient tensions to the surface. This tension becomes unbearable and on the night of the honorary round, the Torah slips from his hands and shatters on the ground and the symbolic, happy ceremony becomes a life-threatening struggle.

Encirclements uses cultural and religious rituals to depict the kind of private ceremonial traditions that exist in every family, all within the tumultuous and humor-filled life of people who are on the margins of society.

Raise the Roof They set out to reconstruct a lost synagogue. They recovered a lost world. Sunday, February 28

11:30 a.m.



Rivaling the greatest wooden architecture in history, the synagogues of 18th-century Poland inspired artists Rick and Laura Brown of Handshouse Studio to embark on a 10-year pursuit to reconstruct the elaborate roof and painted ceiling of the Gwozdziec synagogue. Leading over 300 students and professionals from 16 countries, the Browns grapple not just with the echoes of World War II when these buildings were destroyed by the Nazis, but also with warped timbers, tricky paints and period hand tools. By the end of the project, they have done more than reconstruct a lost synagogue: they have recovered a lost world. In 2014, the Gwozdziec roof was unveiled as the centerpiece of the POLIN Museum of the History of Polish Jews in Warsaw.



Look at Us Now, Mother Sunday, February 28



As told through the filmmaker's story, this film is about the transformation of a

highly-charged mother/daughter relationship from Mommie Dearest to Dear Mom, from hatred to love. It is an unflinching look at the complex bond between mother and daughter that reveals insights into family behaviors, patterns and generational, societal, cultural and individual histories. The film takes the audience on a journey spanning decades and continents, filled with conflict and emotional land mines. Told through biting humor and raw honesty, this is an intimate story about family dysfunctions and forgiveness.

For more information or to purchase tickets, please visit jccgw.org or washingtondcjcc.org, or contact Jennifer Smith at 301.348.3778 or jsmith@jccgw.org.



Thursday, May 19

Watch for details at jccgw.org and in *Center Scene* magazine, or contact Jodi Shulimson at 301.348.3769 or jshulimson@jccgw.org.

7th ANNUAL HEALTH & WELLNESS EXPO

Thursday, May 26 at Leisure World

Presented by JCC of Greater Washington's Coming of Age in Maryland

Co-sponsored by Jewish Residents of Leisure World

Watch for details at jccgw.org and in Center Scene magazine, or call 301.348.3832.

2015-2016 POLINGER ARTISTS OF EXCELLENCE CONCERT SERIES | 44TH SEASON | SUNDAYS AT 7:30 PM



JENNIFER KOH & SHAI WOSNER Violin + Piano March 13, 2016



ORLI SHAHAM Piano April 10, 2016



CLAREMONT TRIO Piano Trio May 1, 2016



Tickets available at www.jccgw.org/concerts



Thursday, February 11 6:30-9:30 pm

MC Live presents an evening of comedy to benefit seven Jewish community organizations dedicated to providing the best quality of life to individuals with disabilities. MC Live is a collaborative venture hosted by the Jewish Community Center of Greater Washington, Capital Camps, Friendship Circle, Jewish Foundation for Group Homes, Jewish Social Service Agency, Matan and Sulam. For details or to purchase tickets, please contact Leah Schwartz at 301.348.3735 or lschwartz@jccgw.org.

ISRAEL FEST SUNDAY, JUNE 5 AT THE JCCGW

Join us as we celebrate Israel @ 68! Watch for details in Center Scene and at jccgw.org, or contact Jennifer Smith at 301.348.3778 or jsmith@jccgw.org.



APRIL 10, 2016 IS GOOD DEEDS DAY.

Join the Greater Washington community, along with 930,000 volunteers from around the world, in a day of service. To participate with the JCCGW, watch for details in Center Scene and at jccgw.org, or contact Stacy Katz Olivera at 301.348.3889 or solivera@jccgw.org.





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SHABBAT SHABBANG FRIDAY, MARCH 11 FRIDAY, MAY 13

Shabbat Shabbang is a new initiative that helps fulfill part of the JCCGW's mission to provide meaningful experiences and connections for young families. Families are invited for a special evening featuring a seasonally-inspired gourmet meal, engaging entertainment, and meaningful arts & craft activities. Shabbat Shabbang was piloted by JCC Manhattan and now, thanks to funding from the Gottesman Fund, we're fortunate to be able to offer it at the JCCGW this year.

Watch for details in Center Scene and at jccgw.org, or contact Lauren Dworkin at 301.348.3837 or ldworkin@jccgw.org.

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