

Community Education

Colby School District

Fall 2014

Water Aerobics

An excellent opportunity for individuals to stretch, tone the muscles and improve the body's aerobic system! Water creates resistance which makes you work hard, yet supports the body preventing those aches and pains from exercising on dry land. No swimming skill is required. You do not need to get your face or hair wet.

Dates: Wed., Sept. 17, 24; Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Nov. 5
Time: 7:30 - 8:30 PM

Location: Colby High School Pool

Fee: \$25.00 for 8 Classes

Registration Deadline: September 12

Instructor: Ms. Monica Tesmer

Swimming Lessons

This program is designed for young children with limited swimming ability who are at least 42 inches tall. Children will be placed together according to ability. Lessons will be limited to 25 students per session. Registration will be on a first come, first serve basis. The Colby pool staff is fully certified with CPR, First Aid, Lifeguard Training, and as Water Safety Instructors or Assistants. Students will be tested on the first day of lessons and placed in their appropriate levels.

Dates: Wed., Sept. 17, 24; Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Nov. 5
Time: 5:45 - 6:30 PM, 6:45 - 7:30 PM

Location: Colby High School Pool

Fee: \$30.00 for 8 lessons

(\$20 for 2nd, 3rd, 4th child - **SAME FAMILY**)

Registration Deadline: September 12 (Limit 25 students/class)

Instructor: Ms. Monica Tesmer

Ceramics & Sculpture

This class will focus on techniques of working with clay including hand-building methods and the potter's wheel. It will also focus on building skills from very basic projects progressing to very advanced skills and projects. Includes supplies for three clay projects.

Dates: Wed., Sept. 24; Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Nov. 5, 12, 19
Time: 6:00 - 8:30 PM

Location: Colby High School Art Room

Fee: \$30.00 (Maximum of 15 Enrollees)

Registration Deadline: September 17

Instructor: Mr. Jon Kleinschmidt, Art Instructor

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

*If school is cancelled due to bad weather, all buildings will be closed that same evening. If school is in session, generally evening programs will run. **All cancellations will be posted on the District website at www.colby.k12.wi.us and broadcast on 99.3 FM.***

Becoming A Love and Logic Parent®

A parent training program designed by the Love and Logic® Institute, Inc.

Would you like to feel more confident as a parent? Would you like to have more fun parenting? Would you like to feel more relaxed at the end of the day? This program in parenting will address these questions and many other day-to-day frustrations. The Becoming a Love and Logic Parent program is designed to give you practical, easy-to-use techniques that can be used immediately to help you raise responsible children.

Dates: Wednesdays, Oct. 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Nov. 5, 12

Time: 6:15 - 8:00 PM

Location: Colby Elementary, Room 116

Fee: \$15.00

Registration Deadline: Sept. 19 (Maximum of 10 Enrollees)

Instructor: Ms. Donna Schmidt

Social Security: Strategize to Maximize

When should I apply for Social Security?

How can I maximize my benefits?

How will my spouse be affected?

Mistakes involving Social Security can be costly, but we can provide the guidance you need. This class will help you sort through your questions and help ensure the choices you make are tailored to your needs.

Dates: October 1 **OR** October 8 (**choose one date**)

Time: 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Location: Colby Middle School Library

Fee: FREE

Registration Deadline: September 26

Instructor: Mr. Bryce Kelley, Thrivent Financial Associate

Technology Savvy for Adults-- Digital Files to Usable Products

Students will explore how to use technology to create products using digital photos and videos. Some objects that will be made are mouse pads, puzzles, t-shirts, posters, videos, Powerpoints, vinyl signs, and Photoshop pictures. Students will be learning how to create these items with the help of the instructor and the web. Basic computer skills are required. Students should bring in about 10 photos the first night of class. Includes materials except t-shirts.

Dates: Tuesdays, October 7, 14, 21, 28

Time: 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Location: Colby High School Room 215

Fee: \$25.00 (Maximum of 16 Enrollees)

Registration Deadline: October 1

Instructor: Mr. James Weideman, Tech Ed Instructor

Retirement Income Planning

Retirement income planning is the process of understanding how much income you'll need during your retirement years to support the retirement lifestyle you want, and positioning your assets to provide that income. While there's no such thing as a "one size fits all" plan, there are steps you can take to maximize the possibility of a financially secure retirement.

In this seminar on Retirement Income Planning, you'll learn:

- How to plan for when your retirement will start, (including the impact of early retirement, delayed retirement, and working in retirement), how long it will last, and the retirement lifestyle you want
- Steps to estimate the amount of money you'll need in retirement to meet your goals, factoring in health-care costs, taxes, and inflation
- How to supplement fixed income sources such as Social Security and an employer pension with your retirement savings, including the products and investment strategies you should consider, a sustainable withdrawal rate, and the best order to tap various accounts

Dates: October 15 **OR** October 22 (**choose one date**)

Time: 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Location: Colby Middle School Library

Fee: FREE

Registration Deadline: October 10

Instructor: Mr. Bryce Kelley, Thrivent Financial Associate

iPad Intro

Join us for an introduction to the basics of Ipad/iPad 2 navigation and utilization. Learn ways to maximize your productivity and personal enjoyment with email, the Web, apps, calendars and address book contacts, reading books & magazines, downloading & watching TV show apps, movies, news, listening to music, viewing & sharing your photos and so much more! Please bring your iPad/iPad 2 with you.

Date: Wednesday, October 22

Time: 6:00 - 8:30 PM

Location: CHS Computer Lab, Room 302

Fee: \$10.00

Registration Deadline: October 15

Instructor: Mr. Jesse Meddaugh

Social Networking 101

This course is designed to teach how to use the new tools in social media with a focus on best and efficient use. Learn how to set up an account on Facebook or how to use a preexisting account. Discover the do's and don'ts of Facebook, how to set and use your privacy settings, manage friends, and how to upload pictures. Take this opportunity to see what social networking and Facebook is all about.

Date: Wednesday, December 3

Time: 6:00 - 8:30 PM

Location: CHS Computer Lab, Room 302

Fee: \$10.00 (Maximum of 15 Enrollees)

Registration Deadline: November 26

Instructor: Mr. Jesse Meddaugh

Exploring Internet & Email

This course explains how to use the internet and email efficiently. Learn how to utilize search engines (such as Google, Yahoo, and Bing) and how to effectively search items on the internet. Discover all the functions and tools that email has to offer, including sending and receiving emails, managing an address book, view and send file attachments, and options for sending emails. The fundamentals of this class can be used in Microsoft Outlook Express, Yahoo Mail, Hotmail, and many more email servers.

Date: Wednesday, November 5

Time: 6:00 - 8:30 PM

Location: CHS Computer Lab, Room 302

Fee: \$10.00 (Maximum of 15 Enrollees)

Registration Deadline: October 29

Instructor: Mr. Jesse Meddaugh

American Red Cross Babysitting Training

The Red Cross Babysitter's Training Course gives area young people the safety skills and confidence to be great babysitters. Each year, the Red Cross trains and certifies more than 121,000 sitters nationwide. Certified babysitters learn leadership skills, basic care, accident prevention techniques, and first aid procedures that can save a child's life. The course is recommended for youth 11-15 years of age. Upon successful completion of the course, each participant will earn their American Red Cross Babysitting Certificate and pin. Participant is to bring a sack lunch and beverage.

Date: Saturday, November 8

Time: 8:00 AM - 3:30 PM

Location: Colby Middle School Library

Fee: \$50.00 (Maximum of 12 students)

Registration Deadline: October 10

Instructor: Red Cross Certified Instructor



Women and Money

Today, more women than ever are responsible for their financial well-being, and the well-being of their families. But women often face unique financial challenges. That's why it's so important that no matter what life stage they're in, women know how to save, invest, and plan for their future.

In this seminar on Women and Money, you'll learn:

- Reasons why women's economic clout is growing
- The unique financial challenges women face, such as longer life expectancies and more career breaks for caregiving, and how they impact long-term financial security
- Six steps women can take to help them achieve financial security, including taking control of their money, becoming more knowledgeable investors, advocating for themselves in the workplace, planning for retirement, protecting their income and assets, and creating an estate plan.

Dates: October 29 **OR** November 5 (**choose one date**)

Time: 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Location: Colby Middle School Library

Fee: FREE

Registration Deadline: October 24

Instructor: Mr. Bryce Kelley, Thrivent Financial Associate

COLBY COMMUNITY EDUCATION - REGISTRATION FORM

Name: _____ E-Mail Address: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

Payment MUST accompany this registration form and be paid in full before beginning of class.

Class _____ Cost _____

Student Name: _____ Date/Time _____

Class _____ Cost _____

Student Name: _____ Date/Time _____

If you want to register for more classes please use another sheet of paper.

***Classes taught in English – no translation available (unless otherwise noted).
Reminder that children are not allowed to be brought along to classes.***

Senior Tax Exchange Program (STEP)

The Colby School District has offered a Senior Tax Exchange Program (STEP) since 1997. Senior citizens are given the opportunity to work in the District and apply their earnings toward payment of school property taxes. To qualify you must be 62 years of age or older, receive Social Security and have taxable property within the Colby School District. The STEP worker is compensated at \$7.25 per hour with a maximum of 66 hours per household per calendar year. The compensation is distributed bi-annually in the form of a two party check made out to the worker and the appropriate treasurer.

Examples of jobs are: reading with a child, groundskeeping, shelving books, assisting with computers, clerical work, tutoring, preparing bulletin boards, construction projects, etc.

For more information please contact Kristen Seifert, Community Education Coordinator, at 715-223-2301. **Limited number of positions available.**

Walk for your life!

Interested in staying fit? The Colby High School and Middle School are available for people interested in walking in a climate-controlled environment. The schools are available for walking every day school is in session.

Hours: 6:30 - 7:45 AM, 3:45 - 5:30 PM

Catalog and enrollment form available on website - www.colby.k12.wi.us

English as a Second Language

Greetings English learners! This course is open to everyone interested in learning to speak English! The class will provide learners with the opportunity to develop basic communication skills in the English language within a pleasant and interactive environment. Some of the language topics include: "Around Town," "Shopping," "Daily Living," etc... Sign up as soon as possible and feel free to bring a friend or two!

Dates: Tuesdays & Thursdays, Sept. 30 - Dec. 11

Time: 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Location: Colby High School, Room #207

Fee: \$10.00

Registration: Register for this class by contacting Cody Meyers at 715-223-2338 ext. 134.

Instructor: Mr. Cody Meyers

Inglés como Segunda Lengua

Saludos todos los aprendices del idioma de inglés. Este curso está abierto a todos los que están interesados en aprender a hablar inglés. Esta clase les brinda a los aprendices la oportunidad de desarrollar sus habilidades comunicativas en inglés dentro de un ambiente agradable e interactivo. Algunos de los temas de lenguaje incluyen: "Alrededor de la comunidad," "Ir de compras," "La vida diaria," etc...Inscríbese lo más pronto posible y siéntase libre de llevar a amigos!

Las Fechas: Los Martes y Jueves, Del 30 de setiembre al 11 de diciembre

Las horas: 6:00 - 7:30 PM

Ubicación: Escuela Superior de Colby en el cuarto # 207

Costo: \$10.00

Inscripción: Inscríbese en la clase comunicándose con Cody Meyers al 715-223-2338 ext. 134.

Instructor: Mr. Cody Meyers

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Classes taught in English – no translation available.

Reminder that children are not allowed to be brought along to classes.

Payment MUST accompany the registration form and be paid in full. Cash or checks will be accepted. Please deliver or mail the registration form to:

Colby Community Education
CDEC
505 West Spence Street
PO Box 139
Colby, WI 54421

For further information about classes or schedules, please contact Kristen Seifert at the Colby District Education Center, 715-223-2301, ext. 2 or email at kseifert@colby.k12.wi.us.

Anyone interested in teaching a Community Education class please call or email Kristen Seifert at 715-223-2301, ext. 2 or kseifert@colby.k12.wi.us. Examples: photography, guitar playing, Spanish, sign language, cooking, cake decorating, gardening, woodworking, dancing, yoga, etc.

CONFIRMATION: Due to time and expense, ***we do not confirm classes going.*** Assume your registration is confirmed and the class will meet as scheduled if you have submitted your registration form and fees. You ***WILL*** be notified if a class is filled or cancelled.

PRE-REGISTRATION: ***Pre-registration is most important. Lack of registrations will cause the class to be cancelled one week prior to the beginning. This also pertains to all pool activities.***

CANCELLATIONS: No class will be conducted without sufficient registrations. When maximum capacity has been reached for any class, registration for the class will be closed.

WEATHER CANCELLATIONS: If school is cancelled due to bad weather, all buildings will be closed that same evening. If school is in session, generally evening programs will run. Please tune to 99.3 FM for all Community Education cancellations.

REFUND POLICY: If after pre-registering, it is necessary for you to cancel, notify Kristen Seifert no less than three days before the beginning of class, and your fee will be refunded in full.