

SUMMER CAMP 2017

Registration Form

Student Information

Please complete and return this form with a check made out to Hyla Middle School for registration fees. Cost is \$160 per class per week. There will be a lunch period and break from 11:30 - 12:30 for students who will be attending the full day. Classes are filled on a first come first served basis once full payment is received.

Full Legal Name:
Student prefers to be called:
Age: Gender: Date of Birth:
Home Phone: ()
Home Address:
2017-2018 Grade: 5 6 7 8 9 at Name of School
Family Information:
Name (Parent/Guardian)
Preferred Phone:
Email Address
Please write in the names of the courses that your child is interested in taking. We will update the website as courses fill.
June 19 - 23 Session I: Morning Class (9-11:30AM; \$160):
Session I: Afternoon Class (12:30-3 PM; \$160):
June 26 - June 30 Session II: Morning Class (9 - 11:30 AM; \$160)
Session II: Afternoon Class (12:30 - 3PM: \$160):

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Week 1: June 19-23

Morning Class





Climbing Holds With David Maron (\$160)

Have you ever wanted to be able to construct your own climbing hold? It's a fun, easy and immediately usable craft whether it ends up in Hyla's barn or your own home gym. I see a need for new and exciting climbing holds in Hyla's barn. Most holds are made of a combination of plaster, fiberglass, sand, or silicone. If you love climbing, want to leave your mark on the Hyla rock wall and have a hair of creativity, come join me.



Maker Lab - Fly, Float and Walk Tall with Jeff Steele (\$160)

If you like to make your toys, join us for an exciting sequence of build projects. This week we will build a DIY speakers, Mini-robot arms, Marshmallow shooters, stilts and more! Most of the toys we would buy are one function, one style of use . . . but when we build our own toys, we see the infinite variety with that toy. Instead of buying the toy that everyone has, you build one that's totally yours. If you love to build things, then tinker with them until they are amazing - Join Jeff Steele to exploit the physical laws of the universe to our mischievous wills! Don't worry, it's all in the name of good fun!



Make Stuffies with Tyler Larsen (\$160)

Kitties, bears, bunnies, owls! How about a mouse? A monster? Or maybe a Robot? Everybody loves a stuffy. Now you can make your very own stuffed creation. In this fun workshop you'll learn simple pattern designing, fabric selection, cutting, piecing, and basic hand and machine sewing. Each student will leave with a cute little critter of their own. Basic machine experience is always helpful, but it is not necessary as we go about creating our new little "friends".



Ultimate Frisbee with Andrew Lovejoy (\$160)

The game of Ultimate is one of the fastest growing sports around. It emphasizes sportsmanship, Spirit of the Game, and exciting, fast-paced play. During this camp we will work on the basic fundamentals of the game: throwing and catching, cutting, and defense. We'll learn some drills to practice these essential skills, and spend lots of time playing Ultimate. In addition, we'll learn a few other fun games that can be played using a disc. This camp will be fun and challenging for players of all levels of skill and experience.



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Afternoon Class

12:30 - 3PM



Adventure Quest with Jeff Steele (\$160)

You and your companions of high-adventure have decided to take it it upon yourselves to search the Amazon for the mythical rune set of the Nukak, the ancestral written language of a mysterious indigenous people along the Amazon River. This is the first of your most incredible adventure quests. Like any good search for treasure this will take ingenuity, creativity, careful planning, excellent communication and the ability to take thoughtful risks. Each day of adventure quest, there will be a particular building project that will allow you and your fellow questers to accomplish your mission. Join Jeff Steele, a math and science teacher at Hyla Middle school for Adventure Quest where math, engineering and Indiana Jones collide for days of adventurous feats of engineering.



Bicycling with David Maron (\$160)

We will explore the southern end of Bainbridge Island by embarking upon five different themed bike rides. We may end up exploring forts, docks, cemeteries, lakes, or spectacular mountain views. These routes will be altered based on participants' ability levels and safety. We will take time to focus on bike handling, rules of the road, introduction of bike repair basics and more. Come enjoy one of the best ways to get around AND stay in shape! Ride On! Equipment Needed: working bike, a helmet that fits, appropriate clothing (no flip flops or sandals), and a water bottle-either attached to bike or in a backpack.



Improv with Chris Soldevilla (\$160)

Develop your theater skills this week through instruction and "Whose line is it" style theater games. The activities stretch your imagination through group collaborations in scenes created on the spot. Some of the games include: "Lines from a Hat", "Freeze", "Park Bench", "Questions", and many more! Come with an open mind and a quick wit.



Strategy Games with Andrew Lovejoy (\$160)

Games of strategy have been an important part of human culture for centuries, and we are lucky to live in a time when there are literally thousands of different games available. These games can be tremendously fun, deeply challenging, and socially engaging. They can take minutes or hours to play, and they can be extremely simple or very complex. In this camp we'll explore a wide variety of games of strategy, from ancient classics to modern offerings, and campers will have the opportunity to share their personal favorites.



Week 2: June 26-June 30

Morning Class

9:00 - 11:30 AM



Make Happy Flags with Tyler Larsen (\$160)

Let the wind carry your wishes! Create a banner based on Tibetan prayer flags, where five flags are designed and strung to allow the wind to carry your intentions. In this week-long workshop, we will enter the world of mixed media art and play with fabric, paper, ribbons, beads, buttons, found art, and much more. Construction of the flags can be done in a variety of ways suiting all levels of artisans. Participants will leave with a fully strung banner of happy flags that they have designed and created themselves.



Mindstorm Programming & Robotics with Jeff Steele (\$160)

The next generation of space travel will be conducted through the eyes of a rover! Take your first step toward being the designer of that rover. We will use specific research from the planets within our solar system and beyond to construct challenging terrain and specific missions that our robots can accomplish throughout the half day camp at Hyla. Using the Mindstorm EV3 platform, you will learn the basics of computer programming and Robotics, but also a surprising amount about the physical laws of the universe. This class offers more challenging problem-solving challenges for those who have some experience programming. Come have a blast and contribute to NASA's next step in exploring the universe all around us!



Photography Workshop with Dinah Satterwhite (\$160)

Get your cameras out! Let's explore the top 10 tips for taking better photos, and put them into action! Look beyond the ordinary to find imaginative and unique objects in everyday things all around you. Let's develop your photographic "eye" by applying some basic rules to photo opps. Get familiar with cool words like: pixels, cropping, backlighting, and DPI. Your special mission: find every letter of the alphabet hidden in commonplace objects. Each student will go home with a small poster depicting your name or a special word made up from photos you've taken. Equipment: Students provide their own camera to use during camp, preferably an SLR camera. Alternately: a camera phone, or other device that takes photos like an iPad would work.



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AFTERNOON CLASS

12:30 - 3 PM



Rock Climbing
With David Maron (\$160)

Come learn how to scamper up vertical walls. We will learn how to move up, down, and sideways on the walls in Hyla's barn and a local climbing gym. If you're interested, we can also explore how to use ropes to safely access the higher portions of the wall. If you're an experienced climber, this can be a time to improve your techniques and practice. If you're new to climbing, come learn the basics of the sport and have fun!



Creative Writing
With Andrew Lovejoy (\$160)

Do you love to write? Come explore the writer's craft with Andrew! We'll take a look at a variety of genres, read a few samples together for inspiration, and share in some writing activities that will help us to explore our voices as writers. We will learn some fun writing drills and games, as well as having some focused time to work on our own writing. You will finish the week with at least one completed piece of writing to share with others.



Forts With Jeff Steele (\$160)

Across the globe nearly 7,000,000,000 people need to solve the problem of where to lay their head at the end of a long day. This is the engineering design question of the century: how do we create dwellings for all of the people on the planet? At this camp, we will spend every day at play constructing new and ingenious answers to this engineering design question. Every day, you will arrive and be greeted with a set of materials, and explore a variety of ways that you can build an awesome fort. We will build domes forts, tarp forts, and even a flying fort!



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Staff Biographies

Andrew Lovejoy

Teacher, Hyla Middle School

I was introduced to Ultimate in my 8th grade year at Hyla, and was immediately hooked. A couple of years later I helped start the team at Bainbridge High School along with Skyler Vella. I played competitive Ultimate through college, attended 3 National Championship tournaments with Carleton College, and played 2 years of club Ultimate on Seattle teams. I coach the BHS Ultimate team, and my goal is to help grow the presence of this great sport on Bainbridge and in Kitsap County. My other great passion is music. I am a mandolinist, singer and songwriter, and released me debut album last year, which I perform around the Seattle area.

Chris Soldevilla

Teacher, Hyla Middle School; Actor; Acting Coach

Chris has been teaching and performing as an improviser and working actor for over 25 years. He has coached actors for television shows such as "Lost," "Once Upon a Time" and "V". He has assisted actors and non-actors alike in getting their bearings and finding their voice. Chris' goal is to help people not only gain confidence and control but to put the best version of themselves forward. Chris performs with the Seattle Improv troupe, "The Edge", and has taught Improv at Hyla.

David Maron

Teacher, Hyla Middle School

David grew up on Bainbridge Island, and attended The Evergreen State College, where he focused his energies on comparative religion and historical studies. Throughout his years as an undergraduate, David led outdoor trips and worked with disadvantaged youth in the Olympia area. After graduation David moved to DC and earned a master's degree in International Conflict Resolution from American University, with a focus on Middle East studies. For several years thereafter, he worked on internationally oriented programs for DC schools, exposing students to a more global education experience. Prior to joining Hyla, David taught within the history department at Skyline High School in Oakland, California, where he focused on building community through a strong focus on classroom culture and restorative justice practices.

Dinah Satterwhite

Teacher and Photographer

Dinah is a professional photographer, and has taught piano to children of all ages for over 25 years. She will combine her teaching and photography at Hyla summer camp to introduce young artists to the world of digital photography. Her own photography includes fine art, commercial work, corporate headshots, magazines, individual and family portraits, and events. She also enjoys photographing artwork for regional artists. Since 2006 she has managed the Bainbridge Island Studio Tour, and works with hundreds of artists each year planning the bi-annual event.

Jeff Steele

Teacher, Hyla Middle School

Jeff was born and raised on the shores of the Puget Sound. Early in his careers he served as the Wilderness Expedition Program director at Camp Orkila where he oversaw sea kayaking, sailing, rock climbing, back packing and mountain biking expeditions for several years. In this role he fully understood that unless we ask our children to do meaningful things with their young lives, we will have a difficult time fostering the sense of citizen-leadership that we would hope for from our next generation. Through his various roles as an educator he has developed a vision of education that fosters and focuses a strong sense of curiosity about our world and ourselves and a practice of education that is deeply connected to what it means to fully inhabit a local community.

Tyler Larsen

Artist and Teacher

Tyler was an Art major with an emphasis in graphic design at San Diego State University. After college, her love of textiles and design transitioned her from her interior design business to creating her own children's clothing line. Tyler is now a Bainbridge Island artist and the owner of Baby Lux Design, a local and online presence where she markets her baby and toddler designs as well as other fabric and mixed media art works. She has been teaching these skills in various workshops in California, Colorado, and now Washington and enjoys opening young minds to new ways of expressing themselves by creatively mixing various mediums of art and transforming them into whimsical creations.