February 2025

Orem Jr. High School

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The mission of the Boys & Girls Clubs of Utah County is to inspire and enable all young people, especially those who need us most, to realize their full potential as productive and responsible citizens and leaders.



Our Social Emotional Learning Focus this month is self-awareness and honesty.



Cameron 2/6 Avery 2/10 Iris 2/12 Evan 2/14 Anthony 2/23

UPCOMING EVENTS

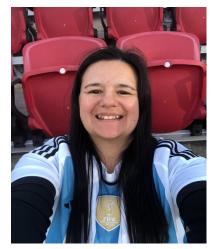
Valentine's Day Partner Dancing (Ballroom)

CLUB CLOSED

February 7- Teacher Work Day for Alpine
District
February 17- Presidents Day
February 21- Staff Development Day



Get To Know Natalia Patrone



My name is Natalia! I am the Program Manager at Orem Jr High's Boys & Girls Club! I have two kids and I am from Argentina. I moved to the states when I was 17 in 1997 and my first language is Spanish! In my free time, I love to read, bake, visit museums, and watch soccer. I am so excited to be working with your children and helping them be the best that they can be!

CONTACT INFORMATION

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PARENT RESOURCES

Parent Handbook Membership Handbook

Project Learn

Power Hour - Open Art on Thursdays until 4:30 PM

AP Students will have the option to go to tutor on Wednesdays for one hour

STEM Labs

Robotics Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays weekly

Enrichment

Magic the Gathering on Thursdays 2:45-4:30 PM

Breakdancing on Mondays and Fridays 3:15-4:00 PM

Social Emotional Learning (Prevention & Behavior)

Tuesdays, Thursdays 3:15-4:00 PM

Our Positive Action & SMART Moves curriculum focus on providing youth with important social-emotional skills. All social emotional learning skills are taught through daily lessons and then integrated throughout the rest of programming









Orem Jr. High School After School Program 2024-2025





Social Emotional Learning Weekly Focus	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
	27	28	29	30	31	
	Breakdancing STEM Lab Power Hour (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Volleyball Language Lab Power Hour Social Emotional Learning (p) (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Football and Basketball Dungeons and Dragons Language Lab Power Hour (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Soccer Magic the Gathering Power Hour Social Emotional Learning (b) (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	CLOSED- NO CLUBS- TEACHER TRAINING DAY (Alpine District)	
	Breakdancing STEM Lab Power Hour (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Volleyball Language Lab Power Hour Social Emotional Learning (p) (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Football and Basketball Dungeons and Dragons Language Lab Power Hour (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Soccer Magic the Gathering Power Hour Social Emotional Learning (b) (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Valentines Day Crafts Partner Dancing (Ballroom) Nail Art STEM Lab Power Hour (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	
	CLOSED- NO CLUBS- PRESIDENTS DAY	Volleyball Language Lab Power Hour Social Emotional Learning (p) (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Football and Basketball Dungeons and Dragons Language Lab Power Hour (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	Soccer Magic the Gathering Power Hour Social Emotional Learning (b) (Homework/Blooket.com) Enrichment Activities	CLOSED- NO CLUBS; STAFF DEVELOPMENT DAY	
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Daily Schedule						
 1:45-2: 2:15-3: 2:45-3: 3:15-4: 4:00-4: 4:15-5: 	Wednesday Schedule 15 – Snack (Wednesday) 00 – Sports (Wednesday) 15 – Snack (Monday) 00 – Breakdancing (Monday) 15 – Second Snack 00 – Homework and Blooket.com 30 – Enrichment Activities	• 2:45-3:15 – • 3:15-4:00 – • 4:00-4:15 – • 4:15-5:00 – • 5:00-5:30 –	 4:15-5:00 – Social and Emotional Learning 5:00-5:30 – Enrichment Activities 		Friday Schedule 2:45-3:15 – Snack 3:15-4:00 – Breakdancing 4:00-4:15 – Second Snack 4:15-5:00 – Homework and Blooket.com 5:00-5:30 – Enrichment Activities 5:30 – Pick Up	

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5:30 - Pick Up







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February Club & Activity Details

Message to Parents:

<u>Robotics - Mr.</u> Byrom opens up his classroom and provides students with the opportunity to build and code robots. He has extensive knowledge in this subject and is happy to teach those who want to learn!

<u>Magic the Gathering -</u> Club members can explore strategy, creativity, and community in an exciting and supportive environment! They will have the opportunity to build their own Magic decks from a vast selection of donated cards, learning valuable skills like critical thinking, problem-solving, and good sportsmanship along the way. Best of all, they'll get to take their custom decks home, empowering them to continue their magical journey outside of the club. It's more than just a game—it's a place to grow, make friends, and be part of something truly special.

<u>Open Art -</u> Our very own art teachers, Ms. Lamb and Ms. Barney, will open up their classrooms and provide our club members with the opportunity to work on their artistic skills.

Social Emotional Learning:

Helping youth develop essential skills in managing emotions, building relationships, and developing resiliency are key parts of our social-emotional learning program. Youth participate in 30 minute lessons and activities where they learn about different management strategies, understanding feelings for themselves and others, and so much more. The programs are highlighted below.

<u>Positive Action -</u> Social Emotional Learning curriculum is an evidence based program that is integrated in afterschool activities to build a positive environment throughout the program – an environment that encourages students to do their best and be their best. Positive Action teaches real-life concepts that help students feel good about themselves. This program is run on Mondays & Fridays with new topics each week. The January theme is getting along with others, a great way to start off the new year!

<u>Breakdancing/Sports - Fairly</u> self explanatory. Students will be encouraged to stay active by participating in sports and breaking classes taught by our very own Site Coordinator. Students who do not participate in the physical activity for the day will be required to spend extra time on homework or language learning.



