

## **AFTER-SCHOOL ACTIVITIES AT TERRASET!**

The Terraset PTA is happy to announce a wonderful slate of after-school activities for Terraset students this winter. There are a number of choices, and we think that your child will find something fun and interesting to join. If your child receives free/reduced meal plan and needs assistance with club fees, contact Leslie Sogandares at [lesliesogandares@comcast.net](mailto:lesliesogandares@comcast.net).

**Lego Club:** The Terraset Lego Club encourages students to build models and machines, exercise their spatial abilities, their planning and predictive skills, and develop creative abilities using Lego building bricks. Fun and challenging exercises include free-form creations, collaborative design and construction, and speed build activities. Club will meet 5 alternating Fridays, beginning February 6<sup>th</sup>, in the cafeteria, from 3:40-4:30. *Cost for the club is \$25.* Club enrollment limited to 50 students, all grades.

**Terraset Nature Club:** Based upon the Roots and Shoots program developed by the Jane Goodall Institute, Terraset's Nature Club is the perfect activity for your budding environmentalist interested in discovery and exploration. Students will use basic scientific discovery methods to learn about the outdoors and explore animal, bug and plant habitats. Open to grades K-4; Kindergarteners must be accompanied by a parent or guardian. Club will meet 5 alternating Fridays, beginning February 13<sup>th</sup>, in the cafeteria, from 3:40-4:30. *Cost for the club is \$25.* Enrollment limited to 15 students.

**Basketball:** The guys from Overtime Athletics are back at Terraset with winter basketball. Grades K-2 will play on Tuesday's and Grades 3-6 will play on Thursday's. Each program is designed to help your child develop key skills, including shot strategy, dribbling, footwork, teamwork, sportsmanship and listening skills. Overtime Athletics sessions run for 8 weeks, from 3:40-4:40, beginning Tuesday, February 3<sup>rd</sup> (Grades K-2) and Thursday, February 5<sup>th</sup> (Grades 3-6). *Cost is \$65 for 8 sessions.*

**Creative Dance:** Studies show that encouraging children's creative energies enhances their abilities to think and perform. If you have a child whose inner Travolta is just begging to be released, why not try our new program, designed specifically for young kids by our very own Liz Falcone. Students will learn dance and movement fundamentals, which promote creative expression and help build self-confidence. Each week, students will be exposed to a variety of dance forms and styles. Grades K-3 will meet on Wednesdays, in the gym, starting February 4<sup>th</sup>, from 3:40-4:40. *Cost is \$55 for 8 sessions.*

**Mad Science:** A huge favorite around schools all over the region, the folks at Mad Science are bringing their fantastic inventions back to Terraset. This winter, kids will learn physics and chemistry fundamentals, while experimenting with rockets, exploding goo and the like! This program was extremely popular with kids last session—be sure to sign up early as this program fills fast! Grades 1-6 will meet in the cafeteria on Wednesdays, 3:40-4:40, beginning February 4<sup>th</sup>. *Cost is \$85 for 8 sessions,* and includes all supplies.

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Enrollment for these activities will be on a first-come, first served basis. Please fill out the registration form and return it via Tuesday Pack with checks made payable to **Terraset PTA.**