

X-TRA: News from Extended Care

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Update from X-Care

Welcome to our first edition of X-TRA: News from Extended Care. Our purpose is to educate the RDS community about the many wonderful activities that take place after school and provide a vehicle for students to share their work. We will also profile staff members and hopefully by the end of the year, you'll feel like you know everyone who is a part of your child's RDS experience after school.

In addition to free play, arts & crafts, cooking club, enrichment classes and study hall, students can sign up for free Activity Clubs led by X-Care staff throughout the year. In the fall, students participated in 4-Square Club, Clay Club, Costume Club, Cooking Club, Creativity Club and Running Club. Our winter session is in full swing complete with new clubs for the K-8 crowd. Cooking Club is back with a brand new flavor. On Wednesdays, students can participate in the International Cooking Club which is designed to expose students to a vast array of different dishes and enlighten their minds about how different cultures approach the process of creating food. Each week, students prepare either a main course or a dessert from a different country. Students will get hands-on experience with food creation and they will also learn fun facts about different types of food. Please see the February Activity Clubs for a complete list of this month's clubs.

Upcoming Events

February Break

X-Care will be open February 19-22. You can download a registration form from the RDS website.

Enrichment Classes

Our winter session for after-school enrichment classes is January 28th-March 28th. It's not too late to register for classes. Classes are open to all RDS students and are held from 3:30-4:30 p.m. unless otherwise noted. Circus Arts, Photography and Yoga started this week. The following classes still have openings: Caribbean Steel Drums for grades 3+, Circus Arts for grades 2+, Photography for grades 5-8, Yoga for grades 2+ and Artitude for grades 2+. If you have any questions, please contact Meredith Spencer at 510-534-0804 x245. Enrollment forms are available in X-Care or you can download one from the RDS website.

February Activity Clubs

Monday

Story-Telling Club

Tuesday

Imaginary Theater Club

Wednesday

Fashion Reconstruction Club in X-Plus
International Cooking Club

Thursday

Boomin' Hip Hop Club

Friday

3-D Art Club
Basketball Club
Imaginary Theater Club Part 2

Thank You Parents!

Thank you for your generous book donations from the Book Fair.

Thank you for all of the wonderful treats that you brought us in December and for your generous gifts.