**OAKLAND PARKS, RECREATION & YOUTH DEVELOPMENT** 

# VELCOME TO TOWN ENRICHMENT PROGRAM



PROVIDING SOCIAL OPPORTUNITIES IN A SAFE PLACE



### Oakland Parks, Recreation, & Youth Development (OPRYD) is excited to provide a safe and fun Town Enrichment Program this Fall for youth ages 5-12 years old at 16 recreation centers.

### The Town Enrichment Program hours are

Monday – Friday from 1:30pm – 5:30pm and will take place in 2 sessions.

Session 1: September 14 to October 2, 2020 Session 2: October 5 to October 30, 2020 (3 weeks) (4 weeks) Cost: \$375 Cost: \$500

### **Program Offerings and Safety Measures**

- Daily Health and Wellness check.
- Snack provided daily.
- Curriculum including enriching games and activities: Arts & Crafts, STEAM (science, technology, engineering, art and math), Music & Movement, Outside Games, Sports, Nature, Creativity.
- Participants remain in stable groups of 8-12 children, called a "Pod".
- No mixing of Pods, staggered breaks, and frequent disinfecting of high-touch surfaces.
- Increased Outdoor Programming.
- Curbside drop-off & pick-up.

### **Daily Safety Operations**

- Face coverings are required for all participants and staff to reduce the risk of COVID-19 transmission Please send 2 face coverings with your child for participation in the program. If your child is not used to wearing a face covering, have them practice before attending program.
- Curbside check-in & pick-up process.

Check-in may take longer than in the past. Please arrive early.

OPRYD staff will greet parents in the designated Drop-Off/Pick-Up area between the hours of 1:30-2:00 pm (drop-off) and 4:45-5:30 pm (pick-up). If you arrive outside these hours, please contact the recreation center. Participants will be screened for fever and cough at drop off each day. If the child's temperature is 100.4 or above the child will not be able to attend the program.

- Frequent hand washing will be a part of the daily procedures.
- Frequent disinfecting and cleaning of all shared spaces, equipment, and high touch surfaces.
- Participants will remain in stable groups known as "pods" for each session.

Children shall NOT change from one group to another.

Each pod will remain in a separate area of the facility and shall not mix.

OPRYD staff will remain solely with one pod of children for the duration of each session.

## PARTICIPANT HEALTH SCREENING COVID-19

Questionnaire at Curbside Check-in

City staff will verbally administer the following questions regarding exposure to COVID-19

1) Does anyone in your household have, or have had within the past fourteen days, any of the following:

- Fever
- Persistent Cough
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing
- Sore throat
- Muscle or body aches
- Loss of taste or smell

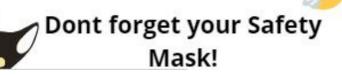
2) Has anyone in your household had close exposure to confirmed COVID-19 person/persons in the last 14 days?

3) Has your child been given medication to lower the child's temperature?

If the child's temperature is 100.4 or above the child will NOT be able to attend the program.

OPRYD staff will take child's temperature and log child as clear or not clear.

Seasonal allergy symptoms may be mistaken for COVID-19. Please let us know if your child is suffering from any seasonal allergies.



# Daily Assessment of **Conditions for Safe Programming**

As we will be conducting most of our activities outdoors, it is important that you are aware that weather safety guidelines may require us to move programming indoors on days when conditions (e.g. smoke/unhealthy air quality, excessive heat, rain, lightning) affect our ability to remain outdoors. Parents/Guardians should feel free to contact their local **Recreation Center for more** information and details.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation and understanding. We look forward to a safe and fun experience together.

Quarantine Information: http://www.acphd.org/2019-ncov/resourcesresidents/quarantine-and-isolation.aspx **Testing Sites Information:** http://acphd.org/2019-ncov/testing.aspx

#### Behavior and Expectations

While at program, we expect all participants to engage in positive dialogue between peers and staff. Our goal is for the youth to be active and engaged while creating a safe & respectful space for everyone. Due to the nature of the structure of this program it is important for all youth to remain in their pod and not wander off. We expect children to wear a face covering as stated in the most recent State of California Health order. Please let us know if your child/children may need alternative accommodations to support their program experience, or if there is anything that we can do to make our time together a safe and rewarding environment.

#### Do Children have to maintain 6 feet physical distancing when they are in their pods?

It is difficult for children to physical distance from one another and youth activities can limit the possibility of staying 6 feet apart. This is another reason why the "Pod" concept is so important. We expect that children will not be able to physical distance all of the time so remaining in a stable group to prevent as much co-mingling of people as possible and decreasing the possibility of the virus spreading is how we are able to manage group activities more safely.

#### **Registration**

All participants must be pre-registered; no walk up registration will be accepted for this program.

#### What to Bring to Program

2 Cloth Face Coverings, Refillable Water Bottle, Backpack, Closed Toed Shoes, Lunchbox, Light Jacket, Hat, and Sunscreen.

#### What NOT to Bring to Program

Toys, electronics or personal items. Phones can be brought only if you store them in the participants backpack during the program. Staff is not responsible for lost items.

#### **Medications**

All prescribed medications must be given to the designated staff member in the morning at check in. All medication must be in the original, labeled container with the dosage clearly marked. Please place all medicine in a large zip-lock bag with your child's name on the bag. It is very important that you disclose all medical conditions, medications your child is currently taking, and recent illnesses so that our staff is prepared to provide the appropriate level of medical assistance.



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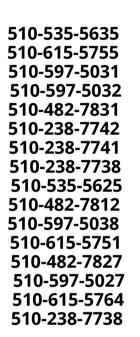
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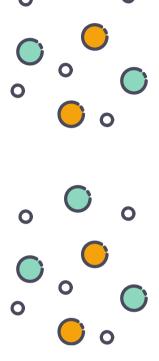
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# Locations:

Allendale Arroyo Viejo Bushrod **CP Golden Gate** Dimond FM Smith Franklin Lincoln Square Manzanita Montclair Mosswood Rainbow **Redwood Heights Studio One** Tassafaronga **Willie Keys** 

3711 Suter St. 7701 Krause Ave. 560 59th St. 1075 62nd St. 3860 Hanly Rd. 1969 Park Blvd. 1010 East 15th St. 250 10th St. 2701 22nd Ave. 6300 Moraga Ave. 3612 Webster St. 5800 International Blvd. 3883 Aliso Ave. 365 45th St. 978 85th Ave. 3131 Union St.





THANK YOU FOR SIGNING YOUR CHILD UP FOR THIS PROGRAM DURING THIS STRESSFUL TIME, AND FOR CONTINUING TO INVEST IN YOUR LOCAL PARKS WITH OPRYD.

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