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ALLIANCE NEWS

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Spring has come

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Passover is here

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ADAM CHASKIN
730 - 2100 ext. 272

Dear Friends,

Winter has ended, the sun is shining, flowers are in bloom and that means that spring has sprung! For Jewish people around the world, it also means Passover. Passover is a time to open our hearts to our inner life. It is a time meant for reflection, renewal, and personal growth. The festival at its core is about personal renewal. Seeing society start to thrive again as vaccines for Covid become more available, I have a strong sense of personal renewal as the CEO of this thriving JCA and as part of this wonderful Jacksonville community. I have been given a new purpose, and the honor of working with our outstanding staff has me excited to see what the limits of the JCA might be.

As we think about personal renewal at this time of year, the JCA is here for everyone. We offer hundreds of programs that are attended by thousands of Jacksonville residents from every type of background. For your body we offer top notch wellness programs where you can work out in our fitness center, get advice from nationally recognized trainers, visit with staff from Baptist Health to discuss any questions you have about wellness, take an invigorating group exercise class, swim in our pools, run/walk on our track, play basketball or volleyball in our gym, or rehab an injury at the Brooks Rehab office in our building.

Maybe it is your mind or spirit that is seeking renewal. Attend a Tai Chi or yoga class, see a concert featuring world renowned musicians, participate in an art class, hear an invigorating lecture, relax in our beautiful courtyard, take in a top-notch art exhibit, play Mah Jongg or bridge, visit the top culinary spots in our area, take a day trip and experience all Northeast Florida offers or learn more about Jewish history. The JCA is exactly the place for all to enhance our bodies, minds, and spirit in an environment of fun, harmony, and friendship. I could not be more excited to be part of this outstanding organization and grow with you and the community.

Sincerely,

Adam Chaskin
Chief Executive Officer

JCA BUILDING HOURS	
Sun.....	8 am – 6 pm
Mon – Thur.....	5:30 am – 9:00 pm
Fri.....	5:30 am – 5 pm
Sat.....	1 – 6 pm
HOLIDAY HOURS	
Passover	
Fri, Apr 2.....	5:30 am - 5 pm
Sat, Apr 3.....	Closed
Sun, Apr 4.....	1 – 6 pm

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CAROL BRODY, BELOVED MOTHER OF MICHELLE BRANLY

by The Board and Staff of the JCA

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For the speedy recovery of...

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In honor of...

ADAM CHASKIN'S BIRTHDAY

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CULTURAL ARTS FUND

In memory of...

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by Sherrie Saag & the 2020 Discover Cultural Arts Festival Committee

COVID-19

PROTOCOLS

Please note, due to Covid-19 protocols, some programs and services are subject to change. If possible, virtual options will be offered. *Visit jcajax.org/reopening-plan to view JCA protocols and updated status.

*Children in early childhood (9mo or 12mo), Afterschool, J All Day and Study Central must be picked up by parents/guardian at the end of enrichment classes. They are not permitted to return to their groups once removed.



Walking Club

Become a member of one of the fastest growing groups at the JCA. You can find walkers on the track, on treadmills and in the gymnasium. Keep track of your progress and receive awards from the JCA when a goal is achieved. Come join us! It's fun, educational, healthy and FREE. Free for valued members only

Sit & Get Fit

Join us to get fit while making new friends. For details, call Heather at ext. 265.

Mon, Thur, Fri | 10:45 – 11:30 am

Free for valued members only

Plein Air in the Garden

Step outside and explore the beautiful nature that is part of the JCA with instructor Theresa Rykaczewski as she teaches you how to create a drawing based on what you see. Each session is different; you can register for 1 class or all of them! See supply list at www.jcajax.org/ji. *Registration required.*

Fri | 2 - 4:30 pm

April 2, 9, 16, 23, or 30

Per class fee \$27 | Valued member \$18

Series fee \$120 | Valued member \$80

Traveling Diner Dinner Club

Delight your taste buds and enjoy great company as we experience a world of flavor in Jacksonville's best ethnic restaurants. Your meal is at your own expense. For details, call Heather at ext. 265. *Registration required by April 4.*

Tue, April 6 | 6 pm

\$5 | Free for valued members

Aqua Sit & Get Fit

Classes start April 13

Tue & Thur | 11 am - 12 pm

VANDROFF ART GALLERY

For details on exhibiting or the upcoming artist schedule, contact Heather at (904) 730-2100 ext. 265 or heather.terrill@jcajax.org.



Marlene Scheer

Apr 8 – May 5

Marlene's work is a representational expression using color as her essential element to express her artistic visions.

Art in the Afternoon

Join Heather Terrill for a monthly afternoon workshop. Supplies provided; you are welcome to bring your own too! For details, email Heather at heather.terrill@jcajax.org or call ext. 265.

\$30 | Valued member \$20

Creative Cup

Create a personalized design to decorate a mug that you can enjoy your favorite drink in!

Registration required by April 10.

Thu, Apr 15 | 1 - 3 pm



Meet the Instructor Behind Some of the Art Classes at the J: Theresa Rykaczewski

Celebrated for her contemporary impressionistic style of bold impasto landscapes and occasional figurative works, Theresa's artwork transfixes the viewer through a dynamic sense of color and atmosphere that explores what it means to connect to nature during our highly saturated digital age.

Theresa Rykaczewski is an American painter and non-profit gallery director in Atlantic Beach, Florida at Word Revolt Art Gallery. Rykaczewski holds an MFA from Jacksonville University in painting, as well as a BFA degree from the University of Missouri St. Louis (with honors) and a minor in art history. She was a member of Phi Kappa Phi at JU and is proud to serve as an Adjunct Professor of Art.

Theresa has been painting and teaching art classes for the last ten years including community based and professional skills workshops, university and museum lectures. Theresa has exhibited in over 40 juried exhibitions and curated over 25 exhibitions, with a penchant for contemporary art, history and cultivating a vibrant arts community.



Our community mourns for those we have lost over this past year, including Bill Rein who passed on January 22nd at 85 years old. Bill was a life board member and pillar of the Jewish community here in Jacksonville. One of his and Joan's generous contributions over the years is the Rein Center here at the JCA, housing classrooms of our early childhood department. A plaque on the wall indicates their gift was "dedicated to the youth who are our future" – central to our work as an agency and community.

Bill and Joan had the foresight and drive to set aside funds for the causes they cared so deeply about. They established funds which will contribute to the JCA and the Jacksonville Jewish community for years to come, and we will forever be grateful for the time and treasure they so generously shared with us.



What is your legacy? What do you do at the JCA that's meaningful? Is there a JCA program, project or event that has captured your heart and imagination? Make a difference and preserve the JCA and the community for future generations and beyond!

For information on becoming a member of the JCA Legacy Society, visit jcjax.org/legacy, contact Ben Marcus at ben.marcus@jcjax.org or ext. 318 or contact the Planned Giving Division of the Jewish Federation and Foundation of Northeast Florida at 448-5000 ext. 1204. We will work with you to develop a strategy that fulfills both your charitable goals and your financial needs.

"As my ancestors planted before me, so shall I plant for future generations." - Talmud

**MAKE THEIR
DREAM A
REALITY!**

**SEND A KID TO
CAMP!**



To make a gift visit jcjax.org/donate. If you have questions, please do not hesitate to contact Ben Marcus at ben.marcus@jcjax.org or 730-2100 ext. 318.

SUMMER SWIM TEAM KICK-OFF PARTY!

Sun, Apr 18 | 2:30 - 4:30 pm on the Pool Deck

Register, meet coaches, get fitted for your swimsuit, and enjoy snacks

Practice Days/Dates: Mon - Thur May 3 - Jul 20

Join the Makos for a great comeback season! We are excited to be back after last year's season was put on hold. Practice begins May 3rd, and our first swim meet will be later in the month. Our swim season typically entails 6 meets (you may choose to only practice with the team), championships at Cecil Field, and an end-of-season banquet. Swimmers who practice somewhere other than the JCA may select our "meet-only" option to join us for our competitions!



For more information or to register, contact Dustin at dustin.rulien@jcajax.org or call 730-2100 ext. 417

AFTER SCHOOL

END THEIR DAY AT THE JCA!

Mon - Fri | 2:30 - 6 pm | Grades K - 8

- State-of-the-art facility
- Homework room with computer lab
- Power Hour: Sports, STEM and Art
- Free transportation (from select schools with minimum enrollment)

2021 - 2022 REGISTRATION NOW OPEN!



STUDY CENTRAL

Designed with quality and flexibility for preteens and teens (6th - 8th grade).

Study Central is designed with quality and flexibility in mind for teens and preteens to support socialization, independence and responsibility in a supervised environment. Daily snack, Wi-Fi, laptop access and homework assistance is available. Transportation provided as needed from select schools. Choose 2, 3 or 5 days per week. Optional enrichment opportunities such as sports, fitness and arts are taught by local professionals. Formulate a schedule that works for you and your busy student!

FREE TRANSPORTATION FROM SELECT SCHOOLS WITH MINIMUM ENROLLMENT

For details, call 730-2100 ext 245. Spaces are still available for the 2020-2021 school year!



Israel National Days

BY RACHEL SANDLER & STAV BRENER

Throughout the month of April in Israel there are three Israel National Days. Yom Ha'Shoah is Holocaust Remembrance Day (April 7-8, 2021). This day memorializes the approximately six million Jews who were killed in the Holocaust. Yom Ha'Zikaron is the Memorial Day for Fallen Soldiers and Victims of Terrorism (April 13-14, 2021). In Israel, a siren is sounded at 8pm and 11 am, when the nation observes a two-minute "standstill" of all traffic and activities. Yom Ha'Atzmaut is Israel's Independence Day (April 14-15, 2021). This date celebrates when the State of Israel was established in 1948. We hope you can join our Jacksonville community to honor these days at one of our programs.

Yom Ha'Shoah (Holocaust Remembrance Day)

April 11 at 1 pm In person or Zoom

Just Like Me: Holocaust Commemorative Play

April 11 at 4 pm on Zoom

Yom Ha'Shoah Community Event hosted by the Jacksonville Jewish Center

Yom Ha'Atzmaut (Israel's Independence Day)

April 15 at 7 pm on Zoom

All ages are invited to a fun family time with former IDF magician, Yarden Shalev, for an awesome live and interactive magic show!

Yom Ha'Zikaron (Memorial Day for Fallen Soldiers and Victims of Terrorism)

April 13 at 6:30 pm

Ceremony - In person and Zoom or Facebook Live

Throughout April, visit the JCA and our partner agencies to see a photo exhibit from our Jacksonville communities' visits to Israel. Also, look for videos to be released during April that are highlighting our Jacksonville connections to Israel.



Advance registration required | Free to the community

Visit the Updated Donziger Media Library!

BY RACHEL SANDLER

The JCA is proud to announce the opening of the updated Donziger Media Library. This is a shared resource of the Jacksonville Jewish community as a lending library. The books have been separated into categories such as Israel, Holocaust, Jewish History, children, and much more. Thanks to community members and PJ Library for the book donations. Feel free to borrow as many books as you like using the check in/out binder on the stand and just return books to the bin when you are done. So, next time you need a book to read, stop by the JCA.

For more information, please contact Rachel Sandler at Rachel.sandler@jcjax.org.

- Elementary School
- Middle School
- High School



B3 Robotics Club

(Grades K - 5)

The world is full of robots! Experience a variety of age appropriate & LEGO compatible robots (Edison, Rover, mouse bot, Lego WeDo and many more!!) that let kids with all levels of experience successfully program robots! Starting with building cool working Lego robots, kids can advance to robots to do bar code scanning, remote control programming, drop and drag block programming, and older/more advanced students can move on to programming in EdPy, a python based programming language!

Tues | 4:30 - 5:30 pm
Apr 6, 13, 20, 27, May 4, 11
\$150 | Valued Member \$100

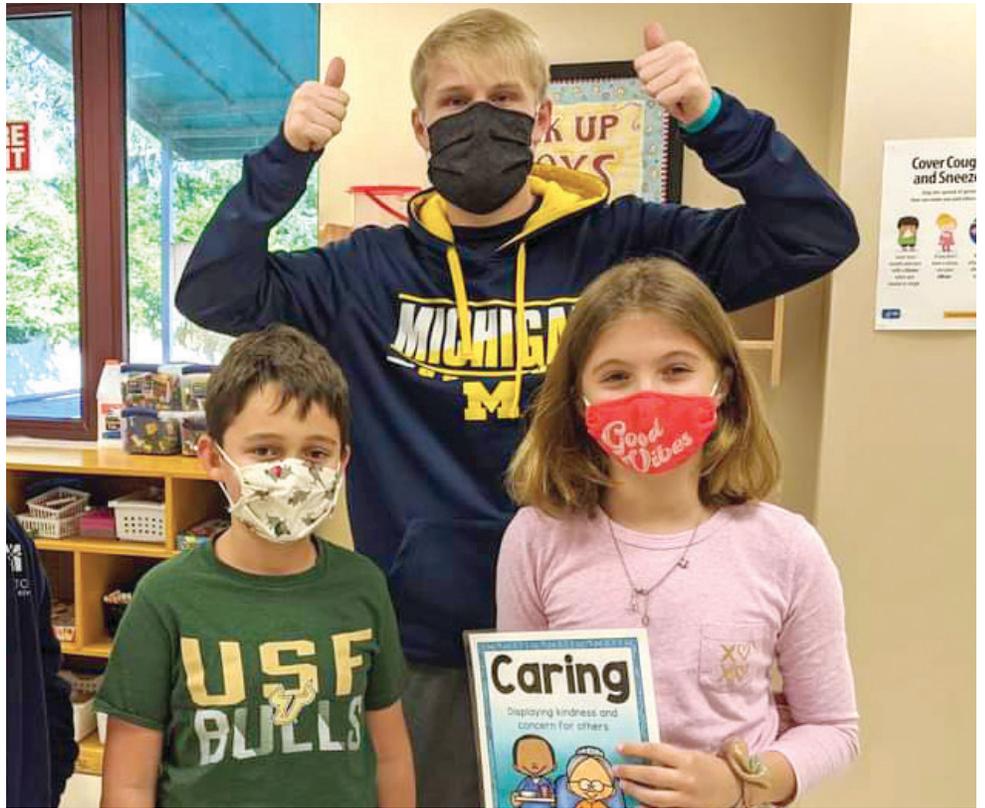


3D Art & Sculpture

(Grades K - 8)

In this class, young sculptors will mold and assemble unique 3D designs using materials such as clay, papier-mache, beads, and more! All supplies included. All skill levels welcome.

Thur | 4 - 5 pm
Apr 8, 15, 22, 29
\$60 | Valued Member \$40



We Are Bucket Fillers

BY AMANDA COLLINS

The school year is flying by in the Youth Services department! New to our After School Program this school year, we introduced a program based on the concept of being "Bucket Fillers." Students are taught that everyone has an invisible "bucket" that represents their emotional well-being. By choosing to be kind, honest and authentic, we fill other's buckets and our own; however, when we make poor choices that can hurt ourselves or others, we can potentially "dip" into and drain buckets.

To reinforce good character and encourage bucket filling, we hone-in on a new character trait each month. In March, for example, we focused on the trait of trustworthiness. For the month of April, we will focus on perseverance. We are hopeful that by promoting good character with children today, we can have a better tomorrow. When sitting down for the day, we encourage you to ask your child how full their bucket is and what they have done to fill someone else's.

After School registration for the 2021-2022 school year is open as of April 1st. We look forward to continuing the bucket filler tradition next school year. We pledge to be bucket fillers today, tomorrow, and every day in the future!

Cookin' USA

(Grades K - 8)

From key lime pie in Florida to Mississippi mud pies to Chicago deep dish pie, there sure is a lot to taste around the USA! Join us as we re-create classic recipes from all over this diverse country!

Wed | 4:30 - 5:30 pm
Apr 28, May 5, 12, 19
\$60 | Valued Member \$40

Mother's Day Surprise

(Grades K - 8)

Calling all kids! Join us as we create a special Mother's Day surprise that your mom will surely cherish! All materials will be supplied. Participants will leave with a wrapped gift for mom.

Thur | May 6 | 4 - 5 pm
\$8 | Valued Member \$5



Gan Yeladim Reimagines the Jewish Holidays

BY DANIELLE WIRSANSKY

This school year has been a little bit different at Michele Block Gan Yeladim Preschool & Kindergarten, but students and educators alike have embraced it. Following new safety and sanitation protocols, many of our yearly partnerships, enrichment, and holidays have had to shift. In particular, the way that our school celebrates the many Jewish holidays has had to be reimagined.

Usually for Purim, we have a school-wide carnival for the children to engage with. This year, educators took it upon themselves to get creative and construct individual class carnivals for their students to enjoy. Students told the Purim stories in big productions in their classrooms, baked hamantaschen and challahs, and created mishloach manot baskets that one representative from

the class delivered around the JCA. They learned Purim songs, in Hebrew and English, and the halls were filled with the sounds of many classes singing all at once from their respective classrooms.

Passover also had to be reimagined. In the past a schoolwide seder and pageant was held, where the students could watch the Passover story. This year Passover was celebrated uniquely within each classroom. Ms. Natalia's Teddy Bear class sewed their own pillows to recline on for their seder while the Kindergarten classes tried a Persian tradition where they used scallions during the song Dayeinu.

Educators are using this time to innovate the traditions of the past into practices that fit where our students are now.



SHREK

SHOW DATES:

Sun, May 9, 16 | 12:30 pm & 3:30 pm

Tickets: \$10

Due to Covid restrictions, all tickets must be purchased in advance.



STARRING:

Mitch Kransi, Finola Kerley, Michaela Brietzke, Harper Miles, Ita Shapiro, Emily Parry, Kora Taylor, Scarlett Munns, Megan Porkert, Josh Draper, Zev Shapiro, Maggie Duncan, Adoration Boothe, Zoey Biagini, Briana Logvinov, Desmond Taylor, Asa Boothe, Harrison Truman, Feivel Shapiro, Clara Zeno, Adaline Sowada, Macon Norris, Cora Devenburg, Ann Bradley, Liza Finelt, Julian Cubas, Zoe Harvin, Heather Timmerman, Lily Miles, Sadie Phipps, Claire Spillers, Ellyette Howerton, Augie Gargas-Paschall, Waylon Brown, Sam Draper, Koren Rothberg, Ryland Brown, Rena Holzer, Tali Werner, Max Csar, Amit Sakofs, Fallon Studer, Anastasia Beltz, Molly Draper, Oriel Cohen, Rachel Biagini, Ashlyn Hardy, Josie Bides, Elena Gjeka, Brigid Studer, Judah North, Calev Shapiro, Stella Bides

For more information, call our Theatre Department at 730-2100 ext. 252



FACES OF FITNESS Mor Stein



Mor is a certified personal trainer, Pilates instructor, and group fitness instructor at the JCA. A former Israeli Defense Forces soldier, Mor discovered physical training made her body strong and left her feeling confident and capable. Realizing the profound spiritual and emotional benefits of exercise, at the end of her military service, Mor decided to make fitness a career so she could help others become healthier and increase their self-esteem and sense of wellbeing. Mor moved to the US in 2015 and obtained her citizenship this year.

Share your insight as an Israeli working in an American Jewish community.

Because there aren't many Israelis in Jacksonville, I feel like a de facto ambassador. I love how excited people are to find out I'm from Israel. Members tell me about the great visits they've had and are thrilled to get a peek of IDF training in my classes, but there is also a pressure to make sure I always represent my nation favorably. It's comforting to work in a Jewish space that observes the same holidays. I love being able to have casual conversations in Hebrew. Small things like hearing Boker Tov and Shabbat Shalom make me smile. I feel like I'm still home.

What is your best trainer tip?

"Your core is your foundation."

Your core is all the muscles that support your spine for correct posture. Many of us spend our days hunched over a computer, cell phone, or steering wheel. This impacts the way you move, making workouts less effective, and over time, leads to changes in



your spine that can cause pain. Make sure you incorporate some core work daily such as the Pilates imprint and release exercise and glute bridges.

Join Mor at www.facebook.com/groups/JCAFitness live stream each Tuesday at 6:00pm for a free virtual Pilates Mat class.

The Jewish Community Alliance has a vision to provide the place in the tradition of our heritage where all people come together throughout their lives, to enhance body, mind, and spirit.

Faces of Fitness shares how the JCA Fitness Team is committed to the Jewish value of "Shmirat Haguf" to care for your body.



JACOB ORENDER



Rising basketball star Jacob Orender represented the JCA under the direction of Sports & Recreation Director Coach Rio Robinson at the 2011 Maccabi Youth Games in Springfield, MA. Since then, the former Fletcher High team captain, all-conference, all-North East Florida, top 2 scorer, has played Division I basketball at Lafayette College in Pennsylvania and later in the prestigious PAC-12 conference with Cal Berkeley where he was a 2-time captain, and academic all-conference.

Jacob's basketball career has allowed him to travel the world. He first competed in the Maccabi games in Israel in 2013 and later toured Amsterdam, London, Frankfurt and Berlin with the Men's Open team playing alongside many Israeli pros. In 2019 he played in Mexico City and won the gold medal. "These experiences are some of my most cherished as you make bonds that transcend the game of basketball. To not only represent your country, but your religion as a Jew and learn about various Jewish cultures around the world is really

inspiring and makes you proud to be a Jewish American Athlete."

After spending the summer honing his skills in the JCA gymnasium, Jacob is now living in Israel with plans to make Aliyah and play professionally next season.

"I would like to share my gratitude for the support the JCA and Jewish Community has shown me my entire life. Growing up going to Martin J. Gottlieb Day School, the Jacksonville Jewish Center, and the JCA all helped shape the man I am today. To all the young ambitious players out there, don't let anyone else define what you can and can't do. Jewish athletes already face a negative stigma regarding their ability to compete amongst the best. Anything is possible if you work hard enough and truly believe in your abilities to succeed."

The Maccabees were Jewish rebel warriors and heroes of the Chanukah story. Maccabee means "hammer" and has become a symbol of physical might, spiritual strength, and mental resilience in the face of adversity.



Growing a Sport Built for the Summer Heat

BY COACH RIO

Combine the skills of soccer and the speed of basketball and you have a sport growing in popularity around the world – futsal. Futsal is a fast-paced 5-on-5 indoor game, which generally yields three times the amount of goals as regular soccer and as much as 10 times the ball contact. Simply put, if you play futsal, you are going to get the ball. Futsal allows players the opportunity to focus on the individual ability to build ball skills while still incorporating passing and scoring. Futsal allows everyone getting touches on the ball. All the training sessions are working on the first touch, the passing, and the movement. Futsal is a great opportunity to beat the summer heat of Florida, while improving as a soccer player.

First Coast Futsal Academy

Sun | June 20, 27, July 11, 18

1st Class Kixx

(Ages 2 - 5) 12 - 12:30 pm

\$60 | Valued Member \$40

Recreational Development

(Ages 6 - 9) 12:45 - 1:45 pm

\$90 | Valued Member \$60

(Ages 10 - 13) 2 - 3:30 pm

\$105 | Valued Member \$70

(Ages 14 - 18) 3:30 - 5 pm

\$105 | Valued Member \$70

Adult Open Pick-Up

(Ages 14 +) 5 - 6 pm

\$15 | Valued Member Free



JCA Fencing Academy

This beginners class helps fencers gain confidence through games, footwork, coordination, fencing drills and bouting. Wed

Youth (Ages 6 - 13) 5 - 6 pm

Adult (Age 14+) 6 - 7:30 pm

8 Classes \$180 | Valued Member \$120

Session I Apr 7 - May 26

Session II Jun 9 - July 28

8 Classes \$180 | Valued Member \$120

Private Fencing Lessons

Call Rio at ext. 250 for information.



Fast Freddy's Taekwondo

Mon & Thurs

(Ages 3 - 6) 4 - 4:45 pm

(Ages 7 - 12) 5 - 6 pm

(Age 13 +) 6:30 - 7:30 pm

Session II Apr 8, 12, 15, 19, 22, 26, 29

May 3

Session III May 10, 13, 20, 24, 27,

June 3, 7, 10 (no class May 17, 31)

8 Classes \$150 | Valued Member \$100

Capoeira

Capoeira combines fight, acrobatics, music, dance and rituals in an elegant form. It develops physical strength, power and flexibility and encourages self-confidence, concentration, courage and creativity.

Tues | (Ages 5 - 10) 5 - 5:45 pm

(Age 11+) 5:45 - 7 pm

Session I Apr 20 - May 25

Session II Jun 8 - Jul 13

Sun | (Ages 5 - 10) 3:30 - 4:15 pm

(Age 11+) 4:15 - 5 pm

Session I May 2 - Jun 13

Session II Jun 27 - Aug 8

(no class May 30, Jul 4)

6 Classes \$96 | Valued Member \$64



Willpower Basketball Training

Coach Will Holloman's clinic allows players to reach their full potential in a fun-filled environment that challenges all to exceed personal limits and optimize the intangibles provided by the game.

Mon

Session I Apr 26 - June 14

Session II Jun 28 - Aug 2

(no class May 17, 31, Jul 5)

Ages 5 - 8 5 - 6 pm

Ages 9 - 12 6 - 7 pm

Ages 13 - 18 Private lessons available

6 Classes \$135 | Valued Member \$90

Private Instruction Contact Rio at ext. 250 or rio.robinson@jcjax.org.

30 min session \$30

30 min 8 sessions \$210



Summer Makos Swim Team

Splash into another great summer with the JCA's member only, co-ed swim team. JCA Makos Swim Team is a competitive team that competes in the River City Swim League. An inspiring coaching staff motivates swimmers to achieve their goals by building endurance and technique, while growing as a team and having fun!

The minimum requirement of all swimmers is swimming one length of the pool unassisted. If your swimmer is unable to meet the minimum requirements, please consider our swim lesson programs.

We will hold a swim team kickoff party on Sunday, April 18th from 2:30 - 4:30 pm. Come meet the coaches, get fitted for your suit and enjoy snacks/refreshments. We look forward to seeing you at the JCA Howard and Joy Korman Outdoor Pool.

Practice starts May 3

(must be able to swim 25 yards unassisted)

Red Group (6 & under)

4:30 - 5:15 pm

Gray Group (7 - 10)

5:15 - 6:15 pm

Black Group (11 & up)

6:15 - 7:30 pm

Meet Days TBA

(6 meets and RCSL Championships)

Meets Only \$110 | Valued Member \$175

Kickoff Party

Sun | Apr 18 | 2:30 - 4:30 pm

Private Swim Lessons

One-on-one private instruction for all ages 6 months and older. Each lesson is 30 minutes in length. Call for availability.

Sensory Safe Swimmers

This is a new program specifically designed for swimmers with autism. The ratio is one or two swimmers per certified instructor. All ages.

Sun | 4:30 - 5 pm and 5 - 5:30 pm

May 2, 9, 23, Jun 6, 13, 20

\$150 | Valued Member \$100

(Partial Scholarships available)



Learn-to Swim Red Cross Group Swim Lesson

Little Makos (age 2-5)

Jr Makos (ages 6-13)

Mon, Wed or Tues, Thur | 4:30 - 5 pm

Parent & Me (ages 6 months to 3 yrs)

Sun 10 - 10:30 am (prorated for April) or Mon 10 - 10:30 am

Monthly Fees:

1 Day Week \$100 | Valued Member \$50

2 Day Week \$150 | Valued Member \$75



APRIL 25TH!

Come join JCA's Aquatics Department for the Inaugural Aquatic Open House. Get information on JCA Learn-to-Swim programs, private swim instruction, swim team, masters swim, and general water safety. Join our Red Cross certified water safety instructors and swim team coaches in the pool for an hour of fun and instruction. Registration deadline is April 22. Contact Josie Martin at 730-2100 ext. 240 for more info.

WHERE:

Indoor Pool

TIME:

2 pm - 5:30 pm

TIME:

2:00 - 3:00 pm - Adults only

3:15 - 4:15 pm - Ages 6 months to 14 years

4:30 - 5:30 pm - Sensory Safe Swimmers/introduction for swimmers with autism

There will be a gift for all participants. Registration required.

FREE TO ALL



Wrapping Up The 2020-21 Competitive Season

BY ALINE BERKENBROCK

It is April and our Ladies' Tennis Team season 20-21 is coming to an end. Our A, B, C, Working Women and USTA teams have been playing since early September and they have shown great resilience, strength and grit throughout the year. This was my first year as the Head Pro at the JCA and I'm extremely proud of the effort that these ladies have put into making our teams competitive, courteous and fun. I also would like to thank our captains, Jill Abel, Carol Kleiner, Linda Proudfoot, Beth Seeker and Angela Atkins for all their help and their commitment to our teams.

If you are interested in joining one of our ladies' teams, now is a great time. We have all levels as well as some teams that play on the weekends. The competitive season runs from September-April and summer is a great time to get your game in shape for the upcoming season. For any questions, please contact Aline Berkenbrock at ext. 317.

Working Women's Team

Tues | 6:30 - 8 pm

Ladies' A Team Clinic

Tues | 9 - 10:30 am

Ladies' B Team Clinic

Wed | 9 - 10:30 am

Ladies' C Team Clinic

Fri | 9 - 10:30 am



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heritage where all people come together throughout their lives to enhance
body, mind and spirit in an environment of fun, harmony and friendship.



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