

THE ACTION YOU TAKE & THE IMPACT YOU MAKE

"Be the change you wish to see in the world." - Mahatma Gandhi

It's a beautiful sentiment and one that reminds us how everyone has the power to make an impact. Hopefully it inspires you and makes you ask yourself, "What can I do today that will lead to lasting change?" While you may believe that it would be difficult for just one person to make a difference, change doesn't have to happen instantly or on your own.

If you're interested in making the world a better place for the students of RVUSD, then join your fellow community members & make a donation today to save the Art Docent Program for the 2021-22 school year.

In the past month our thermometer has risen ANOTHER 4% and we're now only \$7,250 shy of our goal!

If 363 families gave \$20, WE'D MEET OUR GOAL

OR

If every RVUSD student gave \$3.00, WE'D MEET OUR GOAL

OR

Help us MEET OUR GOAL by purchasing an item off of RVEF's AmazonSmile Charity List which is dedicated to supplying materials for the Art Docent Program. Get the link on page 3!

Another way to make and IMPACT is to become a Business Sponsor! We've added 5 more since March and your business could be next. See who's joined the list and details on how to be included on pages 4 & 5.



DONATE TODAY

Sincerely, *Megan Fonseca*

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WHAT THE ART DOCENT PROGRAM OFFERS

Look closely at all the lessons that have been created and ask yourself, "How much is a child's art education worth?" I hope you agree that the awareness, understanding, and journey taken in creating pieces of personal expression and imagination are priceless. And if you do, please consider donating so that we can continue to provide our students this wonderful opportunity.

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JUNE 14 - JULY 16 OPEN TO ALL! AGES 6-14

2021 SUMMER CAMPS & CLASSES

RINCON VALLEY EDUCATION FOUNDATION



RVEF's enrichment program offers students ages 6-14 one and two week, half day and all day camps to take place on the Austin Creek and Village campuses. Exceptional instructors include professionals from specialized fields, local artists, and teachers from RVUSD who offer classes to spark each student's interest, creativity, and curiosity.

FEES:

Classes range from \$125-\$210 for a morning or afternoon one-week class (exception: Makeup for Film and Theater class), \$400 for a one-week All day Hogwarts camp, and \$495 for a two-week All day Theater camp.

DROP OFF AND PICK UP:

Please see the last page of this catalog for a full description of our safety guidelines and general operating protocols during COVID.

REFUNDS:

A \$25 nonrefundable processing fee is deducted for each class dropped up until 2 weeks prior to class start. NO refunds are given if canceling within 2 weeks of the first day of class.

LUNCH TIME:

As a service for students, who are attending both morning and afternoon programs the same week and at the same campus, there will be lunch supervision provided at no charge from 11:30am-12:15pm. At lunch time, students are required to check-in with the site coordinator first thing every day. Students must stay within the Lunch area. Please have students bring a sack lunch, drink, and a snack from home.

FORMS:

Applicable forms must be completed and returned to RVEF prior to the student attending camp. All forms will be available on our website: <http://www.rvef.org/enrichmentclasses.html>

SPECIAL EXTENDED CARE OPTION AT VILLAGE CAMPUS:

RVEF in partnership with Extended Care at RVUSD will be offering before and after care (limited). Students who participate in RVEF summer camp will be escorted to and from RVUSD Extended Care Camp. If you are interested in this option, please make note of it when you register and will you send you more information about pricing, availability, etc.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

We recognize that 2020-2021 have been a particularly stressful time financially for many. Most RVEF summer classes offer at least one scholarship. Scholarships are 1/2 the cost of the listed fee. For more information about requirements, etc. please contact Cathy Hatcher-England, RVEF Enrichment Coordinator, directly at chatcher@rvef.org.

SUMMER OPPORTUNITY! BECOME A HIGH SCHOOL TEACHING ASSISTANT!

Do you: Like working with children? Need credit towards community service hours?
Want to build a resume for college?

The Rincon Valley Education Foundation (RVEF) High School Teaching Assistant Program needs high school volunteers to work as assistants to our instructors.

If you are a motivated and accomplished high school student **entering grades 11-12** (fall 2021) you can apply for summer 2021. The experience counts as community service hours towards graduation and also helps build a college resume.

All teaching assistants will need to attend a ZOOM training on either **May 18 or 20** from 4:00-5:15pm. This time will automatically be added to your community service record.

High School Volunteer Teaching Assistants will support the faculty and staff of RVEF with students during classes and breaks.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: FRIDAY, MAY 14, 2021
Apply early. Positions are filled in the order in which they are received.



RVEF IS OFFERING IN-PERSON AND ONLINE SUMMER CAMPS

Session 1: June 14-18
Session 2: June 21-25
Session 3: June 28-July 2
Session 4: July 5-9

Morning Programs (8:30am-11:30am) & Afternoon Programs (12:15-3:15pm)
Lunch Supervision Provided if staying for BOTH programs

*Additional programs include: ALL day options

30+ CLASSES INCLUDE:
OUT OF THE BOX! CARDBOARD ENGINEERING | THE AMAZING ESCAPE ROOM | OCEANOLOGY | MASON JAR SCIENCE | KIDVETS! 3D ILLUSION ART | FAIRY AND SPRITE HOUSE DESIGN

Week of June 14	Week of June 21	Week of June 28	Week of July 5	Week of July 12
AUSTIN CREEK MORNINGS - 8:30-11:30am It's a Bug's Life (ages 6-8) Out of the Box! Cardboard Engineering (ages 9-12) Summer PE Games Camp (ages 9-12) The Art of Pottery: Recycle Your Sake (ages 11-14) AFTERNOONS - 12:15-3:15pm Edible Science (ages 9-12) Out of the Box! 3D Cardboard Engineering (ages 9-12) Outdoor Art Explorer (ages 9-12)	AUSTIN CREEK MORNINGS - 8:30-11:30am Animal Design Lab (ages 7-12) Jewelry Making (ages 9-12) Myth Busting Science (ages 9-12) Flora, Fauna & More! (ages 10-14) AFTERNOONS - 12:15-3:15pm Making for Theatre & Film (ages 12-14) Mason Jar Science (ages 7-10) Theatre Pops Creators (ages 9-12)	AUSTIN CREEK MORNINGS - 8:30-11:30am CSI Science (ages 9-12) Summer PE Games Camp (ages 9-12) Kibbutz (ages 7-12) ALL DAY CLASS: HOGWARTS (ages 9-14) 9:00am-5:00pm Kibbutz (ages 11-14) MAKER Lab: Outdoor Edition (ages 9-12)	AUSTIN CREEK MORNINGS - 8:30-11:30am Kids' Court: Once Upon a Crime (ages 8-12) Kibbutz (ages 7-12) STEM Explorations with LEGO (ages 9-12) ALL DAY CLASS: 6th Street Street Musical Spectacular (ages 8-14) 9:00am-5:00pm AFTERNOONS - 12:15-3:15pm Adventures in STEAM with LEGOS (ages 9-12) Jewelry Making (ages 9-12) Myth-Magic (ages 9-12)	AUSTIN CREEK MORNINGS - 8:30-11:30am Fair and Square Science (ages 7-10) Fashion Design (ages 9-12) Time Travellers (ages 9-12) AFTERNOONS - 12:15-3:15pm Fencing Adventures Camp (ages 7-12) The Art of Hand Sewing (ages 7-12) Wild about Animals...and Old Potters (ages 9-12)
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RVEF CAMP COVID-19 SAFETY PLAN

As we welcome students and instructors to camp in 2021, safety is our top priority. Our comprehensive COVID-19 plan is designed to protect every member of the RVEF community in an on-site environment that minimizes risk and maximizes fun.

The standards below were created based on other youth program requirements, as well as district guidelines. We will continue to adapt our practices to match mandates as they evolve.

1. CLASS COHORTS

Class cohorts are currently limited to no more than 15 students with one adult (instructor). Exceptions: All day Hogwarts camp has two instructors, so a total of 30 students. All day, two-week Disney Musical will run with up to 3 instructors and camp cohorts with a max of 28 students. Each campus is supervised by two consistent staff members (a site coordinator and their assistant). Classes stay separate from other classes both indoors and outdoors (distanced from other classes by 15+ feet). Sharing of supplies will be limited as much as possible.

2. CAMPER, INSTRUCTOR, AND STAFF SCREENING

Everyone associated with camp will have a daily health screening before being admitted to camp. Anyone that presents with symptoms of infectious illness during the day will be sent home and asked to consult with their healthcare provider to determine if COVID-19 testing is recommended.

3. MASKING AND DISTANCING

All campers, instructors, and staff wear masks when at camp (except when eating or drinking); we provide extra masks for campers as needed. All individuals at camp maintain a minimum of six feet of social distance between them, except to provide developmentally appropriate support or supervision (for example, a staffer applying first aid, helping a young camper open a snack, etc.).

4. CONTACT REDUCTION

Staggered camper drop-off and pick-up schedule (15-20 minutes prior to class start times, designated areas for pick up). Campers bring their own snacks, drink, and lunch to camp.

5. HANDWASHING AND SANITIZING

Campers, instructors, and staff practice frequent handwashing and hand sanitizing (before and after snack and lunch, before and after using the restroom, after sneezing, etc.). We sanitize high-touch surfaces for indoor and outdoor classrooms between use by each class. If supplies must be used by multiple classes, they will be disinfected between each classes use.

PLEASE KEEP IN MIND ALL OF THESE PROCEDURES
MAY CHANGE OVER THE COURSE OF CAMP START DATES.
WE WILL KEEP YOU INFORMED VIA EMAIL
AND UPDATES ON OUR WEBSITE.

REGISTER NOW

**CONGRATULATIONS
TO**

JEANNIE BEHR
ART DOCENT COORDINATOR

**RVUSD'S
CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEE
OF THE MONTH
FOR MARCH, 2021**

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DATE**



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***Wednesday
May 12***

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**Join RVEF'S Board of Directors
for the 2021-22 School Year**

RVEF values the knowledge you've garnered on how to enrich the lives of our youth and welcomes your insight on the ways we can get there together. Join us in awakening a sense of wonder, piquing curiosity, and encouraging the spirit of exploration. Together we can make an impact!

Contact Executive Director Megan Fonseca if interested: mfonseca@rvef.org

TO OUR SPONSORS,

Thank You!



Many thanks to Steve Shirrell of *STANROY MUSIC CENTER*, for being a Platinum Level Sponsor! Stanroy has provided and maintained many musical instruments for our school district and RVEF is excited to partner with them as well. To learn more about Stanroy Music Center, click the logo above.



BALES ORTHODONTICS

Thank you to Dr. Katie Bales and Dr. Tom Bales of Bales Orthodontics for being a Bronze Level Sponsor! They'll walk you through your treatment step-by-step, use the highest quality materials, and offer personalized treatment plans of your smile. To learn more about Bales Orthodontics, click the logo above.



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Thank you to Dan Hardin, Architect for becoming a Bronze Level Sponsor! While his focus is currently on public school projects, he has designed office spaces, custom homes, production facilities, and wineries. To learn more about Dan Hardin, Architect, click the logo above.



Thank you to Wes and Jennifer Dannenbring of Country Linen Service for being a Bronze Level Sponsor! Country Linen Service, a local family run business, is a commercial laundry service providing linen, towel, and mat rental services. To learn more about Country Linen Service, click the logo above.

TO OUR **SPONSORS,**

Thank You!



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Thank you to David Yosso of SPEC - Specified Play Equipment Company - for becoming a Bronze Level Sponsor! SPEC has designed new playgrounds that will be erected this summer across several campuses.

[VIEW THE RENDERINGS](#)

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Thank you to Debbie McCormick of Sunnyside Cottage for being a Bronze Level Sponsor! S.C. supports RVUSD walkathons by donating gift baskets for their auctions & raffles. This delightful store is filled with vintage inspired gifts, new & current toys on the market, & home decor. To learn more about Sunnyside Cottage, click the logo above.

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Invest in the future of our community, have a positive impact on the lives of over 3,200 children and their families AND raise awareness for your business at the same time by becoming a sponsor for the Rincon Valley Education Foundation. To learn more about becoming a sponsor, visit

<http://www.rvef.org/aboutus/oursponsors.html>

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eBay for Charity

eBay customers can support your charity by adding a donation when they buy an item, or donating a percentage when they sell an item.

[Explore eBay for Charity](#)



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Humble Bundle

Customers buying games or eBooks through the Humble Bundle digital platform can choose to support your charity with every order.

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GoFundMe

GoFundMe is a crowdfunding platform that lets your supporters create their own unique fundraising campaigns to support your charity.

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Airbnb

Airbnb hosts can donate a percentage of each payout they receive to support charities that help people in times of need find temporary housing.

[Learn more about donating on Airbnb](#)



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Nextdoor

Sell For Good gives neighbors the ability to support local charities, by simply buying and selling items on Nextdoor's For Sale and Free. An easy way for Nextdoor members to revitalize their neighborhood by giving back to support a local cause.

[Learn more about Sell For Good](#) [here](#)