



## PROGRAM DESCRIPTIONS:

### MORNING CARE

Morning CARE, held at District 39 Schools, provides a safe, supportive, fun and interactive experience before school begins.

### CARE AFTER SCHOOL

CARE After School is focused on providing quality childcare with independent homework and structured, play-based free time. We will bus your child from their school to the Community Recreation Center. CARE is available until 4:45 pm or 6 pm.

*\*If your child would like to register separately for an afternoon Park District program at the Community Recreation Center, CARE staff will escort your child to and from their scheduled program.*

### CAMPUS CLUB

Choose your own adventure! Every day, Campus Club participants choose from a lineup of unique exploratory classes designed to build life skills and encourage social and emotional development. Time is also allotted each day for independent homework and structure, play based free time activities.

*\*New in 2023-2024: Lakeview Center Campus Club location for Central School students! Lakeview Center will offer the same exciting exploratory classes, as well as a focus on outdoor adventure. Only offered to Central students at this time.*

### AFTER-SCHOOL CLUBS

After-School Clubs offer a wide variety of one-hour enrichment “clubs,” ranging from sports to science to music and much more! Families can choose to register for any available club. Clubs are only available to students enrolled at the host District 39 school. After-School Clubs are not guaranteed to run unless they meet their minimum registration requirement. Minimum requirements vary for each club. After-School Clubs are enrichment activities; this is not a childcare program.

## 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR REGISTRATION:

Registration for **MORNING CARE**, **CARE AFTER SCHOOL** and **CAMPUS CLUB** opens at 10 am:

- **JANUARY 10 FOR CURRENT FAMILIES**
- **JANUARY 24 FOR GENERAL PUBLIC**

*\*Looking for Fall 2023 After School Clubs? Information will be posted in late May, 2023.*

*\*School Day Off information will be announced after School District 39 2023-2024 calendar is released. Stay tuned!*

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**CAMPUS CLUB**  
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**AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**  
*(Harper)*

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**CAMPUS CLUB**  
*(Lakeview Center)*  
**AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS**  
*(Central)*

# BEYOND THE BELL | THE GREAT BEYOND, EXPLAINED...

## PROGRAMS BY SCHOOL

Beyond the Bell programs are hosted at several local schools and park district facilities to meet your needs. Below is a breakdown of the different programs available to you based on which school your child attends.

### BEYOND THE BELL FOR **CENTRAL STUDENTS**

PROGRAM NAME	TIME(S)	PROGRAM OPTIONS	SESSION LENGTH	REGISTRATION
<i>Morning CARE**</i> Location: McKenzie	7-8:30 am	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>CARE After School</i> Location: Community Recreation Center	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>Campus Club</i> Locations: Lakeview Center or Centennial Recreation Complex	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>After-School Clubs</i> Location: Central	3:15-4:30 pm	M-Th (varies by club)	Seasonal	Spring, Early Fall, Late Fall & Winter

### BEYOND THE BELL FOR **HARPER STUDENTS**

PROGRAM NAME	TIME(S)	PROGRAM OPTIONS	SESSION LENGTH	REGISTRATION
<i>Morning CARE**</i> Location: Harper	7-8:30 am	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>CARE After School</i> Location: Community Recreation Center	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>Campus Club</i> Location: Centennial Recreation Complex	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>After-School Clubs</i> Location: Harper	3:15-4:30 pm	M-Th (varies by club)	Seasonal	Spring, Early Fall, Late Fall & Winter

### BEYOND THE BELL FOR **MCKENZIE STUDENTS**

PROGRAM NAME	TIME(S)	PROGRAM OPTIONS	SESSION LENGTH	REGISTRATION
<i>Morning CARE**</i> Location: McKenzie	7-8:30 am	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>CARE After School</i> Location: Community Recreation Center	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>Campus Club</i> Locations: Romona or Centennial Recreation Complex	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days	Full School Year	January 24*

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## PROGRAMS BY SCHOOL CONTINUED

### BEYOND THE BELL FOR **ROMONA STUDENTS**

PROGRAM NAME	TIME(S)	PROGRAM OPTIONS	SESSION LENGTH	REGISTRATION
<i>Morning CARE**</i> Location: Romona	7-8:30 am	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>CARE After School</i> Location: Community Recreation Center	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>Campus Club</i> Locations: Romona or Centennial Recreation Complex	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days	Full School Year	January 24*

### BEYOND THE BELL FOR **AVOCA STUDENTS**

PROGRAM NAME	TIME(S)	PROGRAM OPTIONS	SESSION LENGTH	REGISTRATION
<i>CARE After School</i> Location: Community Recreation Center	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>Campus Club</i> Location: Centennial Recreation Complex	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days	Full School Year	January 24*

### BEYOND THE BELL FOR **HIGHCREST STUDENTS**

PROGRAM NAME	TIME(S)	PROGRAM OPTIONS	SESSION LENGTH	REGISTRATION
<i>Morning CARE**</i> Location: Romona	7-8:30 am	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>CARE After School</i> Location: Community Recreation Center	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days, 2 Days	Full School Year	January 24*
<i>Campus Club</i> Location: Centennial Recreation Complex	3:15-4:45 pm, 3:15-6 pm	5 Days, 3 Days	Full School Year	January 24*

\* Full school year program registration is ongoing and available to meet changing childcare needs.

\*\* These programs host students from multiple schools. Busing is provided to students attending Central and Highcrest.

## **FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS:**

### **1. When do I register for CARE, Campus Club, and After-School Clubs?**

- 2023-24 school year **CARE After School** and **Morning CARE** program registration opens in January.
  - 2022-23 school year **CARE After School** and **Morning CARE** program registration is currently open.
- 2023-24 school year **Campus Club** program registration opens in January.
  - Spring 2023 **Campus Club** registration is currently open.
- Registration for Fall 2023 **After-School Clubs** opens June 2023.
  - Winter 2024 **After School Clubs** opens in late 2023.

### **2. What is the length of each Session?**

- **Campus Club**, **CARE After School** and **Morning CARE** run through the full school year with a one-time enrollment.
- **After-School Clubs** run for 8-11 weeks, depending on the session.

### **3. Does my child need to bring a snack?**

Yes! For **Morning CARE**, **CARE After School**, **Campus Club**, and **After-School Clubs**, please send your child with a nut-free snack.

### **4. Do you offer priority registration or multiple-family-member considerations?**

Priority registration for **Morning CARE**, **CARE After School** and **Campus Club** families will open on January 10, 2023 for the 2023-2024 school year. At this time, we do not offer priority registration for **After-School Clubs**. We do not offer multiple family member discounts.

### **5. Can students register for both CARE and Campus Club or After-School Clubs?**

- If students attend 2 or 3-day options for **CARE After School**, they can also attend **After-School Clubs** if offered at their school on their CARE off days.
- Students attending **Morning CARE** can attend any of our Beyond the Bell options.
- Students registered for the 5-day option at either **CARE After School** or **Campus Club** cannot enroll in multiple Beyond the Bell programs.

### **6. Is transportation provided to CARE and Campus Club at the Community Recreation Center or Centennial?**

- Transportation is provided to **CARE After School** at the Community Recreation Center from the following schools: Romona, McKenzie, Harper, Central, Highcrest and Avoca. Transportation is provided at an additional cost.
- Transportation is provided to **Campus Club** at Centennial from the following schools at an additional cost: Romona, McKenzie, Harper, Central and Avoca.
- Transportation is provided to **Campus Club** at Lakeview from Central Elementary school at an additional cost.

### **7. Do you offer programs on Fridays with 2:15 dismissal?**

Both **CARE After School** & **Campus Club** start early on Fridays to accommodate the earlier dismissal. **After-School Clubs** are not offered on Fridays.

### **8. Do you offer programs on half days or days off of school?**

On most full days off from school, we offer **School Day Off** programs. For more information, visit our website at [wilmettepark.org](http://wilmettepark.org) or contact Ann Toma at [atoma@wilpark.org](mailto:atoma@wilpark.org). We do not offer programs on half days.

- 2023-24 **School Day Off** details will be announced after the School District 39 2023-24 calendar is released. Stay tuned!
  - 2022-23 **School Day Off** dates are posted and registration is currently open.