



The City of Beacon  
 Recreation Department  
**After School Program**  
**2017-2018, Session 4**  
 April 16<sup>th</sup> through June 15<sup>th</sup>

Welcome to the Beacon After School Program, held in J.V. Forrestal, Sargent and South Ave. Elementary schools. This program offers more than just child care; the program offers exposure to many different activities; an opportunity for your child to try something new or learn more about something they already enjoy. It is our goal to provide a safe and fun recreational experience to all participating children while providing opportunity for enrichment.

Each day, the children are dismissed from their classroom directly to the program, where they have about thirty minutes of free play followed by a snack. From about 4:00 to 4:50 is the first activity period followed by a second fifty-minute activity period. Scheduled activities are complete around 5:45. Parents are welcome to pick their child up at any time prior to 6:00.

Your child may attend any number of days per week. Activities will fill up fast; secure your space early if you want a particular activity. Please see the chart below for the schedule of daily activities.

SESSION 4	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Forrestal</b>	Fantastic Beasts	Martial Arts	Nature is Awesome	¡Hola!	Beacon Bookworms
<b>Sargent</b>	Silly Science	¡Hola!	5 hens	Small Tribe Hoops	Beacon Bookworms
<b>South Ave.</b>	Bucket Drums	Mighty Kids	¡Hola!	Martial Arts	Beacon Bookworms

In addition to the main activities above, children have additional activities each day. This includes an opportunity to complete homework.

We offer four sessions each school year, each session will have different activities at each school. You must re-register for each session. We thank you for the opportunity to be inspired by your children.

This program is registered through the New York State Office of Children and Family Services.

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 Register Code: **AFTSCH**

Total Fees Paid: \$

Date:

Pynt Type:

# ABOUT OUR ACTIVITIES

**All-Star Martial Arts** - Learn the basics through kicking, punching, blocks and maybe even board breaking. Techniques are reinforced through motivation, fun and games. Students will work to gain confidence, listening skills, self-control, and goal setting. It is a jammed packed session of movement and fun. Program is progressive for returning students.



Each Friday, **Beacon Bookworms** will read and explore classic children's literature. We will spend some time with Dr. Seuss, Mother Goose and more contemporary kid stories. Each week we'll read a book and do activities related to the tale. We might climb "beanstalks," plant some 'truffula' or even have a wild rumpus! *The Tail Wagging Tutors*, therapy dogs who help teach reading! No matter what story we read, we'll have an 'epic' time!

Take something ordinary and make it extraordinary in **Bucket Drums!** An every-day bucket can become a magnificent drum! Playing drums together can be deeply satisfying and can expand understanding of the basic building blocks of playing instruments, both as a group and individual percussionist. We will learn basic rhythms as well as ensemble percussion pieces based on traditional rhythms from around the globe.



**(Even More) Fantastic Beast and How to Build Them** Using a variety of materials, kids will be introduced to the limitless world of making sculpture. We will use various crafting techniques to imagine and build creations of all types - people, pets, mythical creatures or forms of their own invention. With a focus on using upcycled materials, we will experiment with building smaller figures, wearable sculptures and larger scale installations. We will work together to bring our ideas to life!

**Baking with Five Hens** – *THEY'RE BACK!* Join Five Hens Baked Goods for baking and cooking lessons designed to foster children's kitchen skills. Your child will be trying new foods as we build confidence in the kitchen. Kids will learn about measurements and baking chemistry, incorporating elements of S.T.E.A.M. Every class, your child will create and sample a tasty delight. *EACH SESSION BRINGS NEW RECIPES!*



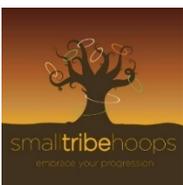
¡Bienvenido a **¡HOLA!** In this class, your child is going to be 100% immersed in the Spanish language. Learn the foundations of another language with a focus on fun. We will use Spanish throughout a wide variety of activities such as dancing, singing and playing games. The children will start to acquire vocabulary and language skills for real life situations. ¡Esperamos verte ahí! (We hope to see you there!)

Come to **MIGHTY KIDS** to learn more about Health & Hygiene, Exercise & Energy, Food & Fun! Incorporating information from the Eat Smart New York of the Hudson Valley Region program, kids will learn about nutrition and making healthy choices to help enjoy a lifetime of fitness. Each workshop includes interactive activities, games, movement and a food tasting.



**Nature is Awesome! (Part II)** Join us to learn how to identify all sorts of living things! We'll be in the outdoors to observe insects, spiders, mammals, birds, plants, algae, fungi and anything else we might find in its natural habitat. We'll discuss how much we have in common with them when it comes to the need for resources such as water, sunshine and oxygen. Each week, will learn a little more about our place in the environment.

We hypothesize your child will have a lot of fun being part of **Silly Science!** Each week we will undertake a different experiment to learn about chemical reactions, the physical properties of matter and the manipulation of energy. The focus is fun with a sprinkle of science and discovery.



**Small Tribe Hoops** is a super-fun program that introduces hula hooping as an art form. In this series, students will play hoop games and learn how to do circus-style tricks! New hoopers will be developing their mind-body connection while learning about the importance of exercise, movement, and expression. Each week students will be introduced to a new age-appropriate trick or skill. By the end of the program students will be dancing in their hoop, moving fluidly from one hoop trick to the next!



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Return Completed Document to: **City of Beacon Recreation Department**  
**23 West Center Street**  
**Beacon, NY 12508**

School	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	5 Days	Total
	\$125	\$125	\$125	\$125	\$125	\$600	
	Add'l child						
	\$110	\$110	\$110	\$110	\$110	\$550	

**Please select days you are enrolling and the school your child attends.**  
**Fee is per entire session of programming. This works out to approx. \$12.50 per day.**

<b>Forrestal</b>							
<b>Sargent</b>							
<b>South Ave</b>							

**ALL REGISTRATIONS MUST COMPLETE FORM INCLUDING SIGNATURE ON OPPOSITE SIDE**

Child Name:					
Current Grade:		Gender:		Age:	
Teacher			Date of Birth:		
Parent/ Guardian Name:					
Address:					
City:		State:		Zip:	
Home Phone:			Work Phone:		
Cell Phone:			Email:		
<b>List any and all persons who will be picking up child from program.</b> You may add additional names. (ONLY THE PERSONS LISTED BELOW WILL BE ALLOWED TO TAKE CUSTODY OF YOUR CHILD)					
Name	Phone	Relationship	Emergency Contact		
1			<input type="checkbox"/> Can be called in case of emergency		
2			<input type="checkbox"/> Can be called in case of emergency		
3			<input type="checkbox"/> Can be called in case of emergency		
<b>Medical Information:</b> (Allergies, Existing Physical Conditions and/or Limitations, Medications)					
<b>Additional Information</b> (Please list anything that you feel would be helpful to provide your child a fun, safe and enriching experience)					
<b>Office Use Only</b> Register Code:		Total Fees Paid: \$		Date:	
AFTSCH				Pymt Type:	

**PARENTAL WAIVER and RELEASE of LIABILITY**

In consideration of the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers furnishing services and/or equipment and/or facilities to enable my child to participate in the **Beacon After School Program**, and/or transportation to and from such activities, I agree as follows:

I fully understand, acknowledge and agree that: (1) there are risks and dangers inherent in participation in such activities and the use of equipment and facilities provided; (2) these risks and dangers may be caused by the negligence of the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers, the negligence of other participants, the negligence of others, and by accidents, breaches of contract, forces of nature, or other causes; (3) these risks and dangers may arise from foreseeable or unforeseeable causes; and (4) by my child's participation in these activities, I hereby assume all such risks and dangers and all responsibility for any losses and/or damage, whether caused in whole or in part by negligence of the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees or volunteers, or by any other person.

I, on behalf of myself, my child, my personal representatives, and my heirs voluntarily agree to release, waive, discharge, hold harmless, defend and indemnify the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers from any and all claims, actions or losses for bodily injury, property damage, wrongful death, loss of services, personal income and otherwise which may arise out of my child's participation in the proposed activities or use of equipment or facilities provided in connection therewith. I specifically understand I am releasing, discharging and waiving any claims or actions I or my child may have presently or have in the future for all actions, omissions or other conduct by the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers.

While participating in the forgoing activities offered by the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers are in no way responsible for loss or damage to personal items, including my vehicle.

I further understand, acknowledge and agree that outdoor sports activities are an athletic activity and require a certain amount of physical fitness. My child does not suffer from chronic wrist, arm, shoulder, neck, back, leg or knee problems, or if they do, I have consulted my physician before their participating in the above mentioned activities. If medication is required for any reason, it is my sole responsibility to bring and administer such medication when participating in the programs offered by the City and to inform the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers of my child's condition before beginning the above mentioned activities.

I authorize and agree to use by the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers of any and all photographs which may be taken of any aspect of the program and which may include my or my child's image.

I also hereby grant permission for my child to be transported and treated in the event of a medical emergency if I cannot be reached. Any expenses advanced by the City or its representatives for such care shall be reimbursed upon demand.

As a parent/legal guardian of \_\_\_\_\_, I give my permission to Beacon Recreation Afterschool Program to access my child's school medical records in case of an emergency.

I have read the above waiver and release, and by signing it, agree it is my intention to exempt the City of Beacon, its officers, directors, employees and volunteers from liability for personal injury, property damage, and/or wrongful death by negligence or any other cause.

CHILD NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT/ GUARDIAN NAME: \_\_\_\_\_

PARENT OR GUARDIAN SIGNATURE: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_