



Dates to Know:

January 15– CLUB CLOSED/E-Learning Day

January 22– Family Monday– FEMA presentation combined event at ODES

January 29– Family Monday– Makey Makey Coding Event

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SCYC ODHS– A New Vibe!

This month starts a brand new look and feel for SCYC at ODHS! We are revamping club to appeal to more of our students. We are working to create a relaxing, inviting, and enriching environment in which our students can learn and grow. This is being accomplished in a number of ways. First of all, we will now offer a “club café!” This will allow our students to decorate their own personal coffee mug, and enjoy decaf coffee, hot chocolate, tea, and various creamers while they engage in a daily debate/discussion topic. Next, homework will be available throughout the entirety of the club day, but optional for students as long as they have a C or better in English, Math, and Science. If a student drops below a C, they will be sent to tutoring to work with staff to increase their grades. Time spent completing homework will continue to be encouraged by club.

Various “clubs” will now run on consistent days throughout the week so that students can know what to expect. Our hope is that more students will join this new and exciting version of SCYC!

Family Monday– Upcoming January Events

Family Monday is a weekly event that encourages students to invite their family members to join in various activities, hear presenters, and spend some time with their teens!

Please plan to join us on Monday, January 22 at 4:00 PM CST for a presentation from Starke County Emergency Management Agency regarding disaster preparedness. This presentation will be a combined event with the elementary students and will take place at the elementary.

Monday, January 29 will also be an exciting event as we come together and experiment with computer programming techniques! Students and their families will work together with the help of “MAKEY MAKEY” kits to use everyday objects and create their own “controller.” We can then use these controllers to play some *Dance Dance Revolution*, make a piano out of potatoes, and more! Slide on your dancing shoes and come join the fun.

January Clubs

This month starts our new “clubs.” These clubs are on consistent days throughout the month and provide students the opportunity to explore various topics and learn new techniques!

In our **CREATE** club, teens will be able to learn how to crochet, and then explore some watercolor painting techniques.

Our **CULINARY** club will include exploring the nutritional differences between home made food vs. fast food, making veggie soup, M&M granola bars, and exploring healthy “colors” in your salads.

Our **STEM** club will include LEGO robot building, creating glowing slime and understanding the math behind bungee jumping and using “dummies” as our “jumpers”!

In our **EXPLORE club**, we will learn about culture and customs of Switzerland, Alaska, Columbia, and Greece.

We will also have **FITNESS** club where we play giant bowling, corn hole, and practice some yoga!

As the semester progresses, the clubs will evolve more and more to address skills, hobbies, and passions of the teens. If you have an idea for a club, or have a friend that should join, be sure to see Amber.

Glad to be back,

For more information on The Starke County Youth Club, visit www.thescyc.org and be sure to like us on Facebook.



SCYC- ODHS January 2018

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Sat/Sun
<p>8 Homework / Current Events</p> <p>Straw Tower Challenge</p> <p>Family Monday- BINGO Night</p>	<p>9 Homework / College & Careers</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Bowling Create Club- Crochet Club</p>	<p>10 Homework / Resistance Skills</p> <p>STEM-Glowing Slime: apple4859 Explore-Swiss Flag Fuse Beads Culinary-Homemade vs. Fast Food</p>	<p>11 Homework / Media Literacy</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Bowling Create Club-Crochet Club</p>	<p>12 Homework / Health and Wellness</p> <p>News Crew- Newsletter Explore - Swiss Potato Rosti Culinary - Homemade vs Fast Food</p>	13/14
<p>15</p> <p>NO CLUB E-Learning Day</p>	<p>16 Homework / College and Careers</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Yoga Video Create Club- Crochet Club</p>	<p>17 Homework / Resistance Skills</p> <p>STEM-Bungee Jump1: pear8583 Explore-Alaska:cat5683 Culinary-5 Color Salad</p>	<p>18 Homework / Media Literacy</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Yoga Video Create Club- Crochet Club</p>	<p>19 Homework / Health and Wellness</p> <p>News Crew- Newsletter Explore-Alaska: cat5683 Culinary-5 Color Salad</p>	20/21
<p>22 Homework / Current Events</p> <p>Rope Challenge</p> <p>Family Monday- FEMA combined presentation with ODES</p>	<p>23 Homework / College and Careers</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Corn Hole Create Club- Watercolor</p>	<p>24 Homework / Resistance Skills</p> <p>STEM-Bungee Jump2: apple08174 Explore-Columbia: Dancing8424 Culinary-Chicken Veggie Soup: busy4975</p>	<p>25 Homework / Media Literacy</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Corn Hole Create Club- Watercolor</p>	<p>26 Homework / Health and Wellness</p> <p>News Crew- Newsletter Explore-Columbia: Dancing8424 Culinary-Chicken Veggie Soup: busy4975</p>	27/28
<p>29 Homework / Current Events</p> <p>Group Shopping Challenge</p> <p>Family Monday- Makey Makey coding event</p>	<p>30 Homework / College and Careers</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Open gym Create Club- Watercolor</p>	<p>31 Homework / Resistance Skills</p> <p>STEM-Puff Pocket: cooking0333 Explore-Greece Culinary-M&M Granola Bars: cat4686</p>	<p>1 Homework / Media Literacy</p> <p>Lego Programming Fitness Club- Open Gym Create Club- Watercolor</p>	<p>2 Homework / Health and Wellness</p> <p>News Crew- Newsletter Explore-Greece Culinary- M&M Granola Bars: cat4686</p>	