



# Theatre Production

Ashley and Danielle

TBA Theatre, a local theatre company, will host a two-week theatre camp program. Students will spend the two weeks learning from TBA Theatre artists. Students will learn acting skills as well as a variety of elements of technical theatre. This will be an engaging, interactive and fun intensive where students will try their hand at new skills, take on the roles of different characters, experiment with fun improv games, and understand the ins and outs of theatre production.

Grades: 7-12

Cost: \$25 - \$50

Credit: Elective

# Native Arts of Alaska

Join Mo Spooner and Becky for the Native arts intensive. Experience a variety of arts found right here in the state of Alaska. From beading jewelry to smoking your own salmon you will learn to appreciate a whole new side of Alaska you may have never known. Wander the Native heritage center to truly see the amazing backgrounds of Alaskan Native cultures and arts. Explore the bike trails to Westchester to view an Indigenous art display while imagining a time before Anchorage and the railroad. All the while learn the importance of appreciating and not appropriating Native arts. Students will enjoy multiple hands-on activities with the guidance of Indigenous speakers and artists in a variety of forms, surely an experience you don't want to miss out on.

Cost: \$0

Credit: ¼ elective

Teachers: Mo Spooner and Becky Gerik

# BLOOD BOWL<sup>®</sup>

## WAAAAGH!!!!

If you've never lined up on the pitch across from 11 screaming orks, it's hard to imagine the sheer terror it instills in even the bravest of footballers. Blood Bowl brings all the races of the Warhammer universe together to play for the Champions Cup.



For this intensive, students will:

- Follow the normal school schedule
- Be on their own for lunch, like a normal school day
- Be in Jason's room, except during breaks/lunch
- Practice good sportspersonship
- Learn how to assemble and paint gaming miniatures
- Learn the game of Blood Bowl
- Keep a team log of player info, stats, and game reports
- Maintain a clean area, and respect school and other's property



Intensive info:

Grades:	7-12
Credit:	.25 elective
Cost:	\$40

(your fee will purchase a boxed set of a Blood Bowl team you will get to keep)

## **Daniel Intensive Idea One: Hiking**

**Credit: PE Credit, .25**

**Cost: Roughly \$15**

Let's go adventuring! With this idea, we're trying to get outside as much as possible and enjoy the world around us. In this intensive, you should be ready to be outside for the majority of the days, as we enjoy the lovely Alaska wilderness in our backyard. We will try to stay in the Anchorage/Eagle River area for this, and use buses to travel around. You should be prepared for some snow on the mountains, and possible post-holing if needed.



**Bob's Intensive Course Description**  
**Spring 2022**

## **Introduction to Analog Game Design**

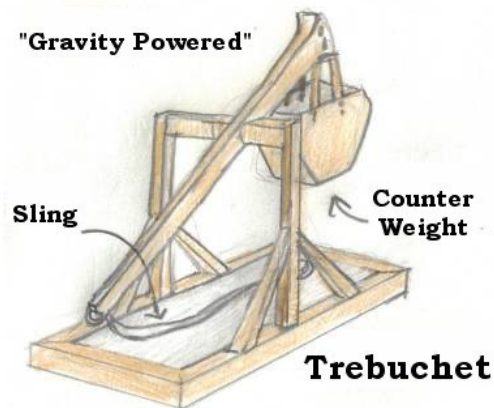
**Grade Level: 7-12**

This course is an introductory look into the process of creating analog games of all sorts. Focus will be on the concepts games need to be successful. Different genres of games will be studied to showcase how the concepts have been applied. Ultimately, students will apply the design concepts to make their own game. The emphasis of the class is tabletop gaming, **not** digital gaming. However, the concepts will still be applicable.

**Credit Count: Elective**

**Class Fee: \$0.00 = FREE!**

## Catapults with Joe Fish



In this class we will be examining the design and use of siege engines. The class will start with a study of the purpose behind siege warfare and the various examples seen throughout the history of warfare. We will be examining the fortifications designed to defend and their various designs. We will additionally be studying the design of the weapons and implements designed to defeat those fortifications.

This class will include guided research on the various designs of siege engines. Participants will share their research with classmates.

The class will culminate in the design, building, and testing of our own catapults.

Grade Level: 7-12

Credit: Social Studies Elective

Cost / Fee: Various (trying to get covered)

## Ken's Biking Intensive-Spring '22

### Road Biking elective Grades 9-12 and 7-8 by instructor choice only

We'll spend the first couple of days learning the basics of bike safety, maintenance, and sizing as well as take a look at some of the latest technology available. The rest of the intensive will be devoted to biking trails in the Anchorage Municipality (Eklutna to Girdwood). We'll try to vary the trails by difficulty and scenic opportunities and we will adjust our rides based upon the comfort level of class participants. Participants will need a well-maintained and fitted bike. **This is not a class for BMXer's.** Busses will be provided for the Indian to Girdwood ride and the Eklutna Lake ride.

The only funds required for this class should be spent on yourself for bike maintenance, food, beverages, and a helmet.

**You are required to be in class every day.** Missing one day is equivalent to missing one week of a quarter-length class. While missing for doctor appointments or other commitments is appropriate, if you cannot commit to this, then please find another class.

**Safety is of primary importance when biking.** Properly fitted helmets are required for this class. No one is allowed to be on their bikes without one. Riding helmetless is reason for withdrawal/failure from the class. In addition, no headphones of any type are allowed on our trips, nor are phones. Riders need access to all their senses while riding if they are to ride safely. I will have a phone to contact emergency services or Steller if needed.

### Schedule

#### Monday, May 2

- 8:30-11:30 Review course requirements/gear check/safety discussion
- 12:15-2:05 Ride to Kincaid Park via the Chester Creek and Coastal Trails

#### Tuesday, May 3

- 8:30-10:00 Debrief yesterday's ride/bike setup issues/maintenance issues
- 10:00-2:05 Ride a loop from Steller to Russian Jack Park, then the Campbell Creek Trail to Campbell Lake, then Diamond to Jewel Lake Road to Kincaid Park and back to Steller.

#### Wednesday, May 4

- 8:30-9:00 Debrief yesterday's ride/maintenance issues
- 9:30-2:05 Ride to Eagle River or Birchwood via the Chester Creek Trail, Coastal Trail, Ship Creek Trail, Commercial Drive, and the Glen Highway Trail as time permits. Return to Steller

#### Thursday, May 5

- 8:30-9:00 Debrief yesterday's ride/other issues
- 9:00-2:05 Ride to Eagle River via yesterday's route, then ride Highland Drive into South Fork Valley to terminus. Return to Steller

Friday, May 6

8:30-3:00

Load the bikes for the bus ride to Bird. Ride the Indian-to-Gird trail to Girdwood. Stop for lunch in Girdwood and return to Indian. Return to Steller by bus.

Monday, May 9

8:30-3:00

Ride to Eagle River via previously mentioned route and ride Skyline Drive hill climb. Return to Steller.

Tuesday, May 10

8:30-11:30

Visit REI and check out bikes and new equipment/visit by riders from the Arctic Bicycle Club

12:30-2:00

Ride to Kincaid and back

Wednesday, May 11

8:30-2:05

Ride to Potter Marsh via Coastal Trail, Jewel Lake, Dimond, Minnesota, O'Malley, Old Seward to Southpark Bluff Dr. for hill climb. Return to Steller via same route.

Thursday, May 12

8:30-2:05

Class choice ride, pizza at Bear Tooth. Return to Steller.

Friday, May 13

8:30-5:00

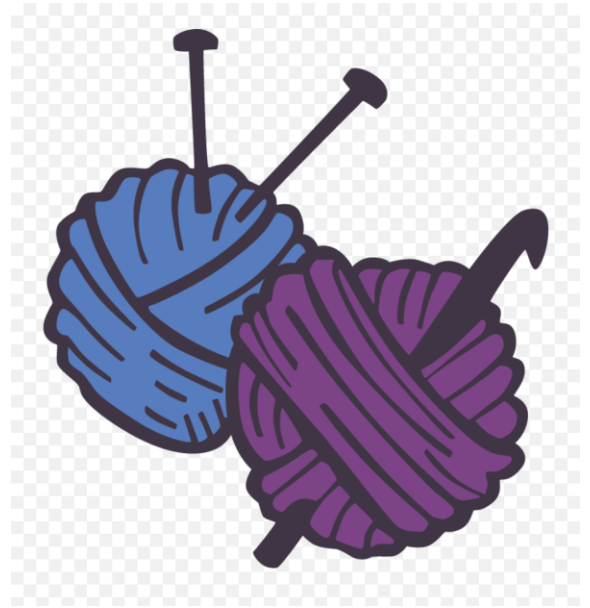
Bus ride to Eklutna Lake Campground, ride to Serenity Falls Hut and have lunch. Return to Eklutna Lake Campground by 3pm and return to Steller by bus.



# *Learn to Knit & Crochet*

All skill levels are welcome!

Beginners will learn the basics of knitting and crochet. More advanced students will explore new stitches or techniques.



Students will make a hat, learn how to read a pattern, design a project, and choose yarns. Your second project will be planned and started by the end of the session!

We will also learn a little fiber craft legend and lore. And as time permits, we'll try our hands at some less common needlecrafts.

Credit: .25 elective

Cost: to be determined

Grade: 7-12

# Garden Art

Who doesn't love a beautiful garden? Students will construct/sculpt garden art using found objects (junk?) cement, clay, tile, wire, tubing, wood, etc. Including sculpture, floating objects for ponds, water features, wind chimes and wheels, seating, etc. Bring your imagination and leave with a charming garden to enjoy All summer!!

Teacher: Marla

grade level: 7-12

credit: .25 elective

fees: \$0-\$50 depending on what you choose to do



## **Beginning Keyboard/Piano**

Do you have an electronic keyboard and would like to learn how to use it to play songs and sing along with your friends? If so, I will teach you how to make music using basic chords, simple patterns, as well as whatever more advanced features your keyboard offers. I'll have you playing better on the first day, but you will need to bring your own keyboard and headphones. Elective credit, no cost, but you may want to buy some sheet music to expand your repertoire.

## **Creature Creation:**

*Introduction to sculptural arts to bring imaginary creatures to life.*

**Come and learn the basics of sculpture through creating creatures. You will learn the basics of how to go from a sketch to a full creature. The skills we will be practicing include the following:**

- 1. Basic sculptural techniques and assemblage.**
- 2. Introduction to sculpture using oil clays, epoxy clays.**
- 3. Basic needle felting techniques.**
- 4. Character design.**
- 5. sculptural painting techniques.**
- 6. Armature building.**

**This course will cost \$60 and count as an elective art credit.**



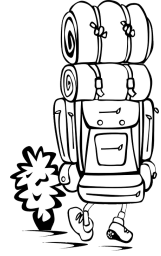


For students that are interested in rock-climbing, this is your chance!! This intensive will be put together in conjunction with the Alaska Rock Gym. In this intensive we will be learning the basics to rock-climbing in an indoor environment focusing on form, flexibility, balance, and strengthening. We will also be learning proper safety technique for climbing and getting our belay certification, make chalk bags, watch climbing videos, and explore some cross training options all while having fun!!! I am excited to be able to spend time climbing with all of you while we inspire each other to greater heights.

**Teachers: Rosa**  
**Credit: .25 Elective**  
**Cost: \$145**



# Travel to Somewhere to Hike, Camp, and Backpack



I am waiting to see if the district will allow us to travel out of state. If they do, I will be taking students to the Southwest of the United States. We will be flying into Las Vegas and then driving to national and state parks to camp and hike. Locations include Zion, Bryce, and the Grand Canyon National Park. We also will stay in Page, Arizona and do a three day backpacking trip in Arizona. We will be camping each night, except for the first night in Vegas. Most meals are included in the price, unless we get the opportunity to go out. Students will need camping and backpacking gear.

## OR

If the district does not approve out of state travel, we will do a Southeast Alaska trip. We will fly into Ketchikan and spend time camping, hiking, and backpacking for the first week. Then we will take the ferry to Juneau and camp and hike in that area.

If all else fails, we will head out from Anchorage down the the Kenai Peninsula to backpack out of Seward and then head to Homer. The cost for this trip would be less than \$1200.

In each location, we will be hiking, camping, and backpacking, so students will need camping gear, a backpack, and will need to commit to being in relative decent shape.

FYI: Southeast Alaska is wet and raining during this time of year, so plan on bringing good raingear, rubber boots, and a good attitude.

Cost: \$1200 for either the Southwest USA trip or the Southeast AK trip

Credit: PE

Teachers: Leigh Anne and Brian

Grades:7-12, but preference will be given to older students