



Friday

FRIDAY
NIGHT
EVENTS!

TOTALLY FREE • TOTALLY FUN • 7:30-10:30PM

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JANUARY 5
Disney Night & Team Trivia
w/ Andrew Scott Denlinger Band (Rock)



JANUARY 19
Winter Freeze & Bus Karaoke

DUNKIN'

FEBRUARY 2
Donut Palooza & Duos Games

White Castle

FEBRUARY 16
Bingo &
Air Hockey Tournament



MARCH 1
Group Dance Night & Karaoke

DUNKIN'

MARCH 15
Green & Gold Night
w/ School of Rock Band (Rock)



APRIL 5
Game Show: Jeopardy
Food Battle: Grilled Cheese



APRIL 19
Astro Adventure & Karaoke
Art Studio: Galaxy Painting



MAY 3
Cinco De Mayo Celebration

DUNKIN'

MAY 17
Pickleball Extravaganza
w/ When The Sun Sets (Fresh Pop Punk)

meijer

MAY 31
Patio Grill & Chill w/ Karaoke



SORRY, NO OUTSIDE
FOOD/DRINKS PERMITTED.

FRIDAY NIGHTS
ARE ALWAYS FREE
WITH AN APPROVED
STUDENT MEMBERSHIP
APPLICATION ON FILE

SCAN BELOW FOR
FULL DETAILS ABOUT FRIDAY
NIGHTS AT THE BRIDGE!

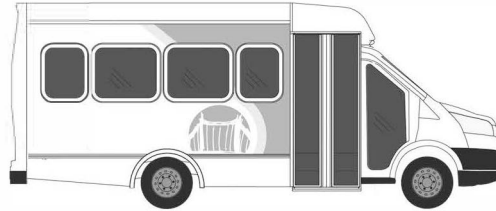


FRIDAY NIGHT PARKING LOT PICK-UP & DROP-OFF SAFETY

SCAN QR CODE (AT LEFT) FOR A VIDEO.



Free Bus Pick-Up
DURING THE SCHOOL YEAR!



**Need a ride to The Bridge
Teen Center after school?**

Our bus picks up at Summit Hill,
Orland Jr. High, Jerling, Arbor
Park, Central and Grissom!

Advance sign up
is required.

Scan the QR code
for complete details
or sign-up online at
thebridgeteencenter.org.



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In partnership with The Bridge Thrift Store,
we offer an innovative and individualized job
readiness training program for students. In
this volunteer role, students gain real
work experience, develop personal
and professional leadership skills,
and commit to completing a 4-tier
curriculum. **For complete details
and to apply, scan the QR code
at left, visit us online at
thebridgeteencenter.org,
or contact us directly at:**

volunteer@thebridgeteencenter.org
708.532.0500 Ext.108.

COMMUNITY SERVICE FOR STUDENTS

Group and individual volunteer opportunities are available year-round for
students looking to earn hours or give back to their community by serving at The
Bridge Thrift Store. Service can be scheduled during store hours. For complete
details, click on the "Volunteer/Intern" tab at www.thebridgeteencenter.org.



WELCOME NEW STUDENTS!

As summer approaches, we want all new
students (especially incoming 7th graders)
to maximize their FREE membership at
The Bridge. During **May Membership
Month**, new students are encouraged to
complete a Student Membership Application
and schedule an individual family tour.
More than 100 free programs will take
place over the summer, so don't miss out!
For more info, visit our website.

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THE BRIDGE TEEN CENTER® PROGRAM MAGAZINE WINTER/SPRING

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FAQs

WHAT IS THE BRIDGE TEEN CENTER?

We're a nonprofit community center for students in 7th-12th grade.

We offer award-winning FREE afterschool programs, Friday night
social events, and a job readiness program in partnership with our
sister organization - The Bridge Thrift Store. Since 2010, we have
served 12,500+ different students from 128 communities.

HOW DOES A STUDENT BECOME A MEMBER?

Click the "APPLY NOW" green button on our website. The Student
Membership Application (SMA) can be completed online or a hard
copy can be picked up. Students are required to fill out an SMA only
once. Once completed, signed by a parent/guardian, and approved
by staff, students have access to all of our free programs.

WHEN ARE YOU OPEN?

Our free afterschool programs take place on Tuesdays, Wednesdays,
and Thursdays from 2:00-6:00pm during the school year (and between
1:00-6:00pm in the summer). We are also open every other Friday Night
to students from 7:30-10:30pm. Community service and job readiness
programming is scheduled in advance during Thrift Store hours.

WHAT ARE "PROGRAM BUCKETS"?

Our programs are holistically-designed in
five different "buckets" (or categories):



SCAN THIS QR!

For program sign-up info,
community service details,
and many more FAQs!

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+ = *Special “ON MISSION” programs: PHYSICAL in February & SPIRITUAL in April. Supported in part by:*



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of Illinois



JANUARY–MARCH PROGRAMS: SIGN-UP BEGINS DECEMBER 19 AT 2PM
APRIL–MAY PROGRAMS: SIGN-UP BEGINS MARCH 12 AT 2PM
For full descriptions and to sign up, scan this QR or visit our website.



= *Designated “HANGOUT” programs. See website for details.*



Sponsor of Educational
Support programming.

JANUARY & FEBRUARY

- January 3 (Wed., 4:00-5:00)
DIY SKINCARE: LIP SCRUBS
w/ Jenna, Bridge Staffer
- January 3 (Wed., 5:00-6:00)
RELAX IN THE HIDEAWAY
- January 4 (Thurs., 4:00-5:15)
TAYLOR SWIFT TRIVIA & TREATS
w/ Summer, Bridge Staffer
- January 4 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE HANGOUT
- January 9 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: PANCAKES & CREPES
w/ Joliet Junior College Culinary Arts
- January 9 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
OPEN ART STUDIO & CANVAS PAINTING
- January 10 (Wed., 4:30-5:30)
DIY WORKSHOP: HOUSE PLANTS
w/ Jess, Bridge Staffer
- January 10 (Wed., 4:00-6:00)
PROJECT SERVE: THRIFT STORE
- January 11 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
STEM: VIDEO GAME DESIGN
w/ Code Ninjas
- January 11 (Thurs., 4:30-6:00)
YOUTUBE CREATORS WORKSHOP
w/ Gabby, Bridge Alumna
- January 11 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE HANGOUT
- January 15 (Mon., 2:00-4:00)
MLK FAMILY SERVICE PROJECT
- January 16 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
BIG ROOM HANGOUT & SPAGHETTI BAR
- January 16 (Tues., 4:15-5:45)
NO SEW POP TART PILLOWS
- January 17 (Wed., 4:00-6:00)
#SKILLS: PROCREATE DRAWING APP
w/ Apple
- January 17 (Wed., 4:30-5:30)
PROJECT GIVE: SOCK BUNDLES FOR HOMELESS SHELTERS w/ Bombas
- January 18 (Thurs., 4:00-5:00)
BLACK & WHITE PHOTOGRAPHY
w/ Four 12 Photography
- January 18 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
PING PONG PALOOZA
- January 18 (Thurs., 5:00-6:00)
SOUL CAFE: DEALING WITH UNCERTAINTY w/ Hope Enrichment Center
- January 23 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
DIY: HANDKNIT SCARVES w/ That Girl + Co.
- January 23 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE & BIG ROOM HANGOUT
- January 24 (Wed., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: HOMEMADE APPLE CRUMBLE
w/ Joy, Bridge Staffer
- January 24 (Wed., 4:15-5:15)
WOOL NEEDLE FELTING
w/ Melissa Ferriter, ATR
- January 25 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
STEM: MINI FORT-BUILDING KITS
- January 25 (Thurs., 4:15-6:00)
#SKILLS SPORTS: PICKLEBALL
w/ Silver Lake Country Club
- January 25 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
OPEN ART STUDIO & COZY DRINKS
- January 30 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: SPECIALTY PIZZAS
w/ Trader Joe's
- January 31 (Wed, 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: HANDMADE TORTELLINI PASTA w/ Farmhouse Academy
- February 1 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
BIG ROOM HANGOUT & FOOD BATTLES: FANCY HOT CHOCOLATE
- January 30 (Tues., 4:00-5:15)
OPEN ART STUDIO & CAFE HANGOUT
- January 30 (Tues., 4:15-5:30)
BEGINNING DRUMS
w/ Elliot Grant Drum Shop
- January 31 (Wed., 4:45-6:00)
HOMEWORK SUPPORT & BRAIN POWER SNACKS
- February 1 (Thurs., 4:15-5:30)
SOUL CAFE: HAPPINESS HABITS
- February 6 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE HANGOUT
- February 6 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
#SKILLS: POKER w/ Play Poker Chicago
- February 6 (Tues., 4:15-5:45)
WATERCOLORS: SHADOWS & HIGHLIGHTS
- February 7 (Wed., 4:00-5:15)
WINTER GARDENING: SEED STARTERS
w/ The Gardener Wife
- February 7 (Wed., 4:45-6:00)
WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE: ER DOCTOR
w/ Nicholas Cozzi, MD
- February 7 (Wed., 4:00-6:00)
GEARHEADS: AUTOMOTIVE LAB
w/ Moraine Valley Community College
- February 8 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
STEM: WEB DESIGN w/ Best Buy
- February 8 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
OPEN ART STUDIO & FRIENDSHIP BRACELETS
- February 13 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
KITCHEN HANGOUT & TACO TUESDAY
- February 14 (Wed., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: HEALTHY HEART-SHAPED SNACKS
w/ Mandi, Bridge Staffer
- February 15 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
AIR HOCKEY TOURNAMENT & GARAGE HANGOUT
- February 15 (Thurs., 4:15-6:00)
PROJECT SERVE: THRIFT STORE
- February 20 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
OPEN ART STUDIO
- February 20 (Tues., 4:15-5:30)
STEM OBSTACLE COURSE
w/ Moraine Valley Community College

FEBRUARY, MARCH & APRIL

- February 20 (Tues., 5:00-6:00)
SOUL CAFE: DECLUTTER YOUR MIND
w/ Genesis Therapy Center
- February 21 (Wed., 4:15-5:45)
SELF-DEFENSE w/ Polaris Martial Arts
- February 22 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
WALK TO DUNKIN & GARAGE HANGOUT
- February 22 (Thurs., 4:15-5:45)
BEGINNING VIOLIN
w/ Andrew Scott Denlinger
- February 27 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE HANGOUT & THRIFT STORE SHOPPING
- February 27 (Tues., 4:30-5:30)
RELAX IN THE HIDEAWAY
- February 28 (Wed., 4:45-6:00)
CALMING YOGA & YOGURT FOOD BAR
- February 29 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
PICTIONARY & POPCORN
- February 29 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
SEWING: MICROWAVE BOWL COZIES
w/ Stacey's Stitch Shop
- March 5 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
BIG ROOM & GARAGE HANGOUT
- March 6 (Wed., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: DIY COFFEE ROASTING
w/ Gost Coffee Roasters
- March 6 (Wed., 4:45-6:00)
HOMEWORK SUPPORT & BRAIN POWER SNACKS
- March 7 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
OPEN ART STUDIO & ANIME DRAWINGS
- March 7 (Thurs., 4:15-5:45)
#SKILLS SPORTS: FENCING
w/ Homewood-Flossmoor High School Fencing Club
- March 12 (Tues., 2:00)
APRIL & MAY PROGRAM SIGN-UP LIVE
- March 12 (Tues., 4:00-5:00)
DISNEY TRIVIA & CUPCAKES
- March 12 (Tues., 5:00-6:00)
GET MOTIVATED FOR SCHOOL & ROOT BEER FLOATS w/ Acorn Public Library
- March 13 (Wed., 4:15-5:30)
MOTION PHOTOGRAPHY
w/ Alison Therese Photography
- March 13 (Wed., 4:00-6:00)
BEHIND THE SCENES: THE SCOOP
- March 14 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: BBQ CHICKEN & HOMEMADE POTATO CHIPS w/ Chef Karla, RDN
- March 14 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
GARAGE HANGOUT & UNO COMPETITION
- March 19 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
CROCHET: LIP BALM HOLDERS
- March 19 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
BIG ROOM & HIDEAWAY HANGOUT
- March 20 (Wed., 4:00-5:00)
PROJECT GIVE: JARS OF SUNSHINE
- March 20 (Wed., 5:00-6:00)
SOUL CAFE: MUSIC & EMOTIONS
w/ Northwestern Medicine
- March 21 (Thurs., 4:00-5:15)
STEM: ROLLER COASTER CHALLENGE (MS ONLY) w/ Robinson Engineering
- March 21 (Thurs., 4:00-5:30)
OPEN ART STUDIO & CAFE HANGOUT
- March 21 (Thurs., 4:15-5:45)
WOODWORKING: CUSTOM SHOE RACKS w/ Operation Nehemiah
- March 26 (Tues., 3:00-5:00)
BUFFALO WINGS & GARAGE HANGOUT
- March 26 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
PROJECT SERVE: THRIFT STORE
- March 27 (Wed., 2:30-4:00)
OPEN ART STUDIO & COFFEE DRINKS
- March 27 (Wed., 4:00-5:00)
PRACTICE SELF-LED MEDITATION
- March 28 (Thurs., 2:00-4:00)
VIDEO GAME TOURNAMENT & HANGOUT
- April 2 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
KITCHEN HANGOUT AND PB & J SANDWICHES
- April 2 (Tues., 4:15-5:30)
BEGINNING ACOUSTIC GUITAR
- April 3 (Wed., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: FRENCH COOKING
w/ Tinley Park High School
- April 3 (Wed., 4:00-6:00)
BEHIND THE SCENES: TARGET
- April 4 (Thurs., 4:00-5:00)
LETTER-STAMPED CHARMS & KEYCHAINS
- April 4 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE HANGOUT
- April 4 (Thurs., 5:00-6:00)
SOUL CAFE: TURN ANXIETY INTO PEACE
- April 9 (Tues., 4:30-5:30)
WHAT IT'S LIKE TO BE: VETERINARIAN
w/ Mokena Animal Clinic
- April 10 (Wed., 4:15-5:15)
BRIDGE STAFF PETS
- April 11 (Thurs., 5:00-6:00)
FOSTERING ANIMALS
w/ NAWS Humane Society
- April 9 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
GARAGE HANGOUT & CHESS TOURNAMENT
- April 9 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
#SKILLS SPORTS: VOLLEYBALL
w/ Trinity Christian College
- April 10 (Wed., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: CHICK-FIL-A STAFF PICKS
- April 11 (Thurs., 4:00-5:15)
OPEN ART STUDIO

APRIL & MAY

- April 11 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
INTRO TO BILLIARDS w/ Professional Billiard Instructors Association
- April 16 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
WALK TO RAINBOW CONE & HANGOUT
- April 16 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
HANDCRAFTED SOAPS & WHIPPED BODY SCRUBS w/ 1111 Elm Candle & Soap Shoppe
- April 16 (Tues., 4:15-5:15)
CREATIVE PAINTING
- April 17 (Wed., 4:00-5:00)
BOHO JAR COVERS
- April 17 (Wed., 5:00-6:00)
STUDY HACKS & CHURROS
- April 18 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
GARAGE HANGOUT & DIY SUNDAES
- April 18 (Thurs., 4:15-5:30)
ALTERED THRIFT STORE ART
w/ Pekoe & Bean
- April 18 (Thurs., 4:30-5:30)
DIY: RECYCLED BIRD FEEDERS
w/ University of Illinois Extension
- April 23 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
OPEN ART STUDIO & CLAY CREATIONS
- April 23 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
PROJECT SERVE: THRIFT STORE
- April 24 (Wed., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: SMALL BITE APPETIZERS
w/ sip. Restaurant
- April 24 (Wed., 4:45-6:00)
TIK TOK HAIR TRENDS
- April 25 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
GARAGE HANGOUT
- April 25 (Thurs., 4:15-5:30)
REMOTE-CONTROLLED DRONES & AIRPLANES w/ Tinley Creek Remote Control
- April 25 (Thurs., 4:30-5:30)
MICROGREEN SEEDS w/ Taproot Farms
- April 30 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
LEAD U: WHAT ARE YOUR SUPERPOWERS? (HS ONLY)
- April 30 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
OPEN ART STUDIO & CAFE HANGOUT
- May 1 (Wed., 4:30-5:30)
PROJECT GIVE: MOTHER'S DAY FLORALS
w/ Internode Greenery & Home
- May 2 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
HANGOUT & COOKIE SANDWICHES
- May 2 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
BEHIND THE SCENES: MACY'S
- May 7 (Tues., 4:00-5:00)
MOTHER'S DAY THRIFT STORE SHOPPING
- May 7 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
BIG ROOM HANGOUT AND CHIPS & SALSA
- May 7 (Tues., 5:00-6:00)
FINALS PREP & NACHO BAR (HS ONLY) w/ Stagg High School
- May 8 (Wed., 4:00-6:00)
LIVE ESCAPE ROOMS w/ Escapology
- May 8 (Wed., 4:15-5:45)
PROJECT SERVE: THRIFT STORE
- May 8 (Wed., 4:15-6:00)
PLANT THE BRIDGE HERB GARDEN w/ Fox at the Fork Farm
- May 14 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
PLANT THE BRIDGE FLOWER GARDEN w/ Priscilla, Bridge Founder
- May 15 (Wed., 4:00-6:00)
SPRING WILDFLOWER HIKE
w/ Trinity Christian College
- May 16 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
PLANT THE BRIDGE VEGGIE GARDEN w/ Priscilla, Bridge Founder
- May 9 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
BINGO & GARAGE HANGOUT
- May 9 (Thurs., 5:00-6:00)
SOUL CAFE: FRIENDSHIP GOALS
w/ Hope Enrichment Center
- May 14 (Tues., 3:45-5:00)
OPEN ART STUDIO & CANVAS PAINTINGS (MS ONLY)
- May 14 (Tues., 5:00-6:00)
SOUL CAFE: STRATEGIES TO STRESS LESS w/ Roots of Resilience
- May 15 (Wed., 4:00-5:45)
PATIO HANGOUT & PIZZA PARTY
- May 16 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE HANGOUT
- May 16 (Thurs., 4:15-5:30)
GEARHEADS: BATTERIES & SPARK PLUGS w/ Bettenhausen Auto
- May 21 (Tues., 4:00-5:45)
BIG ROOM & GARAGE HANGOUT
- May 22 (Wed., 4:30-5:30)
PROJECT SERVE: LITTER PICK
- May 23 (Thurs., 4:00-5:45)
PATIO HANGOUT & OUTDOOR GAMES
- May 23 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
GOAT YOGA (HS ONLY)
w/ Nature's Trail Yoga
- May 28 (Tues., 4:00-5:30)
CULINARY: SUMMER SLIDERS
w/ Matt, Bridge Staffer
- May 28 (Tues., 4:00-6:00)
GARAGE HANGOUT & BANANA SPLITS
- May 29 (Wed., 4:15-5:30)
OPEN ART STUDIO & SUMMER BUCKET LIST
- May 30 (Thurs., 4:00-6:00)
PATIO HANGOUT & FRESH SUMMER DRINKS