

Local After-School Programs*

Boys and Girls Clubs of America.

To inspire and enable all young people, especially those from disadvantaged circumstances, to realize their full potential as productive, responsible and caring citizens.

Hours During the School Year: Monday- Friday, 2:30-7 pm

Nassau County Clubs are open from 2-7 pm

Holiday Hours: 8 am-6 pm

www.bgca.org/whowere/Pages/FindaClub.aspx

M3Zone at JaxParks

This unique after-school program places a special emphasis on combating childhood obesity. Its focus is keeping kids active and encouraging healthy eating habits. Education, social and art components round out the program, making it a great experience for kids.

M3Zone locations list:

Balis Community Center, 1513 LaSalle St., 904.306.2148

Blue Cypress Center, 4012 University Blvd. N, 904.745.5466

Burnett Center, 3740 Burnett Park Rd., 904.268.7510

Carvill Center, 1302 Carvill Ave., 904.764.0516

Clanzel T. Brown Center, 4545 Moncrief Rd., 904.765.5282

Cuba Hunter Center, 4380 Bedford Rd., 904.858.1366

Dinsmore Center, 7126 Civic Club Dr., 904.924.5330

Edith Brown Ford Center, 2839 W. Beaver St., 904.388.2640

Henry T. Jones Center, 3856 Grant Rd., 904.399.0615

Julian W. Barrs Center, 10151 Crystal Springs Rd., 904.693.4909

Legends Center, 5130 Soutel Dr., 904.255.4050

McGirts Creek Center, 8435 118th St., 904.573.3183

Oceanway Center, 12215 Sago Ave. W., 904.751.3386

Robert F. Kennedy Center, 1133 Ionia St., 904.630.0933

Windy Hill Center, 10540 Anders Blvd., 904.565.2669

[www.coj.net/departments/parks,-recreation-and-community-services/recreation-and-community-programming/after-school-\(m3zone\).aspx](http://www.coj.net/departments/parks,-recreation-and-community-services/recreation-and-community-programming/after-school-(m3zone).aspx)

Police Athletic League of Jacksonville (PAL)

PAL's after-school program provides academic support, character development and enrichment activities, such as field trips, sports and arts. The program is offered to children between the ages of 5 and 14 at all PAL locations from 2:30-6:30 pm.

Staffed by certified teachers and trained youth development educators, our after-school program serves an average of 600 students each school year in a safe and structured environment. All sites provide a nutritional snack or a hot meal to ensure the children have enough energy to be active participants.

Northside PAL Program Manager: Dr. Fay Davis | 904.854.6555, Ext. 317

Eastside PAL Program Manager: Shaneka Russell | 904.854.6555, Ext. 323

Monument PAL Program Manager: Sheila Heath | 904.854.6555, Ext. 325

Westside PAL Program Manager: CoSundra Fanner | 904.854.6555, Ext. 326

R.L. Brown TEAM UP Program Manager: Kowana Kaniaru | 904.630.6570, Ext. 238

Palm Avenue TEAM UP Program Manager: Jo Mansell | 904.693.7516, Ext. 138

jaxpal.com/programs/after-school/

O2B Kids

Our after-school programs have been accredited by the Council on Accreditation and the National Accreditation Commission for Early Care and Education Programs. This means we have met or exceeded standards of quality set forth by these national agencies.

Once your child arrives at O2B Kids, he/she will meet his/her counselor and friends in a designated Group Spot to start the fun. There are four segments to every day:

- Snack
- Homework
- Specialty class
- Neighborhood Time

*Additional and updated programs listed online at www.HJCOPC.org

Program provided by:



Field trips are offered occasionally and will alter the traditional daily schedule. A nutritious snack is provided each afternoon to ensure that your child has the energy to have a BLAST!

Each afternoon, the children have designated homework time. Counselors are available to help if needed. Neighborhood Time is a time to give kids a choice of things to do – just as they would experience in a safe neighborhood of yesteryear. Choices include a combination of program calendar classes, non-scripted inside and outside play, and counselor-led activities. This provides crucial time for your child to explore, make choices, develop friendships and gain independence. Our counselors are stationed in zones to facilitate safe play.

<http://www.o2bkids.com/Locations.aspx>

YMCA After-School Programs

Before- and after-school care are part of the YMCA's history of dedication to youth and children's services. It was established to meet the needs of working parents in the community while providing their children a fun, safe, enriching environment that would promote the YMCA's four core values of caring, honesty, respect and responsibility. Our program offers a variety of daily activities focusing on academic support, character development, physical fitness and proper nutrition, under the leadership of qualified, professional staff.

Before and After-School Sites

| County | Branch | Licensed Site | Serving Children From: |
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| Clay | DYE CLAY FAMILY YMCA | All Clay County Elementary Schools | |
| | BARCO-NEWTON FAMILY YMCA | | |
| Duval* | JOHNSON FAMILY YMCA | Tiger Academy | |
| | WILLIAMS FAMILY YMCA | duPont YMCA Campus | Beauclerc Elementary Crown Point Elementary Kings Trail Elementary Loretto Elementary Mandarin Oaks Elementary Pine Forest Elementary San Jose Elementary duPont Middle School (AM only) Mandarin Middle School (AM only) |
| Nassau | MCARTHUR FAMILY YMCA | Atlantic Kids Campus | Emma Love Hardee Elementary Fernandina Beach Middle School Southside Elementary |
| | | Bryceville Elementary | |
| | | Callahan Elementary | |
| | | Callahan Intermediate | |
| | | Yulee Kids Campus | Yulee Elementary Yulee Primary Yulee Middle School |
| St. Johns | ST. AUGUSTINE FAMILY YMCA | Hartley Elementary | |
| | | Ketterlinus Elementary | |
| | PONTE VEDRA YMCA | Ocean Palms Elementary | |

*If your child attends a Duval County school that is not listed, please contact the duPont Y as we are always interested in expanding our services.

<http://firstcoastymca.org/programs/child-care/>

Bricks for Kidz

Bricks 4 Kidz® programs provide a unique, hands-on approach for educational play using LEGO® Bricks, motors and Jr. Robotics software. Kids explore and collaborate using our unique lessons, proprietary model plans, themed learning units and project kits. The activities are designed to trigger children's lively imagination while building self-confidence, spatial understanding, and problem-solving skills.

Area: Northside/Airport

904.635.7454

Area: Beaches/Mayport

904.599.5886

www.bricksforkids.com

Bridge (BUS) program

Provides before- and after-school homework assistance, positive youth development, nutrition and recreational activities. The BUS program is accredited by the National School Age Care Alliance (NSACA). The Bridge operates a "holistic" model that addresses academics, health, social enrichment, mentoring, job skills training and jobs.

Every day, BUS staff battles the academic and social problems facing children living in extreme poverty. Bridge Urban Springfield students learn and grow through:

- Reading/ math skills
- FCAT/ homework help
- Daily nutritious snack and evening meal
- Health and dental care
- Mental health counseling
- Straight Talk sexuality education
- Job skills training and employment
- Sports activities
- Art classes
- Mentoring
- Dance and step
- Field trips
- Sports activities

1824 Pearl St., Jacksonville, FL 32206

904.354.7799

www.bridgejax.com

Community Connections

We serve low-income children from the residents of our Davis Center from six weeks to five years of age in our four-star, state-of-the-art program. Age-appropriate activities encourage positive and healthy development. Our Center offers Voluntary Pre-Kindergarten (VPK); a low teacher-to-child ratio; and breakfast, lunch and afternoon snacks provided at no additional cost.

After-school programs are available at five sites including:

TEAM UP sites at Hyde Grove, Martin Luther King, Jr., and Oak Hill Elementary Schools; four community-based sites offering supervised homework assistance; tutoring programs; the NFL Play

60 physical fitness program; engaging field trips; and the Jaguars' Honor Rows location.

327 E. Duval St., Jacksonville, FL 32203

904.350.9949

www.communityconnectionsjax.org

Creative Minds Academy

Creative Minds Academy's Aftercare Program offers academic and recreational programs for children after school. In addition, special programs for early-release and no-school days, as well as programs for the winter, spring, and summer breaks, are offered.

Deerwood

10550 Deerwood Park Blvd South

Suite 704

Jacksonville, FL 32256

904.379.8126

Durbin

14985 Old St. Augustine Road

Suite 120

Jacksonville, FL 32258

904.880.8588

www.creativemindsacademyfl.com

MaliVai Washington Kids Foundation - TnT

TnT is a daily after-school program focusing on our K-5th grade students. TnT (Tennis-n-Tutoring) operates from 3-6 pm in the MaliVai Washington Youth Center. TnT is comprised of three sessions daily which provide academic assistance, tennis/fitness activities and life skills classes. Each child also receives a nutritious snack daily. The program offers: academic support through homework assistance and mentors; tennis and fitness classes focusing on nutrition; introduction to the sport of tennis and practice for competitive play; and life skills and enrichment classes which are age appropriate and range from basic hygiene to pregnancy prevention. All students participate in community service activities and have the opportunity to go on enrichment field trips based on reaching pre-determined goals.

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