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Recreation program offers fun for all ages

Summer is a time for exploration and growth. With that in mind, the Gladstone Community Education program provides a broad array of classes, camps, and activities for youths and adults.

“We urge families to sign up now because these popular programs fill very quickly,” said Sue Surratt, Community Schools Coordinator.

Youth options include driver education, hip-hop, jazz, ballet and contemporary dance, as well as martial arts like tae kwon do and aikido. Dozens of sports, arts, cheer, drama, and sports camps are also offered.

Adult options range from technology and crafts to canning, ukulele, investing, country-dance, yoga and water exercise.

To register, visit: <https://apm.activecommunities.com/gladstonesdcomm>

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Gladstone seeks applicants for School Board vacancy

The Gladstone School Board invites applicants for Position 3, recently vacated by the resignation of Carlos Castañeda. The person appointed will serve from June 14, 2017 to June 30, 2019. Applicants must be registered voters who have lived in the Gladstone School District for at least one year.

Applications, due May 24, are available on-line at <http://ow.ly/9RoK30bE9ut> They should be emailed to weningern@gladstone.k12.or.us or delivered to the Gladstone District Office at 17789 Webster Road, Gladstone, OR 97027.

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Gladstone urges kindergarten families to register for fall

Children turning age five by September 1 are invited to register for kindergarten. To get an application packet, drop by the Gladstone Center for Children and Families [GCCF] at 18905 Portland Avenue or call Heidi Smith at 503.496.3939.

“Families are urged to register as soon as possible so we can get to know their child’s unique needs and prepare for them to join our school community,” said Carol Kemhus, Gladstone kindergarten director.

Families are invited to turn in their completed registration packets on Monday, June 5 from 9:30 to 11 a.m. or from 5 to 7 p.m. at the GCCF.