

Summer Opportunities for Enrichment

Bucks County Community College is holding a **mock trial camp** for grades 9 – 12 the week of June 29th-July 2nd for anyone who wants a head start on this club. You can receive further information about this at www.bucks.edu/con-ed.

You are the jury, you decide! "Legal justice is the art of the good and the fair." Examine and discuss cases made up by students and judged by the N.J. State Bar Association through debate and mock trial simulations. You will be captivated by the challenge of these dramatic role-playing experiences as legislators, judges, and interest groups. "Ladies and Gentlemen, the case is in your hands." Bobbi Schoenstadt, M.Ed. \$189 (includes all materials)/RCHYC 5724 C01

Bucks County Community College – Those **high school students**, who have tested to take Bucks County Community College Courses, don't forget you can attend any Bucks County Campus and take courses for which you qualify. This would include taking Cyber courses through Bucks Community right in your own home. There are actually several hundred they offer. Visit www.bucks.edu for additional course offerings. Your child will receive dual credit for high school and also receive college credit.

Students do not need to be *advanced* students to take these college courses, but they do need to qualify by taking a two and one half hour exam. The exam will measure entrance level reading, writing and math skills. This exam will be administered by the college personnel at our Plumstead High School on April 22nd 3:15 PM. Several weeks following the administration of the test, the college will meet with me, as principal, to identify the students who qualify for the college level courses. If your child cannot make this testing date and you need to set up an appointment with the testing center at Bucks, call them at 215-968-8460. Let them know you are from PCS and you are under the dual enrollment plan (so you are not charged for the testing).

Cyber Courses - Have you considered enrichment or a review of material in a certain subject area for your child this summer through Cyber Courses? These courses may be taken in the comfort of your home and receive credits for your child's college transcript. Each cyber course costs \$400 and checks should be made out to PCS. Visit our website for some courses being offered. For further information contact Cyber teacher, Mrs. Rose Burgman, or the principal, Mrs. Dawn Miller.

SAT Prep If your child has completed Geometry and is interested in receiving SAT Prep over the summer, you may be interested in taking a SAT prep with ePrep.com. If completed this course suggests that your child could improve 200 points or more on the SATs. If interested in this option, write a check to PCS and contact Mr. Dressler or Mrs. Miller

Writing Workshop- Interested in taking a course in Creative Writing, Fantasy, Science-Fiction and Horror, Writing with Computers, or Creative Writing for Teens Using Visual Arts, then visit the Pennsylvania Writing and Literature Project Website at www.PAWLP.org. These courses are offered in North Wales, Souderton, Hatboro, Doylestown, Warrington, Jamison and Yardley, as well as several other sites. A limited number of scholarships are also available.

Other Websites to Check Out

http://www.mercermuseum.org/outreach_programs.htm

<http://www.theatreartscenter.com/BUCKSCOUNTY.htm>

Consider hiring a teacher or a former student to tutor your child over the summer. An updated tutoring list is being formed and will be placed on our website shortly.

