M.A.Y Mentoring Newsletter

March 2025



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Support Women's Basketball

February 18, 2025

M.A.Y Mentoring matches took time to support the Lady Fillies Basketball Team as they made it to district basketball. They hosted Nodaway Valley at Home which gave us a chance to come out together as a group and watch the girls play but support them as they worked very hard this year. The Lady Fillies Basketball team came home with the win that night.



Campin with the Cops

February 2025

Do you have a 9-12 year old student in the Shenandoah Community School District that loves Fishing. Camping in tents, Archery, Hiking. Swimming... Campin with the Cops is a collaborative program between M.A.Y Mentoring and the Shenandoah Police Department -Iowa. We want to encourage positive interactions amongst our youth with the Police Department and help our students to develop leadership skills and learn about being a good citizen in our community. Registration is currently open and will close on March 28, 2025. Please register by hovering your phone over the QR code.

All selected participants will be notified by May 15, 2025. If you have any questions please contact Lindsey Roberts at robertslin@shenandoah.k12.ia.us or call 712-246-2520.



We are taking sign-up for Campin with the Cops When: June 4-6, 2025 Where: Lake Icaria Who is eligible: All students ages 9-12 in the Shenandoah Community School District. Register: Click on the QR Code to apply. Registration ends March 28, 2025 @ 5:00pm





This is a completely free event through M.A.Y Mentoring and the Shenandoah Police Department. We will be camping, fishing, kayaking, swimming, land navigating, hiking, team building and learning leadership and character building skills.

Mentor Recruitment

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If you know anyone that might be a good fit for the M.A.Y Mentoring program please encourage them to contact me to become a mentor. The commitment is 4 hours a month for 1 year. The program hosts a 2 hour event every month to engage mentors/mentees so really the mentor and mentee only need to meet 2 hours a month outside the event. We have several waiting students who want to get a mentor and would love to be participating in the program. We thank you in advance for helping spread the word and keep this program strong.



Make a difference in your community and help us to inspire, connect and encourage our youth.

M.A.Y Mentoring requirements:

- ★ A I year commitment
- ★ I hour a week or 2 hours every other week contact
- ★ Pre-planned monthly M.A.Y Activities
- ★ Ongoing training and support for mentors

We have several waiting children

If interested contact: Lindsey Roberts <u>Maymentoring@shencsd.com</u> 712-246-2520

M.A.Y Event Yearly- Calendar

2024-2025

March March 18, 2025 (5:30-7:30 pm) Cocoa and Canvas with Miss Liv March 30, 2025 (TBA) Swimming Party © Clarinda Lied Library <u>April</u> April 13, 2025 (2:00-4:00 pm) Easter Scavenger Hunt & Kite Flying April 2025 (TBA) Volunteer at Blessing Room <u>May</u> May 4, 2025 (TBA) Sew a pillowcase with Scrap Happy Quilters May 8, 2025 (5:30-7:30 Pm) Yogurt, Yoga and You <u>June</u> June 14, 2025 (8:30-3:00 pm) M.A.Y Zoo Trip

School Events

Upcoming 2024-2025 <u>May</u> May 16, 2025 End of the Year Carnival

Early Out Wednesdays

February 2025

The events are on Wednesday from 2:00-4:00 pm at the Wesley Hall building located 200 Church Street. We provide healthy snacks, fun activities such as art, nature, kindness, healthy mind and body, good citizens and community helpers. If your student is wanting to join please sign up using the following link:

https://forms.gle/M7SYXFGJPrYTFXRNG this gives us a head count and knows who we are meeting at the bus stop. You will need to make the changes in SchoolPass for your child to ride the second round SAC and SAVE bus. The bus does actually stop in front of the building.

Join the MAY Mentoring Facebook page for more information.

Winter/Spring 2025 - Topics

January 8; Yetis January 15; Showman January 22; Winter Animals January 29; Icicles February 5; Hearts February 12; Love/Valentines Day February 19; Winter Birds February 26; Winter March 12; St. Patrick's Day March 19; Shamrocks March 26; Spring Flowers April 2; Spring Animals April 9; Rainbows April 16; Easter April 23; Rainy Days April 30, Rabbits May 7; Kites May 14; Sidewalk Chalk



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Date: Wednesdays Time: 2:00 PM-4:00 PM Place: Wesley Hall Building 200 Church St Shenandoah, iowa Come join us for fun activities, crafts, 9ames, and a snack.