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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: SUMMER OF EXCELLENCE OFFERS SOMETHING FOR ALL AGES

CHARLESTON, IL--Mail-in registrations are now being accepted for Eastern Illinois University's Summer of Excellence for children ages 4 and up through adults.

The theme of this year's program is "The Aventure Series." Sponsored by Eastern's School of Adult and Continuing Education, the series will feature 34 classes, ranging from fiddling, dancing, clowning, painting, and drawing to acting, story telling, singing, jewelry-making, sculpting, and fishing.

Classes will be held Monday through Thursday on the Eastern campus and will run on a staggered series schedule with the first group beginning June 8 and the final offering concluding July 23.

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SUMMER ADVENTURE SERIES

Program Director Kaylin Johns said classes are small, allowing participants to learn and explore in a friendly, noncompetitive nature. Instructors are selected for their interest and knowledge of subject matter and their ability to develop courses that stimulate participants' imaginations and enrich the learning experience.

"In one class, children will learn how to take a picture with a camera made from an oatmeal box and then develop the film into a photograph. In another, they will learn how to build their own rockets from kits and then launch them. A new class for parents will teach them how to better communicate with their teenagers," Johns said.

Course fees range from \$24 to \$72. A limited number of need-assessed and general scholarships are available to students.

For scholarship information and a complete listing of summer offerings and registration form, call the School of Adult and Continuing Education at 581-5116. Mail-in registrations only will be accepted.

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NOTE TO THE EDITOR: Attached is a listing of Summer of Excellence classes. Following is a listing of the Summer of Excellence classes including course title, age levels, dates, times and instructors and class costs.

Classes starting June 8

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Ballet - ages 4-8 - June 8 - 18 (M - Th) - 1-2 pm -Shannon Hendrix - \$32 Dinosauring - ages 6-7 - June 8 - 18 (M-Th) - 10:30 - 11:30 am -Kathy Biggs - \$36 11:30 am- 12:30 pm -Pat Art & Stories - ages 6-8 - June 8 - 18 (M-Th) -Mahler - \$37 Bubbles, Water & Air - ages 6-8 - June 8 - 18 (M-Th) - 12 noon - 1 pm Kathy Biggs - \$36 Computer Keyboarding For Kids - ages 8-12 - June 8-18 (M-Th) -10:30 - 11:30 am -Karla Waltman - \$32 Arts & Crafts For Busy Hands - ages 8-15 - June 8 - 18 (M-Th) - 9 - 11 am Pat Mahler - \$72 Paper, Plastic Jewelry & More - ages 8 - Adult - June 8 - 18 (M-Th) -11:00 am - 12 noon - Dorothy Bennett - \$37 Fairytale Threatre - ages 9-10 - June 8 - 18 (M-Th) - 2 - 3 pm. - Kathy Biggs - \$36 Be Your Own Cheerleader - ages 9-14 - June 8 - 18 (M - Th) -1 - 2 pm -Melanie McKee - \$35 Bass Fishing: Level 1 - ages 10 - Adult - June 8 - 11 (M-Th) -8 - 9:30 am - Alex Russell - \$24 Books & Fancy Paperwork - ages 10 - Adult - June 8 - 11 (M-Th) -1:30 - 3:30 pm - Pat Mahler - \$40 Clown-A-Round - ages 12 - Adult - June 8 - 16 (M-Th & M, Tu) -6:30 - 8:30 pm. Diane Little - \$58 Introduction To Computer Keyboarding - ages 13 - Adult - June 8-18 (M-Th) - 11:30 am - 12:30 pm. - Karla Waltman - \$32 How To Communicate With Your Teenager - ages Adult - June 9,11,16,18 6:30 - 8:30 pm. -Melanie McKee - \$42 Classes starting June 15 Fun With Mother Goose - ages 4-5 - June 15-25 (M-Th) 9 - 10 am. - Pat Beasley - \$36 Fused Glass Jewelry - ages 9-15 - June 15-25 (M-Th) - 1-3 pm -David Pooley - \$66 Bass Fishing: Level 2 - ages 10 - Adult - June 15-18 (M-Th) 7 - 8:30 am.-

Alex Russell - \$24

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Classes starting June 22 French For The Very Jung - ages 6-8 - June 22 - July 2 - Th) -9 - 10 am - Diane Weidner - \$33 Modern Dance - ages 8-11 - June 22 - July 2 (M-Th) - 1 - 2 pm. - Shannon Hendrix -\$32 Jaberwocky: Beast & Monster - ages 8 - 12 - June 22 - July 2 (M-Th) 10:30 - 11:30 am. -Jeanne Goble - \$34 Fun With Beginning French - ages 9 - 12 - June 22 - July 2 (M-Th) 11:30 am - 12:30 pm. - Diane Weidner - \$32 Summer Show Choir - ages 10 - 12 - June 22 - July 2 (M-Th) -8:30 - 10 am. - Janna Tobey - \$52 Classes Starting June 29 Moving With Music - ages 4 - 6 - June 29 - July 9 (M-Th) - 10 - 11 am -Madeline Ignazito - \$34 Musical Keyboarding - ages 8 - 12 - June 29 - July 9 (M-Th) - 1 - 2 pm -Madeline Ignazito - \$42 Pinhole Photography - ages 10 - Adult - June 29 - July 2 (M-Th) 9 - 11 am - Dorothy Bennett - \$37 Classes Starting July 6 Family Fiddling - all ages - July 6 - 16 - (M - Th)6:30 - 7:30 pm - Gave Harrison - \$32 Musical Theatre - ages 7 - 14 - July 6 - 16 (M-Th)- 9 - 11 am. - Gina Swickard - Final performance open to public July 16 - \$69 Backyard Naturalist - ages 8 - 14 - July 6 - 16 (M-Th) - 9:30 - 11am Field Trip to Fox Ridge State Park July 16 9 - noon - Jackie Worden \$56 Constructing Wood Sculptures - ages 9 - 15 - July 6 - 16 (M-Th) -11 am - 1 pm - Dave Pooley - \$66 Introduction To French Language & Culture - ages 12 and up - July 6 - 16 (M-Th) - 12 noon - 1 pm - Diane Weidner - \$34 Creative Movement - ages 12 - Adult - July 6 - 16 (M-Th) - 1 - 2 pm -Shannon Hendrix - \$32 Fiddling For Adults - ages advanced youth - adults - July 6 - 16 (M-Th) -7:30 - 8:30 pm - Gaye Harrison - \$32 Classes Starting July 13 Computer Programming - ages 7-12 - July 13-23 (M-Th) 9 - 10:30 am -Anneliese Payne - \$52 Fun With Rocketry - ages 8 - 12 - July 13-23 (M-Th) - 11am - 12 noon -Anneliese Payne - \$40