

Common Room Activities

Have fun speaking English, playing games, watching movies, and much more!

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS, starting around 4:30

FREE DRINKS & SNACKS!

APRIL

Tuesday, APRIL 17th

MY WORD ~ Larry Pudwill

Teams play a four-letter word card game.

Thursday, APRIL 19th

VOLUNTEERING=THE NEW WAY TO TRAVEL

~ John Lenihan

Learn about different ways you can make your travel more REAL, interesting and meaningful. Be a volunteer and meet the real people in the real world.

Tuesday, APRIL 24th

ENGLISH THROUGH SUPERSTITIONS ~ Karen Yasuda

In this activity, we will discuss how superstitions help us to understand other cultures.

Thursday, APRIL 26th

QUIZ GAME ~ Terry Wacholtz

Teams try to answer questions for prizes.

MAY

Tuesday, MAY 8th

MOVIE ENGLISH TIPS ~ Bill Brooks

Learn English through film clips from the latest movies.

Thursday, MAY 17th

FAVORITE BOOKS ~ Benny Mejchar

I will introduce two of my favorite books and explain why I like them, and how they have changed my life or way of thinking. Please bring a book you would like to share if you wish.

Tuesday, MAY 22nd

TEA TIME ~ Paul Lewis

Come chat and try some delicious teas from around the world.

Thursday, MAY 24th

WORLD TRAVEL ~ Andriy Ivanchenko

Talk in English about your travel experiences and travel plans: dream destinations, preparations, getting there, safety tips and so on.

JUNE

Tuesday, JUNE 5th

WORD GAMES ~ Allen Williams

Play Boggle, a timed word game. Compete to make the most unique words from the scrambled letters.

Thursday, JUNE 7th

LIAR! LIAR! ~ Anthony Piccolo

A story-telling game that takes imagination, logic, and the use of English to ask and answer questions.

Tuesday, JUNE 12th

HOW DO YOU SAY IT IN ENGLISH? ~ Tetsuya Nishimura

What do you call "purikura" or "keitai" in English? Do you know the difference between "shrine" and "temple"? What about "manga" and "anime"? Come see how you can explain and talk about Japanese things in English.

Thursday, JUNE 14th

CANADIAN POP ~ Chris Armstrong

Listen to Canadian music, old and new. Games and prizes.

Tuesday, JUNE 19th

LET THE GAMES BEGIN ~ Charles Lacey

Use English for negotiating purposes.

Tuesday, JUNE 26th

SCRABBLE DAY ~ Scott Greene

Learn to play Scrabble, an English word game. A small prize for the student with the best score.

Thursday, JUNE 28th

TEA & SCONES CHAT ~ Alun Davies

Chat over tea and scones served with butter, strawberry jam, and cream.

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SEPTEMBER

Tuesday, SEPTEMBER 25th

MY WORD ~ Larry Pudwill

Teams play a four-letter word card game.

Thursday, SEPTEMBER 27th

QUIZ GAME ~ Terry Wacholtz

Teams try to answer questions for prizes.

OCTOBER

Tuesday, OCTOBER 2nd

WORD GAMES ~ Allen Williams

Play UpWords, a little like Scrabble. Stack letters to make new words instead of having to spell out entirely new words.

Tuesday, OCTOBER 9th

TEA TIME ~ Paul Lewis

Come chat and try some delicious teas from around the world.

Tuesday, OCTOBER 16th

TRIVIA OLYMPICS ~ Bill Brooks

Ask and answer questions about history, current events, entertainment, culture, etc., and win prizes.

Tuesday, OCTOBER 23rd

LET THE GAMES BEGIN ~ Charles Lacey

Use English for negotiating purposes.

Thursday, OCTOBER 25th

Describing in English ~ Teobesta

Play fun, fast, competitive (group) games to practise describing. Prizes.

NOVEMBER

Thursday, NOVEMBER 1st

A SILENT MOVIE SAMPLER ~ Anthony Piccolo

Charlie, Buster, and Harold! Who?? Come find out and practice using English in a surprising way. Plus, watch some of the funniest scenes ever put on film.

Tuesday, NOVEMBER 6th

HOW DO YOU SAY IT IN ENGLISH? ~ Tetsuya Nishimura

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Thursday, NOVEMBER 8th

CANADIAN POP ~ Chris Armstrong

Listen to Canadian music, old and new. Games and prizes.

Thursday, NOVEMBER 15th

FAVORITE BOOKS ~ Benny Mejchar

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Tuesday, NOVEMBER 20th

SHREK MOVIE FESTIVAL ~ Scott Greene

Watch *Shrek* (subtitled in Japanese). Discussion afterwards.

Tuesday, NOVEMBER 27th

SHREK MOVIE FESTIVAL ~ Scott Greene

Watch *Shrek* (subtitled in Japanese). Discussion.

DECEMBER

Thursday, December 6th

TEA & SCONES CHAT ~ Alun Davies

Chat over tea and scones served with butter, strawberry jam, and cream.

Thursday, DECEMBER 13th

WORLD TRAVEL ~ Andriy Ivanchenko

Talk in English about your travel experiences and travel plans: dream destinations, preparations, getting there, safety tips and so on.

Thursday, DECEMBER 20th

EIBEI CHRISTMAS PARTY ~ John Lenihan

Songs, Books, Xmas Cards, Photos, Food, Quizzes Xmas Lights and a special visit from Santa! Wear RED & GREEN. Bring a 300 yen gift for Gift Exchange.