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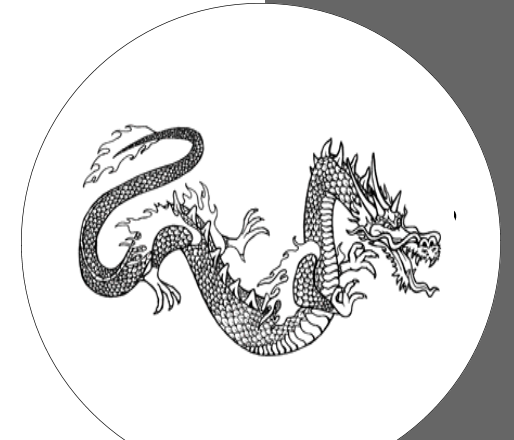
The staff at Mitchell Park Teen Center welcome you to the 2009/2010 School Year. The Teen center known as “The Drop” is a safe, fun and nurturing place for Palo Alto teens.

We strive to teach teens to breakdown social and racial barriers, to have respect for space, to think before you act, and to realize that their goals are obtainable. Please stop by for a tour or call us for more information about the “Drop” or any City of Palo Alto programs. Please use us as a resource for everything having to do with teens. Become a member today and become a part of the Mitchell Park Teen Center Community. It is a place where leaders or born and fun is a requirement.



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## THE DROP

CITY OF PALO ALTO TEEN CENTER

*MONDAY - FRIDAY  
3PM - 5:30PM  
WEDNESDAYS  
2 PM - 5:30PM*

## DROP MEMBERSHIP

All Participants who wish to visit "The Drop" **must be a registered member.** Once the membership packet is complete, participants will be given a photo I.D. membership card. Members will be required to scan their cards upon arrival and departure from the center.

Once a member, teens can; play the Nintendo Wii, get help in our homework center, play air hockey, play dodge ball, listen to music, visit the computer lab, hang out with friends and much much more!



## COMPUTER LAB

In our Computer Lab surf the net or play a game. The computer lab has 10 computers and is a great place for teens to complete their writing assignments or get news information for research projects and to play age appropriate computer games. Participants must complete a user agreement form. Internet use will be restricted and closely monitored.



*Registration is FREE*

## HOMEWORK CENTER

One unique feature of our teen center is our Homework Center and our computer lab. Mitchell park is the perfect place to come complete home work. We provide homework assistance if needed and a quiet encouraging environment to complete assignments. We also work closely with students and parents to help make students feel supported academically and emotionally.



## OTHER FEATURES...

The Teen Center puts on a variety of special events every year, including International week, New Year's Festival, Girl's Night, a Teenpower Workshop, just to name a few. In addition to special events we host several Parent Education evenings ranging in topic from teen health to teen stress. Last but not least we offer Day trips during school holidays and a Spring Break Camp. These are just some of the highlights of our program come and experience it yourself!



## MITCHELL PARK DANCES

Teen dances are grade specific, well supervised and open to all teens living or going to school in Palo Alto. Come listen to all the major hits as our professional "DJ" keeps the dance floor moving. Code of conduct strictly enforced.



## 2009/2010 Ticket Information PRE SALE TICKETS ONLY!

Buy your tickets at the Mitchell Park or Lucie Stern community centers the week before the dance.

**NO TICKETS WILL BE SOLD AT THE DOOR.**

### 2009/2010 Dance Dates

September 18th– 7th and 8th Grades  
 October 9th– 6th grade  
 October 30th– 7th and 8th Grades  
 November 20th– 6th Grade  
 December 18th- 7th and 8th Grades  
 January 15th– 6th Grade  
 February 19th- 7th and 8th Grades  
 March 12th– 6th Grade  
 April 20th- 7th and 8th Grades  
 May 14th– 6th Grade  
 June 10th– 6th and 7th Grades