

Common Room Activities

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

TUESDAYS & THURSDAYS, starting around 4:40

FREE DRINKS & SNACKS!

MAY

Thursday, May 6th

QUIZ GAME ~ Terry Wacholtz

Teams try to answer questions for prizes.

Tuesday, MAY 11th

MY WORD ~ Larry Pudwill

Teams play a four-letter word card game.

Thursday, MAY 13th

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 18th

MOVIE ENGLISH TIPS ~ Bill Brooks

Learn English through film clips from the latest movies.

Thursday, MAY 20th

WORD GAMES ~ Andriy Ivanchenko

Test your memory, use your imagination and learn something new!

Thursday, MAY 27th

LEARNING ENGLISH THROUGH MOVIES/TV ~

Hajime Uchikawa

I will tell you how you can watch movies/TV, enjoy them, and improve your English at the same time.

* JUNE *

Tuesday, JUNE 1st

WORD GAMES ~ Allen Williams

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

Tuesday, JUNE 8th

EIBEI RADIO: MUSIC AND INTERVIEWS ~

Chris Armstrong

Join me on my radio talk show. Bring your favorite song, a story or an interesting topic to discuss.

Learn how to make a podcast. Listen at

<<http://www.chukyoeibei.org/radio/>>.

Thursday, JUNE 10th

CANADIAN COOKING ~ Maureen Boulanger

Come and learn some easy Canadian recipes. Let's eat some good food and discuss food culture in Canada.

Tuesday, JUNE 15th

LET THE GAMES BEGIN ~ Charles Lacey

Use English for negotiating purposes.

Tuesday, JUNE 22nd

SCRABBLE DAY ~ Scott Greene

Learn to play Scrabble, an English word game.

A small prize for the student with the best score.

Thursday, JUNE 24th

TEA & STORY HOUR ~ Alun Davies

Relax after your tough Thursday classes! Come and join me for a relaxing hour of Early Grey tea, sweets and cake, and some (funny, strange, terrible, etc., story-telling (mine and yours).

Tuesday, JUNE 29th

PHOTO SHARE ~ Paul Lewis

Introduce yourself and make new friends using your photo collection. Bring along interesting or unusual photos and be ready to explain them to your friends. Examples could be of your friends and family, trips you've made, or concerts you've been to. Mobile phone photos are fine, but real printed photos are better

* JULY *

Thursday, JULY 1ST

TRAVEL TIPS ~ Teobesta

Come discover the little things that make independent travelling safe, affordable and fun.

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* OCTOBER *

Tuesday, OCTOBER 5th

CANADIAN POP ~ Chris Armstrong

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

Thursday, OCTOBER 7th

QUIZ GAME ~ Terry Wacholtz

Teams try to answer questions for prizes.

Tuesday, OCTOBER 12th

MY WORD ~ Larry Pudwill

Teams play a four-letter word card game.

Thursday, OCTOBER 14th

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Tuesday, OCTOBER 19th

TRIVIA OLYMPICS ~ Bill Brooks

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

Tuesday, OCTOBER 26th

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.

Thursday, OCTOBER 28th

DESCRIBING IN ENGLISH ~ Teobesta

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

* NOVEMBER *

Tuesday, NOVEMBER 2nd

LET THE GAMES BEGIN ~ Charles Lacey

Use English for negotiating purposes.

Thursday, NOVEMBER 4th

REALITY TV? ~ Maureen Boulanger

Come and watch segments from episodes of Reality TV programs from the U.S., Canada and Australia.
Discuss the format and meaning of reality TV.

Tuesday, NOVEMBER 9th

SHREK MOVIE FESTIVAL ~ Scott Greene

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

Thursday, NOVEMBER 11th

WORD GAMES ~ Andriy Ivanchenko

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Tuesday, NOVEMBER 16th

SHREK MOVIE FESTIVAL ~ Scott Greene

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

Thursday, NOVEMBER 18th

FAVORITE BOOKS ~ Benny Mejchar

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Tuesday, NOVEMBER 30th

A CHRISTMAS CAROL ~ John Lenihan

Learn all about the world's most popular Christmas short story, Christmas movie, Christmas play, etc - Charles Dickens' *A Christmas Carol*. See my collection of over 30 DVDs/videos (even Mickey and Barbie and The Jetsons), as well as many kids' books, cartoons, postcards, paintings and more.
Short quiz with prizes.

* DECEMBER *

Tuesday, DECEMBER 7th

TEA TIME ~ Paul Lewis

Come and try some delicious teas from around the world.

Thursday, DECEMBER 9th

MY 3 UK HOME CITIES ~ Alun Davies

An informal conversational introduction (plus photos, displays and video, traditional songs of the areas) to three cities in the UK in which I have lived: Newcastle-upon-Tyne, London, and Leeds/Bradford. Learn something about UK life, culture, history and people.

Tuesday, DECEMBER 14th

EIBEI CHRISTMAS PARTY ~ John Lenihan

Food, Xmas songs, a visit from Santa! Wear red & green. Bring a 100 yen gift for gift exchange.