

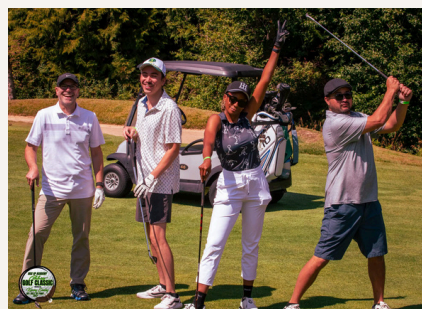
THIS MONTH *at* RISE UP ACADEMY



Happy Summer, RUA Family!

We hope you're soaking up the sunshine and enjoying everything this beautiful season has to offer. Whether you're traveling, relaxing, or making memories with loved ones, we're sending you warm vibes and big smiles from the RUA team. Stay tuned for updates and events as we continue to grow, connect, and make an impact this summer!

14th Annual Rise Up Academy Celebrity Golf Classic!



We're still riding the high from this year's Celebrity Golf Classic, and it's all thanks to **YOU!**

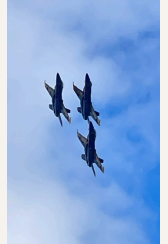
To our sponsors, celebrity guests, golfers, and volunteers: your presence, energy, and generosity made this year's event unforgettable. Whether you were teeing off, lending a helping hand, or simply cheering us on, you helped drive our mission forward in a powerful way. It's powered by passionate people who believe in the work we do. See you all next year!

A Huge Thank You to Everyone Who Made the 2025 Celebrity Golf Classic a Success!

Summer Fun!

Seafair 2025

This year's Seafair was extra special for Rise Up Academy. Thanks to a generous donor, our very own logo was featured on an official Seafair hydroplane, racing across the water for thousands to see. A group of our students and staff were there in person to cheer it on. We were honored to represent the heart of South Everett at such a legendary local event!



RUA Summer Program

Our Rise Up Academy summer program gives students a fun and engaging way to keep learning while school's out. Each themed week includes hands-on activities, exciting field trips, and partnerships with amazing organizations like First Tee!

Field Trips!

Seattle Aquarium



Woodland Park Zoo



Brookdale Everett



Cascadia Art Museum



Golf w/ First Tee!



Every Friday, our school-age students have been learning the basics of golf thanks to weekly visits from our friends at First Tee!

Themed Weeks!

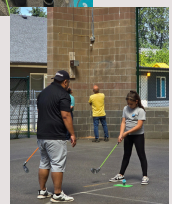
Germ Week!



Sports Week!



Culture Week!



CELEBRATING COMMUNITY & SUPPORT

Rucker Groundbreaking

We're excited to share that Rise Up Academy will have a future home in the new **Rucker Apartments** development in downtown Everett! This affordable housing project, led by Devco Residential Group, isn't just bringing more housing options to the city — it's also making space for expanded access to childcare and early learning. Our involvement in this project highlights what's possible when organizations come together to meet community needs in a real, impactful way. Huge thanks to **Devco**, **the City of Everett**, and **all the partners** who helped make this vision a reality. **See you in 2026!**



Visitors

Whether touring classrooms, sharing professional insight, or meeting with our leadership, these guests brought energy, inspiration, and meaningful engagement. We are deeply grateful for their time and commitment to our mission.



Jeff & Cliff Moon



Kristy Carrington



Argelia, Arnell, Kresha, & Mary Anne

Golf Tournament Sponsor Signs

Sponsor sign deliveries are officially underway! We stopped by Panera Bread on Everett Mall Way to visit our favorite GM, Marie, and had the chance to meet several leaders from the Flynn Group for the first time: Hether, Kelly, Ken, Lauren, and Zach. It was great connecting with people who genuinely care about community, nonprofit education, and the game of golf. We are grateful for their support and look forward to building on these relationships.



From the Court to the Community!

Shawn Kemp RUA Visit

Friday, August 8th was absolutely electric at Rise Up Academy! **Shawn Kemp**, the 6x NBA All-Star and **Seattle SuperSonics** legend, visited our school, toured the campus, took pics, and signed autographs — making it a day our students won't forget. His presence inspired everyone and reminded us all why we keep pushing to empower the next generation.



MARINER FEST

The excitement continued the very next day at **Mariner Fest**! Our Rise Up Academy table was buzzing with energy as we connected with families, fans, and community members. We promoted our fall enrollment opportunities and handed out toys to children, spreading smiles all around.

Special shoutout to **Shawn Kemp** for joining us again, repping RUA with pride. Shawn signed autographs, took photos with fans, and brought that same superstar energy to the fest. His presence energized the crowd and helped spread awareness of our work empowering youth.

Huge thanks to everyone who stopped by, asked questions, and showed love! Days like these remind us why community matters so much in building a better future for our kids.



"I CAN LEARN ANYTHING!"



SPACE IS LIMITED!
ENROLL YOUR CHILD TODAY!

FOR AGES 2 - 12

DSHS or PRIVATE PAY ACCEPTED FOR ALL PROGRAMS!

PRESCHOOL PRE-K ALL DAY KINDERGARTEN BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL

OUR MOTTO: "I can learn anything!"

ACCELERATED LEARNING & S.T.E.A.M.

PRESCHOOL | PRE-K | KINDERGARTEN

- Caring environment
- Independent reading at age 4!

BEFORE & AFTER SCHOOL

- Transportation for Everett & Mukilteo School Districts
- Tutoring & homework assistance
- Sports & activities

FREE Nutritious meals for all students!

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Enrollment is Open!

We're excited to announce that enrollment is open for the upcoming school year at Rise Up Academy. RUA offers a values-based, high-quality education for children ages 2½ to 12. Our programs include Preschool, Pre-K, Kindergarten, and Before & After School Care.

What makes us different?

- Small class sizes
- Personalized learning,
- Safe, inclusive environment led by mission-driven educators.

We focus on academic, emotional, and social growth—and we accept DSHS subsidies, offer financial aid, and keep our tuition rates competitive.

Secure Your Spot Before Classes Fill!

Rise Up Academy 26th Annual Gala

Mark your calendars!

We are thrilled to announce our **26th Annual Gala "Together We Rise"** happening Friday, **November 7, 2025** at the **Lynnwood Convention Center**. This unforgettable evening will bring our community together to celebrate our mission, honor our students' achievements, and raise critical support for our programs.

We are honored to have **Krist Novoselic**, **legendary Nirvana co-founder**, serving as our Gala Ambassador!



Rise Up Academy

26th ANNUAL GALA
"Together We Rise"

Mr. Krist Novoselic
DISTINGUISHED GALA AMBASSADOR
NIRVANA CO-FOUNDER / GRAMMY AWARD WINNER

Save the Date:
NOV
FRIDAY 7 6PM
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ADDITIONAL DETAILS TO FOLLOW
VISIT US ON THE WEB: WWW.RISEUPACADEMYNW.ORG

More details, including ticket information and ways to get involved, will be shared soon. Keep an eye on your inbox and our social media channels.

We're looking for table hosts, table captains, event sponsors, and auction item donations to help make our event a success.

If you're interested in supporting, please contact **kfick@riseupacademynw.org**

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