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Batavia CANDO is a parent organization which seeks to provide enrichment opportunities for children in need of greater academic challenge and peer interaction, encourages district and state support for gifted education, and provides programs and resources for parents about raising and educating talented children.

Consider joining us for:



Sept. 22: Open House @ RMS 6:30-8:00
SIBLINGS WELCOME



Sept. 24: Evening coffee 7:00-8:00 at Limestone Coffee & Tea if you missed our morning coffee earlier this month.

Join our email group: simply visit bataviacando.org and look for **Join Our Mailings** to provide us with your email so we can connect with you regarding upcoming dates and events.

Monday, September 22, 2008
CANDO OPEN HOUSE:

Join us between 6:30 - 8:00 pm!

Location: Rotolo Middle School, Library Media Center (upstairs)

6:30: Pizza slices

7 - 8: Parents: Meet and greet with District Gifted Coordinator and Challenge teachers.

7 - 8: Students: Marshmallow Architects - team competition and more (* see back for details...)

PLUS **PRIZES!**

Questions or more information, contact Lauren Mastrud 630-689-3621 or email LSMarder@sbcglobal.net

Join Us Anytime: There is always an aspect of CANDO that provides you with an opportunity to network with parents, learn the latest news and trends and contribute to your children's future.

We're in the process of planning the upcoming school year and what we can do to support our students and enhance their year with activities that will be just as fantastic as last year. Will you join us and share in the conversation and ideas?

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* At our Sept. 22 evening at Rotolo Middle School...

Students can enjoy teambuilding:

1. **MARSHMALLOW ARCHITECTS**

Teams are given the tools of the trade for this event, mini-marshmallows and toothpicks! Construct a skyscraper with an elevator. Skyscrapers will be judged on (for example) functionality, creativity, balance & beauty...

2. **LMC SCAVENGER HUNT**

Teams have 60 seconds to find items in the LMC that are non-breakable and can easily be put back: a book with a title beginning with the letter "K," something green, an egg, a liquid...

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**ARE YOU UP
FOR THE CHALLENGES?**