

PreK-7 Program

Children in Preschool, (four years of age) through fifth grade will have a busy summer of fun activities! They will be assigned to small groups with dedicated and attentive counselors according to their grade levels. Regular activity stations will include games and sports, music, dance, and drama, arts-n-crafts, science, and so much more. In addition, special events will occur throughout camp, including visiting entertainment, theme days, and opportunities to participate in field trips held after regular recreation hours. All activities are well planned and supervised, with a program wide focus on teambuilding and cooperative fun! Incoming sixth and seventh graders have the opportunity to do a little of everything. They will attend some stations while at the same time have independent activities all to themselves. They will also have the chance to help out with our younger groups of campers each week. This is again new this year so please come and try camp in a whole new way!

Volunteers:

Those students entering 8th grade along with any student who is not yet 16 will have the opportunity to volunteer. Volunteer applications will be available at registration night and at the H.S. office there after. Volunteering for camp is the best way to earn a paid position once you are 16. Volunteering does not however guarantee you a position.

Summer Learning Camp Rec Program

Students that are already participating in the summer learning camp program will have an opportunity to participate in our morning rec program on the days they are free. This rec program package will allow them to attend the first 2 weeks of rec which includes are famous Camp Olympics. Campers will each receive a camp t-shirt and be eligible to attend afternoon rec sponsored field trips. The costs for in town residents is \$30.00 and out of town residents, \$80.00.

Transportation

Students must be transported to camp (Veterans Park) by a parent/guardian. If students normally walk/ride bikes to camp they are welcome to as long as we have written permission to waive the sign in and out release in advance. All parents/caregivers must walk their child into and out of the program each day and must sign in and out with their child's counselor. This is the only way campers will be released other than with the walker/rider waiver release.

Field Trips

This year's field trips are set and ready to go! Space for these trips are limited and only the first 40 paid campers will have definite spots, after this a waiting list will be generated to see if any openings are available. Staff will ride on the buses with campers while the camp director/assistant director will ride in an additional vehicle in case of emergencies. Field trips will be signed up for during the registration period. All trips will occur on Tuesdays and Thursdays and participants will be required to wear program t-shirts as a safety measure to help us quickly and easily identify our group. Smaller camper to staff ratios, will also ensure a safe and fun time for all! Fees cover activity cost, supervision, and bus transportation. If a trip is cancelled for any reason, a full refund will be given. On trip days, please send a bag lunch with your child—we will have lunch together after the regular program day. After all trips we will return to the Veterans Park. Transportation home will not be available so your child will need to be picked up promptly at the time indicated on the permission slip.

Program Trips

Once again this year, we will be having one full day trip to Onanda State Park (in Canandaigua) for a fun day of recreational swimming, outdoor play, nature activities, and classic beach games. The kids will have more time to use the full facilities and will eat lunch, (you provide), there as well. There will be no additional cost for this whole day, (9-3:30) trip, however there will be no half day program at camp on this day. If for any reason your child does not attend the field trip they will have to not attend camp that day. For the whole day outing campers should bring a bagged lunch. Pick up time for this day will be at 3:30pm at Veterans Park, (where summer rec will be located for this year).

Program T-Shirts

Program t-shirts will be provided for all campers in our morning camp program. For safety issues, children must wear these on the field trips and other special off site days. This will help make our group easily identifiable.

Directors & Camp Nurse

In his 8th year, Jeff Daley will again be the director and in her 2nd year, Brenda Wyand will be the assistant director. Janelle Britton will be our camp nurse for her 4th year. She is a certified RN working at Thompson Hospital. Any questions or concerns about camp operation, staff & volunteer or camper issues should be brought to the attention of either the Director or Assistant Director. All medical questions should go to the nurse. No medicine will be distributed without specific written instructions from a physician.