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Summer Camps

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Rochester City Council

Make it a Summer of Amazing!

MAKE IT A SUMMER TO REMEMBER AT R-CENTER CAMPS

Sign your child up for a fun and active summer at the City of Rochester's Summer Camps. Camps are open: Monday – Friday 8:30 a.m. – 5:30 p.m., July 2 – August 24, for youth ages 6 – 13 at an unbeatable price.

ArtSmart

ArtSmart Summer Camp, nestled in the heart of beautiful Cobb's Hill Park, offers youth ages 6-13 fun-filled summer of learning through the arts and creative expression. Music, dance, visual art, photography, improv and more are presented at an introductory level to meet the interests of Art Smart's eager participants. Youth are encouraged to set their imaginations free by expressing themselves in a way that suits their own unique style. ArtSmart includes group games and outdoor activities in a spacious, inspiring, outdoor play area. Field trips to exciting and educational Rochester attractions add to the fun. ArtSmart culminates in a final creative showcase and family celebration.

Great Adventure Summer Camp

Gear up for fun discoveries and expeditions with Great Adventures Summer Camp at LaGrange R-Center. Campers will embark on countless adventures and have the opportunity to pursue a variety of interests in themes related to the natural environment and other applications in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM), the arts, and sports. Weekly field trips bring lessons to life, intertwining play, and engaging learning.

GVP Youth Sports Camp

GVP Youth Sports Camp, located in the historic Genesee Valley Park, offers participants the opportunity to expand their knowledge of and participate in an endless variety of sports. Each week, a different sport is featured with current and former professional athletes visiting often to add their expertise to the themed sport. Past guests included basketball with retired Professional Basketball player Glen Hagen, Soccer with Nicole Hercules of Flower City Soccer, Baseball with Dave Valle, CrossFit training and football with Richard Gause one of the founders of Next Level and Beyond Football. With a special focus participants may attend swim instruction daily and have the opportunity to participate in the annual summer Aqua fest. Teamwork, mentorship, sportsmanship and positive behavior on and off the field is emphasized, as positive character building qualities that are the foundation for a successful future. Youth will also enjoy field trips.

Try Them All?

Can't decide between ArtSmart, Great Adventures Summer Camp, or GVP Youth Sports Camp? Sign up for a different camp each week! All camps are offered for youth ages 6 through 13, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. daily, July 2 – August 24 at the affordable rate of $100 per week for city residents, and $145 per week for those living outside the city. Siblings can join in the fun at a $25 discount. Breakfast and lunch are included at all camps.

Get Started

Don't miss out on these great programs, they fill up fast! To sign up, download an application at *www.cityofrochester.gov/summercamps* For more information call 428-6755.

**$100 per week for city residents and $145 per week for those living outside the city. Additional siblings can join in the fun at a $25 discount.*

Key Information, Responsibilities, & Requirements

Please keep this document for your records.

Dear Parent/Guardian:
Welcome to the City of Rochester's Summer Camps! Our staff is looking forward to spending the summer with your child. Please read the important program information below. If you have any additional questions, please feel free to, all the City of Rochester's Bureau of Recreation at 428-6755 Monday – Friday, 9 am to 5 pm.

ELIGIBILITY: This program is for city youth in grades K-6 or ages 6-13 (although non-city youth may attend at $145 per child should space be available).

DATES AND TIMES: Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., from July 2, 2018 through August 24, 2018.

PROGRAM AND ELEMENTS: Youth will take part in an array of art activities including music, dance, storytelling, painting, group games, field trips, and sports such as soccer, football, baseball, tennis, swimming, lacrosse, and more! Participants will be served breakfast and lunch.

TRANSPORTATION: Summer Camps do not provide transportation except to and from designated off-site field trips.

COST AND PAYMENT: Program cost is $100 per week for City residents and $145 for non-City residents. Siblings can attend for a reduced rate of $75 per week for City residents and $120 for non-City residents. For those needing an earlier start, an 8 a.m. drop off is available for an additional $15 per week per youth. **Payment must be made on the Friday before the week of attendance in order for your child to participate in the program. Parents must pay for one full week even if the child does only attends just one day. FEES CANNOT BE PRORATED AND FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE. No credits will be given if a child is sick or suspended. Parents must notify us at 428-6755 if the child will be absent.** There is voicemail for messages to be left if the facility is not open or staff is unavailable.

MEDICATION: If your child is on medication, staff must be notified. Staff cannot administer medication.

PERSONAL BELONGINGS: Please have all personal belongings labeled with your child's name. A backpack is perfect to keep all belongings together.

DAILY DEPARTURE: Your child will remain at site until the end of each day's program, and then depart only with a parent or designated adult or guardian. Information about all persons permitted to pick up your child must be provided on the registration form and to the site supervisor. Children will be allowed to walk home by themselves, only if a signed permission slip has been provided. A designated person will be required to sign out the child at the end of each day. A late fee of $1.00 will be charged for each minute that the child remains at the center past 5:30 p.m. If late pickups become a chronic problem, you may be asked to remove your child from the program.

EXPECTATIONS OF PARTICIPANTS: Your child is expected to follow the rules of the summer camps and show proper respect toward other children and staff. For the enjoyment and safety of other participants, any child who is disruptive or becomes a disciplinary problem may be removed from the summer camps following a conference with the parent.

THE SUMMER CAMP STAFF WOULD LIKE TO REMIND YOU THAT WE NEED THE COOPERATION OF STAFF, CHILDREN, AND PARENTS TO ASSURE CONTINUATION OF QUALITY PROGRAMMING.

R-Centers Code Of Behavior

1. Follow all center rules.
2. Show good sportsmanship and invite others to join in.
3. Go to staff if you need help resolving a problem or dispute.
4. Use appropriate language and gestures that respects the feelings of others.
5. Respect City and private property.
6. Respect the decisions of all coaches, referees and staff.
7. Keep yourself and others safe by not bringing weapons into the center.
8. Demonstrate self control to avoid hurting yourself or others.

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In order to help R-Centers Staff provide a safe and nurturing atmosphere at all R-Centers, participants are required to adhere to the code of behavior to avoid suspension or other consequences.

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2018 R-Centers Summer Camp Registration

For Office Use Only
Date Received
Amount Received

Instructions: Please complete one of these forms per child and return with deposit to: City of Rochester Bureau of Recreation,
400 Dewey Avenue, Rochester, NY 14613
Fax:(585) 428-6021 Phone:(585)-428-6755
Please return this form only. Keep other material for your reference.

Number of Registered Children:_____
Names: _____
_____

Camper Information

Camper Name: _____ Birth Date:____/____/____
Address:_____ City:_____ State:_____ Zip:_____
T-Shirt Size: *Youth* - S M L *Adult* - S M L XL Is this your first summer with us? Yes / No
How did you hear about R-Center Summer Camps? _____

Parent/Guardian Information

Parent/Guardian 1 Information
Relationship to Camper: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State:_____ Zip:_____
Email:_____
Home:(___)_____
Cell: (___)_____
Work:(___)_____

Parent/Guardian 2 Information
Relationship to Camper: _____
Name: _____
Address: _____
City: _____ State:_____ Zip:_____
Email:_____
Home:( )_____
Cell: (___)_____
Work:(___)_____

Pickup Authorization and Emergency Contacts

Is Parent/Guardian 1 authorized to pick up? Yes / No Is Parent/Guardian 2 authorized to pick up? Yes / No

Other individuals authorized to pick up camper:
Name:_____ Relationship:_____ Phone:_____
Name:_____ Relationship:_____ Phone:_____

In an emergency, when parent or guardian cannot be reached, please contact:
Name:_____ Relationship:_____ Phone:_____

Camp Date Selection

Please indicate (x) summer camp session choices below: **Parents must notify staff when child will be absent.*

	7/2 - 7/6	*7/9 - 7/13*	*7/16 - 7/20*	*7/23 - 7/27*	*7/30 - 8/3*	*8/6 - 8/10*	*8/13 - 8/17*	*8/20-8/24*
ArtSmart *(Cobb's Hill)*								
Great Adventures *(Lagrange R-Center)*								
Sports Camp *(Genesee Valley Park)*								

Health & Immunization Records

Health History

_____ Asthma
_____ Chicken Pox
_____ Convulsions
_____ Ear infections
_____ Diabetes

_____ Measles
_____ Mumps
_____ Poison Ivy
_____ Rubella
_____ Rheumatic Fever

Allergies

_____ Nuts
_____ Insect Stings
_____ Poison Ivy
_____ Penicillin
_____ Other Drugs
_____ Latex
_____ Other

Immunization History

☐ I certify that all of my camper's immunizations are up to date.

☐ I understand that I must submit a full copy of my camper's immunization history before he/she can attend camp.
Immunization history should be provided to the Bureau of Recreation

Health Insurance Carrier:_____ Policy#:_____
Pediatrician's Name:_____ Phone: _____
Address:_____

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Health & Immunization Records (Continued)

Please indicate "yes" or "no" to the following questions and list any additional information.

Does your camper use any self-administered medications?

☐ **No** ☐ **Yes** *(Please describe)*_____

Do you give your camper permission to carry and apply sunscreen? *(Sunscreen must be FDA-approved, over the counter, and provided by parent/ guardian to camper)* ☐ **No** ☐ **Yes**

Has your camper had any operation or serious injury?

☐ **No** ☐ **Yes** *(Please describe)*_____

Does your camper have any chronic or recurring illnesses?

☐ **No** ☐ **Yes** *(Please describe)*_____

Are there any activities that your camper should be encouraged to do?

☐ **No** ☐ **Yes** *(Please describe)*_____

Are there any activities that your camper should be restricted from?

☐ **No** ☐ **Yes** *(Please describe)*_____

Please provide the staff with any additional health, emotional, developmental, and behavioral information that may assist summer camp staff in caring for your camper:

_____

RECREATION STAFF CANNOT ADMINISTER MEDICATIONS TO CHILDREN. IF YOUR CHILD IS TAKING MEDICATION REGULARLY, PLEASE BRING IT TO CAMP IN THE ORIGINAL PRESCRIPTION BOTTLE WITH DOSAGE INSTRUCTIONS. IT WILL BE KEPT IN A LOCKED CABINET, A PARENT OR DESIGNATED PERSON IS ALLOWED TO COME IN AND ADMINISTER MEDICATION AT THE APPROPRIATE TIME. ***The City of Rochester does not discriminate on the basis of handicap status in programs, activities or employment.***

Parent/Guardian Agreement

Please initial in the spaces provided below:

_____ I hereby state that all the information on this form is accurate and my camper is capable of participating in this program.

_____ I agree to notify the summer camp staff immediately of any changes in address, phone number, place of employment, or persons authorized to pick up camper etc.

_____ I will provide the staff with any additional health, emotional, developmental, and behavioral information that may assist summer camp staff in caring for your camper.

_____ I understand that not fully disclosing the above may put my child's health and safety at risk.

_____ I have read and understand the information in the Summer Camp registration packet.

_____ I am responsible and agree to cooperate with summer camp policies including but not limited to payment procedures and deadlines, hours of operation, and behavior policies.

_____ I understand that summer camp staff reserve the right to remove a child from the program for failure to follow the policies and procedures of the program and the Bureau of Recreation at their discretion.

_____ I give full permission for my child to attend and participate in all summer camp activities, including off-site field trips under staff supervision.

_____ I intend to be hereby legally bond, for myself, my heir, executor and administrators to waive and release any and all rights and claims or damages of any kind I may have against the City of Rochester, it's representatives, successors, and employee for any and all injuries which my be suffered by my child/camper.

_____ If an accident occurs, I give permission for emergency first aid treatment to be administered, or at the discretion of City staff, for my child/camper to be taken to the hospital.

_____ I give consent that the City of Rochester Department of Recreation and Youth Services my use photography, slides, and video of my child/camper, as may be needed for its records or promotional purposes including website material to promote the interests of the department.

X

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Parent or Guardian Signature **Date**