



Summer Camp 2020
Parent Orientation

Mission

To enhance our community by providing outstanding services, parks and facilities through environmental, social and financial stewardship.

Vision

To be recognized as a national leader in delivering innovative park and recreation services based on responsiveness, trust, and accountability to our community.

Our Mission and Vision

Our Camp Philosophy

We're dedicated to providing safe and active learning opportunities that promote teamwork, friendship and fun.

Through individual successes and group challenges, campers develop a strong sense of self-confidence, while creating memories that can last a lifetime!

Camp Dates

Session 1: June 15 – July 10

Session 2: July 13 – August 7

Camp Team

Katie Kotloski, Recreation Division Manager

Cameron Edelman, Recreation Supervisor

Nancy Eschker, Recreation Supervisor

Drew Kambach, Performing Arts Supervisor

Taylor Witter, Recreation Supervisor

Camp@nbparks.org

Leisure Center, 847-291-2995

Camp Team

Jeremy Goedke, Group Leader

Austin Idhe, Group Leader

Debbie Nowosel, Group Leader

Astride Pierre, Group Leader

David Zizic, Group Leader

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Group Leaders

The Group Leaders supervise and implement the day to day operations of their assigned camper group. They work with supervisors to provide a safe and fun camp experience for all.



Supervisors

Camp Supervisors are full time staff who will assist Group leaders each day. Supervisors plan all activities for groups, make guest appearances, teach lessons and communicate with parents.



NSSRA Inclusion

Northbrook Park District partners with Northern Suburban Special Recreation Association to offer recreation programs and services to residents of all abilities.

NSSRA support staff are available to work alongside participants in our camps.

Parents requesting support for their camper should have checked the ADA box on the registration form or contacted the Park District Liaison, Nancy Eschker

Health and Safety Considerations

- Groups will not interact
- Siblings are in the same groups, when appropriate
- 6' of distance between campers and staff will be enforced indoors and out
- Most activities will be outdoors; groups to remain 30 feet apart
- Indoor activities will look and feel like a school setting, at desks
- No shared equipment or supplies, unless by siblings
- Shared equipment will be disinfected between users of different households
- Where possible households will be assigned equipment for the session

Health and Safety Considerations

- Isolation room available
- Regular cleaning and disinfecting schedule
- Hand sanitizer will be available for all groups/campers
- Hand washing will be scheduled
- High touch areas will be disinfected every 2 hours as required
- Campers will be provided supplies for personal use

Health and Safety Considerations

- Parents to complete a symptoms checklist each day with their camper; if symptoms are present, do not come to camp.
- Park District procedure is to send a child home in the event of illness
- Staff will be overly cautious in monitoring potential symptoms of all illnesses
- Parents will be called if illness is suspected; Campers should stay home in accordance with CDC guidelines
- Return to camp will be determined on a case by case basis.
- Parents to report confirmed COVID-19 cases to Park District staff.

Camp Locations and Groups

**Group
1**

Room: Wood Oaks
Drop Off/Pick Up: Front Circle Drive

**Group
2**

Room: Williamsburg A/B
Drop Off/Pick Up: Northwest Doors

**Group
3**

Room: Crestwood A/B
Drop Off/Pick Up: Southwest Doors

**Group
4**

Room: Theatre
Drop Off/Pick Up: Theatre Doors

**Group
5**

Room: Indian Ridge/Ceramics Studio
Drop Off/Pick Up: Northeast Parking Area

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Staff to Camper Ratios

- Max Ratio is 2:10
- Floater Staff

ePACT
Network

ePACT Invitation

Required for
Participation

Your personal record
to keep up to date

Communication

E-mail and News

- Camp@nbparks.org
- Weekly email updates

Calling Camp

- Contact the Leisure Center at (847) 291-2995.
- Your call will be returned by the on-site Supervisor.

Communication



- You may receive text messages sent through ePACT to the cell phone on file
 - Verify your phone number
- Text messages will relay changes at camp and other important information
- nbparks.org will be updated with any closing or emergency information



Parent
Communication
with Staff

- **Notify Camp@nbparks.org of:**
 - Camper Absences
 - Any illness – if your child has contracted a contagious illness (i.e. strep throat, lice, chickenpox, COVID-19 etc.)
 - Running more than 15 minutes late for drop off or pick up


Drop-Off and Pick-Up Procedures

- Parents/care givers are responsible for transporting their child to and from the Leisure Center.
- Parents should not exit their vehicle.
- Campers must be wearing a face cover to be accepted into camp for the day.
- Specific locations and procedures for drop-off/pick-up for each group were emailed with the Parent Handbook
- Drop-off up at 8:30; Pick-up at 3:30
- During pick up, be prepared to show your ID through the car window.





What if I am late picking up from camp?

- 15 Minute grace period
 - There is a \$10 late fee for every 10 minutes or portion thereof past the pick-up time
 - Emergency contacts will be called if necessary
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What Should Campers Bring and Wear?

Face Covering (+ an extra to leave at camp)

Change of clothes to leave at camp

Disposable nut-free lunch and snacks and drink everyday

Sunscreen & bug spray

Refillable water bottle

Gym Shoes (no open toe or heel shoes)

Optional: Tablet, phone, or laptop with headphones/earbuds

Please label everything with first and last name



Camp Format and Activities

- Activities will be mainly outdoors and physically distanced from other campers and other groups.
- Indoor space is available for each group including gym space
- No playgrounds in Phase 3
- No water based activities in Phase 3
- No field trips in Phase 3
- Where possible, in-house field trips may be scheduled.

Questions?

Thank you for
joining us!