



PARKSIDE KIDS CAMP PARENT HANDBOOK



Welcome To Kids Camp!

We are looking forward to a fun summer, including arts & crafts, music, sports, and indoor and outdoor games. Under the supervision of our enthusiastic staff, children can develop new skills, make new friends, and share in summer fun.

CAMP DATES: June 8- July 31

No Camp 7/3

CAMP HOURS:

9:00am-3:00pm

Before care- 7:00-9:00am, after care- 3:00-6:00pm

Drop off and pick up will be held outside on the deck. We will start accepting campers at 8:55 AM. Please park, walk up and make sure your child is checked. Camps ends at 3 PM – please be prompt in picking up your child.

****There is a late fee if children are not picked up on time****, so please call us if you have an emergency.

SECURITY- If someone other than a parent will be picking up a child, please let the staff know in writing. If staff does not recognize the pickup person, they will ask for ID.

DRESS- Play clothes and *gym shoes with socks* are highly recommended (no sandals, flip flops or Crocs).

****Please label all your child's belongings! ****

SWIMMING- We will be swimming every day. Campers will be asked to wear their swimsuits under their clothes and bring clothes to change into after swimming.

TOWEL- Please send a towel with your child every day. We will sit on the towels when we eat lunch outside.

SUNSCREEN- Camp will be outside for majority of the day, so please apply sunscreen to your child *before* he or she comes to camp. Counselors will re-apply it after lunch if needed. Please send spray sunscreen only.

LUNCH- Campers will need to bring lunch. Lunches should be peanut free lunch and include a drink. There is no refrigeration, so we suggest that you freeze a juice box, or use a freeze pack. Friday is Pizza Day for those who stay for lunch and would like pizza. You can place your order from Pizza Bella on their website, <https://pbpizza.com/>

SNACK- Please send a snack and a water bottle each day for your child. *Pack the snack separate from the lunch.*

MEDICATION- If your child requires medication during camp hours, a medicine dispensing form needs to be completed. These forms are available at the camp site, or on the park district's web site, under forms and permits.

PHONE NUMBERS-

- Parkside Kids Camp- Cell- 224-833-1720
 - ***Please program the camp number into your phone***