

CAMP PERKIOMEN 2020

Welcome to Camp Perkiomen 2020! We are eagerly awaiting the end of the school year and the start of summer camp! There are lots of fun and exciting things planned for your child to enjoy this summer. Three days a week we take the time to cool off at the Quakertown Community Pool. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursdays are our typical swim days. During the morning of pool days, your camper will be participating in our three morning groups - Sports/Games, A.C.E.S., and the Musical (listed in detail below). Every summer the Kindergarten and School-Age children perform and sing in a musical production. This year's summer musical is "Disney's Frozen Kids!" Each week your child will also enjoy a field trip to places such as, Dutch Springs, Dorney Park, and Menlo Aquatic Center. **Please note that Kindergarten will go on field trips with Preschool and Pre-K on Fridays.** Special guests and events are also planned throughout the summer! A full calendar of field trips and special events is attached.

Sports/Games

This summer, during the sports and games time, we look forward to playing many new games along with our old favorites that all the children enjoy. We will focus on teaching the children team-building skills, as well as, good sportsmanship. We are excited to have lots of fun playing sports and games outside with your children this summer.

A.C.E.S (Art • Cooking • Engineering • Science)

This group will be a combination of long and short term fun and hands-on activities. Plans are made for several different and creative art projects, cooking lessons, engineering activities and science experiments. Our hands and minds will be kept busy all summer long!

Musical

The musical group will prepare all of our children for the end of summer performance. This year our production will be "Disney's Frozen Kids." The older children who are cast for a speaking part in the musical will spend time memorizing the lines in the script; while our younger campers will be learning and singing the songs in the choir. Props and scenery for the musical will also be made during group time with the children. Our performance will be for family and friends and it is truly a highlight of the summer.

We look forward to our summer program and to spending quality time with your child at summer camp!!!

Daily Summer Schedule

Kindergarten/School-Age

6:30am – 8:30am	Breakfast/Free Play
8:30am – 8:45am	Circle Time (Daily Discussion)
8:45am – 9:15am	Reading/Snack
9:20am – 10:00am	Group 1
10:05am – 10:40am	Group 2
10:45am – 11:20am	Group 3
11:25am – 12:00pm	Lunch/Pool preparation
12:05pm – 12:30pm	Bus Ride to the Pool (Pool Days Only)
12:30pm – 3:10pm	Swimming at Quakertown Pool
3:10pm – 3:30pm	Change Clothes/Clean Up Pool Area
3:30pm – 4:00pm	Bus Ride Back to UPCCC
4:00pm – 4:30pm	Return to Center/Circle Time
4:30pm – 6:00pm	Free Play

*Schedule subject to change. The Daily Schedule will be different on field trip days, special event/guest days, and on Fridays.

Important Reminders

Here are just a couple of reminders to help make the transition into summer camp easier for everyone . . .

- Your child **MUST** wear sneakers every day to camp. Flip-flops or sandals may be worn when we leave for the pool.
- Please send your child's backpack or pool bag every day. The bag should include the following:
 - Bathing Suit
 - Towel
 - Sunscreen (**NO spray sunscreen**)
 - Reading Book
 - Clean Change of Clothes (accidents happen)
 - Flip-flops or sandals (optional for the pool)
- Your child's lunch should have an ice pack when necessary. Please **NO** microwavable lunches. Time does not allow for us to heat up lunches.
- No toys brought from home unless it is a designated toy day.
- **You must purchase a pool pass for your child from the Quakertown Borough prior to June 22nd, 2020.**

**** The staff will hold on to your child's pool key for the summer; however, we will expect your child to be responsible for their swim bracelet and concession money the days we go to the Quakertown pool. The campers will be given a pool bracelet to wear at the pool at all times. This bracelet will designate their swimming ability and they will need to wear it each time we go to the pool. The pool will charge a fee for any lost or forgotten bracelets.