

2023

Summer

Camps

ADAPTIVE SPORTS

150 Malone Ridge Road
Washington, PA 15301
724-250-9150

Email: adaptivesportscoaches@gmail.com

www.adaptivesports.info

Adaptive Sports is a non-profit corporation created to provide organized sports for those individuals who are physically or mentally challenged. We make every attempt to provide both facility changes and rule changes so each player can participate in a chosen sport. Adaptive Sports is not limited to any particular sport, but the organization and adaptation of any sport must be approved by the Board of Directors first. Safety of the players and the volunteers will be taken into consideration first. Adaptive Sports' non-profit status permits it to solicit funds to provide sporting activities at a nominal cost to the participants. The organization uses these funds to acquire facilities, equipment, uniforms, and professional assistance when required. Our partial-year Adaptive Sports registration fee is \$20 per athlete, which includes activities through June 30, including indoor and outdoor soccer, tennis, football, dances, and admission to the annual banquet. Registered athletes also receive a reduced price for spring bowling. One form for each athlete, please.

ALMOST AUTHORS

5701 Fifth Ave
Pittsburgh, PA 15232
412-362-4714

www.writingstudiopgh.com/authors.aspx

Almost Authors is a 5-day creative writing workshop for students entering 3rd through 12th grades. Students create fiction, poetry, and nonfiction in a relaxed and supportive atmosphere. We welcome writers of all abilities and interests!

WORKSHOP DATES 2023

(Students join the grade they'll be *entering* in Fall 2023)

Grades 3&4: July 17-21 (9 am-12 pm)
Grades 7&8: July 17-21 (1 pm-4 pm)

Grades 5&6: July 24-28 (9 am-12 pm)
Grades 9-12: July 24-28 (1 pm-4 pm)

BROWNSON HOUSE

1415 Jefferson Avenue
Washington, PA 15301
724-222-1440
www.brownsonhouse.org

Basketball, Soccer, Flag Football, Volleyball, Boxing, Pickleball,
Lacrosse, Cheerleading, Playground Rentals

CAMP AGAPE

72 Agape Road
PO Box 115
Hickory, PA 15340
724-356-2308
www.campagape.org

Each week at camp includes program – specific activities, plus traditional camp favorites such as:

- Swimming
- Camp Crafts
- Campfires
- Skits
- Great Food
- Camp Songs
- Games
- Bible Stories
- Nature Studies

ALL CHILDREN are welcome at Agapé regardless of race, religion, color, national origin, sex, handicap, or income. Camperships are available for those whose families cannot afford the full camp fee. Address your request for a Campership to the Camp Office.

AGE GROUPS are based on age at the time of camp. Campers should be 5 – 9 for Day Camps and 9 – 16 for Resident Camps.

Camp Staff provide outstanding leadership. College students, teachers, nurses, seminarians, and pastors all contribute toward the Christ-centered communities that gather at Camp Agapé.

CAMP LAUGHALOT (Arc)

201 S. Johnson Road
Building 1, Suite 200
Houston, PA 15342
724-222-6960 Ext. 215
www.aadvantageinc.org

An inclusive camp for children and adults with intellectual and developmental disabilities and mental illness. \$50 Registration Fee per session (Hardship exemption available upon request).

Session 1: June 12, 2023 – June 30, 2023 – age 18+

Session 2: July 10, 2023-July 28, 2023 – 17 and younger

9:00am- 2:00pm
Vernon C. Neal Sportsplex
200 Dunn Ave, Washington Pa 15301

CAMP SPLASH 2023

Canonsburg Town Park
Canonsburg, PA 15317
Contact Leah Drain
412-327-3993
<https://www.canonsburgboro.com/park>

We are once again preparing for another exciting summer at Canonsburg Town Park. This summer, Camp Splash, at Canonsburg Town Park's Main Pavilion, will begin on Monday, June 19 and conclude on Friday, August 4. Camp hours of operation will be from 8:15 a.m. to 4:15 p.m. Again, we will be planning special visitors and activities for campers this summer. We will be swimming every day, weather permitting, and providing a hot lunch and snack for all of our campers.

CARNEGIE MUSEUMS OF ART AND NATURAL HISTORY

4400 Forbes Avenue

Pittsburgh, PA 15213

412-622-3131

<http://camps.artandnaturalhistory.org/>

Where else can you get up close to the coolest live animals, be encouraged to make a mess, design something original, or live out a wild adventure? From throwing a pot to designing your dream house, art and architecture camps offer hands-on fun, using the whole museum for inspiration. If you're the outdoorsy type, we've got you covered with cool science experiments, creepy bugs, huge dinosaurs, and so much more at the natural history or Powdermill camps. Book early—camps fill up fast!

CARNEGIE SCIENCE CENTER

One Allegheny Avenue

Pittsburgh, PA 15212

412-237-3400

www.carnegiesciencecenter.org/programs/summer-camps/

When School is Out, the Science Center is In! It's never too early to start thinking about ways to ensure your child's summer is fun, active, and enriching. Registration is open EARLY this year for **Summer Science Camps 2023!** Campers ages 4-14 can choose from a variety of camps.

CHARTIERS SUMMER PLAYGROUND PROGRAM

Arnold Park Pavilion

2013 Community Center Dr

Houston, PA 15342

Contact Brian Perry

724-350-6581

parks@chartierstwp.com

Crafts, field trips, and outdoor fun are at your fingertips! This day camp is open to ages 5-11 and families do not have to live in the township to participate. This 10 week day camp focuses on capturing the spirit of summer and providing enriching, challenging, and active experiences for time spent outside of school.

June 6th through August 12th

9:00am—4:00pm

(early drop off/late pick up available at additional cost)

CHATHAM UNIVERSITY

Woodland Road

Pittsburgh, PA 15232

412-365-1174

<https://www.daycamp.chatham.edu>

The Chatham Music and Arts Day Camp

Since 1956, Chatham University has strived to provide a fun and engaging summer day camp that emphasizes music and the arts. Serving campers ages Pre-K through 9th grade, there is something for everyone at Chatham Music and Arts Day Camp. While we focus on music and arts, we also provide a variety of activities, including sports, technology, swimming, and languages. CMADC provides a six or three week experience for campers ages PreK through rising 9th grade. With a variety of activities offered, such as musical theater, mixed media, School of Rock, and more, there is something for every camper to enjoy.

Cougar Basketball Camp

Entering Kinder – 9th Graders

Cougar Basketball Camp is a great way for players to improve their skills. It is designed to teach individual and team basketball concepts to both beginning and intermediate players. Campers participate in skill development and competitions, as well as learn offensive and defensive concepts while hearing from guest speakers. The Chatham basketball team staff and players instruct campers on techniques such as passing, ball handling, footwork, shooting, and defense.

Camper outcomes:

- Understand the basic elements of basketball
- Develop team-oriented skills to achieve a group goal
- Develop an appreciation of sports and the role sports can play in all lives
- Develop a desire to practice the skills introduced at camp, outside camp hours

What equipment is needed for camp?

- A Basketball

Cougar Soccer Camp

August 9-13, 2021

entering Kinder (5y) – 8th Grade

The Chatham Cougar Soccer Camp philosophy and goals are to help youth soccer players learn the game of soccer in a fun-filled environment. Our camp is designed to teach the fundamentals and skills of the game of soccer while promoting teamwork, leadership and good sportsmanship. Many of our sessions will involve 1 player - 1 ball to maximize touches and keep children engaged. Each day will consist of new technical training followed by fun games where your child can practice their new found skills! We welcome all levels of skill and campers will be divided into groups based on age and ability.

Camper outcomes:

- Technical Skill Development
- Tactical Knowledge of the game
- Personal Development: teamwork, sportsmanship, confidence

What equipment is needed for camp?

- Soccer Ball
- Shin guards
- Water bottle
- Cleats
- Indoor Soccer Shoes (and/or sneakers)
- Swim suit and towel

Kiddie Cougar Camp

Kiddie Cougar Camp is designed to be an extension of the music and arts day camp with a curriculum rich with music and the arts, infused with traditional camp activities. Campers in kindergarten through fourth grade can enroll in this one week program or include it with a session of the music and arts day camp. Kiddie Cougar Camp is perfect for a first time Chatham camper, who may not want to commit to a full 3 or six week session.

More information on each Division:

Division 1 - Pre K and Rising Kindergarten

Division 2 - Rising First and Second Grades

Division 3 - Rising Third and Fourth Grades

Daily Drop Off begins at 8:30am through 9:00am

Pick Up begins at 3:45pm through 4:15pm

Questions? Call 412-365-1174

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM OF PITTSBURGH

10 Children's Way
Allegheny Square
Pittsburgh, PA 15212
412-322-5058

Summer camps at Children's Museum of Pittsburgh and MuseumLab are where kids can explore art, making, storytelling, nature, game design, metalworking and much more! Camps take full advantage of our award-winning exhibits, art studios, maker spaces and garden, all on the largest children's campus in the country. Camp programs are developmentally appropriate and fun, and provide enriching experiences that inspire joy, creativity, curiosity and kindness.

Ages 4-13
June 12, 2023 – August 18, 2023

EVOLVE COACHING

7501 Penn Ave
Suite 101
Pittsburgh, PA 15208
412-744-9017

<https://www.evolve-coaching.org/arts-programming>
info@evolve-coaching.org

Future Camp

Our annual two-week summer arts camp hosts neurodiverse and neurotypical learners ages 12 and up for a series of classes including writing, visual arts, animation, music, and more. In addition to classes led by teaching artists, Future Camp wraps with a celebration called "Future Fest" which features local arts programming vendors, college resource booths, and more.

Monday through Friday, July 24 - August 4, 2023

EXCEPTIONAL ADVENTURES

250 Clever Road

McKees Rocks, PA 15136

412- 446-0713

<http://www.exceptionaladventures.com>

Exceptional Adventures is a non-profit organization with over 35 years of experience providing vacation opportunities, events and monthly dances for individuals with intellectual and developmental disabilities. Our tour coordinators are trained to ensure that each person can have an amazing experience regardless of their needs.

FALLOWFIELD STABLES

155 Yankosky Road

Charleroi, PA 15022

(412)860-3320

<http://www.fallowfieldstables.net>

At Fallowfield our schedule primarily revolves around group lessons. Private lessons are reserved for inexperienced riders or students working on a specific issue with their horse. Group lessons are an hour long and consist of 2-5 riders of a similar age and skill level. This means that adults ride with adults and kids ride with kids. Our goal is to provide a safe and fun environment for you to advance your skills. Group lessons are an hour long and private lessons are 30 minutes. All riders are expected to arrive about 30 minutes before their lesson time to groom and tack up their horse, then stay an additional 15 minutes after the lesson to cool out their horse and put them away. New riders will have assistance with caring for their horse until they feel ready to manage on their own. We have a large selection of school horses that suit all levels of riders, so having your own horse is definitely not necessary to take riding lessons. The only must have is a pair of paddock or field boots (way cheaper than a horse and no mucking required).

FIRED UP ART STUDIO

4151 Washington Road

McMurray, PA 15317

724-941-0302

[2023 Summer Camps – FiredUp | Paint Your Own Pottery and More – Pittsburgh, PA \(firedupwithus.com\)](#)

info@firedupwithus.com

Fired Up is a contemporary ceramics and glass fusing studio. Pottery painting, glass fusion, mosaics and canvas painting. This is more than a craft or painting, it's a lasting experience. Fired Up welcomes everyone, no matter what skill level, to experience the fun of painting your own pottery, fusing glass, painting a canvas, and creating with mosaics and clay. The studio is a place where both kids and adults discover the joy and pride of creating something all their own. Pottery, paint, glass, instruction, and friendly personal attention is provided.

Programs running June 12, 2023 – August 2, 2023

10:00AM – 12:00PM

Ages 6 and up

GLADE RUN ADVENTURES

30 Glade Run Drive

Zelienople, PA 16063

Julie Wahlenmayer

724-452-4453 x1236

<http://www.gladerun.org>

June 19-June 30, 2023 & July 31-August 11, 2023

Monday-Friday, 9am-3pm

Our Specialized Adventures Summer Camp is a fun summer camp experience for special kids! This two-week social skills development day camp is specifically designed for children with moderate to high functioning autism spectrum disorders. However, any child ages 8 to 18 in need of social skill development is considered.

HORSE 'N SOUL
Camp HORSE SENSE

Paradise Hills
115 Gretna Road
Washington, PA 15301
724-288-6088
Email: info.horsensoul@gmail.com
www.horsensoul.com

Horse 'N Soul is thrilled to offer our annual Horse Sense Camp every summer in the month of July! Our camp offers children the unique ability to gain a wealth of knowledge of ALL things horse-related, while having a blast doing so! We have designed our program to combine all the elements children love about camp, along with hands-on learning that will keep them interested & excited the entire week! All Children Ages 8-16 Welcome!
2023 Session Dates: Monday, July 17th - Friday, July 21st

HORSES UNLIMITED STABLES

185 Stoltz Road
Library, PA 15129
412-835-7726
www.horsesunlimitedstables.com
Email: unlimitedhorses@aol.com

We operate two separate Pony Camps each August for the brand new or beginner rider, ages 5-10 years old. They offer safe, enjoyable horse riding experiences for beginner riders. All new Campers receive a **free** horse care kit. For 2023 the first camp is August 7 - 10 and the second is August 14 - 17. Email or call for an application! Pre-registration & deposit required.

KANG'S BLACK BELT ACADEMY

411 Richland Avenue
Canonsburg, PA 15317
724-263-6473
<http://www.kangsbba.com>

Our Tae Kwon Do Programs are based on the core values of Martial Arts training. "Tae Kwon Do Begins and Ends With Respect." From this basic premise, we develop the student's awareness and skills in five primary areas (or Tenets): courtesy, integrity, perseverance, self-control, and indomitable spirit. Our core curriculum includes hi-energy drills and skills designed to build and condition each student's

attitude, behavior and overall character development. Our Tae Kwon Do and Leadership Elite training helps children and adults develop greater self-control and self-discipline in everything they do. Our training instills confidence through positive coaching, lots of encouragement and a powerful mentoring relationship with role model leaders. Our Lil' Dragon Karate Program teaches valuable life skills that focus on Goal-Setting, positive attitude, relationship building, communication skills and leadership. We offer an exciting step-by-step coaching approach to develop these critical personal development and hi-level achievement skills.

IN-STRIDE WITH THERAPEUTIC RIDING INC.

637 Valley View Road
Eighty Four, PA 15330
724-884-5660
Email: infor.instride@gmail.com
<https://instride-horse.com/>

Providing therapeutic horse related activities to individuals with physical, mental and emotional disabilities as well as cancer survivors. We strive to provide a safe environment for children and adults to gain strength and confidence. Changing lives one hoof beat at a time.

KATHY'S MUSIC

501 Valley Brook Road, Suite 104
McMurray, PA 15317
412-345-5200
<http://kathysmusic.com/offerings/offerings/>

Why Kathy's Music? An appreciation of and love for music is one of the greatest gifts we can give each other and ourselves. At Kathy's Music, we believe it's always the right time for music education. That's why we offer a wide array of programs ideal for everyone from the littlest learners in a Kindermusik class to adults who want to learn an instrument.

Cognitive Music gives the brain a workout through memory and recall, focusing, listening and interpreting, and problem solving. All of these are so important to keep young minds learning and adult minds guessing!

Social-Emotional Music fosters emotional connections and exploration. Children in music classes develop a sense of community, and enhance their self-esteem by learning new skills. Adults can reap the same benefits as they learn and have fun doing it!

KINDERCARE LEARNING CENTER

Washington Hospital KinderCare

63-67 Wilson Avenue

Washington, PA 15301

724-223-0331

<http://www.kindercare.com/our-centers/washington/pa/073020>

McMurray KinderCare

118 Wilhaven Drive

McMurray, PA 15317

724-941-4579

<http://www.kindercare.com/our-centers/mcmurray/pa/301845>

Ages: 6 weeks to 8 years

Open: 6:15 AM to 6:15 PM, M-F

Winter break, spring break, summer break—when school's out (but you still need to work), you can count on KinderCare to provide a safe and supportive learning environment that's focused on fun. We welcome children ages 5–12 during school break times and make sure they have a sensational, screen-free experience they won't forget. We offer flexible scheduling options to meet the needs of busy families like yours so we hope to see you there. We provide high-quality child care and award-winning curriculum for more than 40 years. Whether you're looking for a Summer Program, before- or after-school programs, part-time or full-time child care, KinderCare offers fun and learning at an affordable price.

LEMOYNE MULTI-CULTURAL COMMUNITY CENTER

200 Forrest Avenue

Washington, PA 15301

724-228-0260

<https://www.lemoynecommunitycenter.org/>

While serving people of all ages, the LeMoyne Community Center is primarily focused on the need for youth to have a positive outlet for their energy and creativity. Our Homework and More, American Girl and Camp Challenge programs are major factors behind the 50% decrease in the local youth crime rate. Additionally, we include healthful nutrition as part of our programs, and currently provide thousands of meals to children throughout Washington County as part of our summer Camp Challenge program!

Positive outcomes achieved by the Center are continually evaluated through a number of factors, including the number of participants

served daily and annually. Washington County school districts have agreed to provide us with report cards each period for every student who attends the Center. This information is used as a concrete metric to determine student progress and to continue to enhance our programming.

THE LITTLE GYM (3 – 12 Year Olds)

3909 Washington Road

Donaldson's Crossroads, Suite 205

McMurray, PA 15317

724-941-0100

<http://www.thelittlegym.com/PittsburghSouthHillsPA/parties-camps/camps>

Day camp at The Little Gym of Pittsburgh-South Hills gives your kid the summer camp experience without the bug bites, poison ivy and week-long commitments. Combining fun physical activity, games, and arts & crafts, we'll help your child beat the summer heat by staying cool at The Little Gym. Our fantastic camps in McMurray are also available during some other school breaks!

LITTLE LAKE THEATER COMPANY

500 Lakeside Drive South

Canonsburg, PA 15317

724-745-6300

<https://www.littlelake.org/classes-camps>

Acting Camp

Ages 9 - 16 | July 24th-28th, 2023

Half Day: 9am-12pm

Full Day: 9am-3pm,

Love being creative? Have a flair for the dramatic? This acting camp is the place for you. Have a blast while studying all things acting! The morning session will focus on acting skill building, with dynamic small group classes in scene study, character movement, voice for the actor, and improv. Stay the whole day for double the fun! After a lunch break, campers will have elective classes in theatre topics including theatre design, playwriting, acting for film, monologues, theatre games, and much more!

Be A Star: Session 1 - THE Great American Road Trip

Ages 6 - 10 | June 12-16, 2023

10AM - 12PM

Go "Surfin' USA" on the California beaches. Take an iconic drive down "Rt. 66." Discover the great white way in "New York, New York."

Come act, sing, and dance your way through iconic songs and stories set in some of our favorite American locations. Each day, with the Great American Road Trip as inspiration, campers will have classes in acting, singing, dancing, and theatre design/arts and crafts. Grab a seat as we take a theatrical road trip across America!

Be A Star: Session 2 - Around the World in 5 Days

Ages 6 - 10 | June 19-23

10AM - 12PM

Grab your theatre passports and join us as we act, sing, and dance our way on a journey around the world. Each day campers will have classes in acting, singing, dancing, and theatre design/arts and crafts as they explore favorite songs and stories set on all seven continents. This camp is sure to be a theatrical summer vacation to remember.

Be a Star: Session 3 - More to Explore!

Ages 6 - 10 | July 31-August 4

10AM - 12PM

Grab your theatre passports and join us as we continue to act, sing, and dance our way on a journey around the world. Each day campers will have classes in acting, singing, dancing, and theatre design/arts and crafts as they explore favorite songs and stories set on all seven continents. This camp is sure to be a theatrical summer vacation to remember!

Musical Theater Camp: Session 1

Oklahoma! Youth Edition

Ages 9 - 16 | June 26-30

9AM - 3PM

Final performance at 7pm on June 30th

Hey, campers! Let's put on a show! Join us for a fun filled exploration of musical theatre as we put on a full musical in a week. All campers will take lessons in rehearsal techniques, singing, acting, and dancing, as they prepare for our camp production of Oklahoma! Each camper will have a featured role in the show and a chance to shine! Join us as we make musical theatre magic!

Musical Theater Camp: Session 2

Oklahoma! Youth Edition

Ages 9 - 16 | July 10-14, 2023

9AM - 3PM

Final performance at 7pm on July 14th

Another opening, another show! Join us for a fun filled exploration of musical theatre as we put on a full musical in a week. All campers will take lessons in rehearsal techniques, singing, acting, and dancing, as they prepare for our camp production of Oklahoma! Each camper will

have a featured role in the show and a chance to shine! Join us as we make musical theatre magic!

MON VALLEY YMCA

101 Taylor Run Road, Route 88

Monongahela, PA 15063

724-483-8077

<http://monvalleyymca.org/programs/camp>

“Camp is an opportunity for all children to increase their self-esteem, learn to make good choices, and create new friendships. “ It is our belief that all campers are unique individuals who develop at their own rate physically, emotionally, and socially. Therefore our goal is to create as many positive experiences as is possible in our camp program. It is our hope that these experiences will foster creativity and individuality in each camper. It is also our goal to help campers have a better awareness and acceptance of themselves and others. Most of all we want all campers to have fun!

4-6 Year Camp Themes:

1. My Happy Place (June 12-16) Poppy is off on another quest to help her Troll friends. You will have to be fast to out run the Bergen's, smart to find where the Trolls are hiding, and have lots of imagination to find your happy place. Take home a bright friendly Troll and a colorful rainbow to put in your happy place. Have fun making your friends laugh and do some crazy rainbow dancing. An original game board of “Troll Land is yours to play with your family! It will remind you of a place to smile, giggle, and have so much fun you never want to leave!

2. Paw Patrol, On a Roll (June 19-23) Come join Chase, Skye and their friends in a fun filled week of adventure. Rocky will help us recycle & make a fire hydrant. You can help in Zuma's “Water Rescue” and Marshall's “Fire Extinguisher” game. Rubble has a building challenge for you and Tracker's animal round-up is fantastic fun! Finish the week helping Everest with a snow rescue mission & earn your own rescue badge. You will look great in your Paw T-shirt!

3. Curious George in Space (June 26-30) George has been asked to help save the astronauts on the space station and would like you to come along. We will learn about planets and being weightless. Be careful not to get hit by flying asteroids! We will have so much fun hopping from planet to planet with our jet packs. Don't forget to take home planet Saturn, moon rocks and some glow in the dark constellations!

4. Pirates and Mermaids (July 10-14) Pirates are back to take over Mermaid Lagoon & with your help, they won't have a chance! It looks like there will be a ship race, sword fight and "Crocodile Swim." With the pirates defeated, it will be time to hunt for their pirate treasure. Don't forget to take home your bounty, pearl necklace or pirate hat, a telescope and a pet parrot. Let's try a little "Follow the Leader" and "Pirate Pass" just for fun. We'll all look more like pirates or mermaids by the end of the week.

5. Mario Bros Adventure (July 17-21) Mario and Luigi must save Princess Peach from the Goombas! On the way, we will all get to collect coins and put them in our coin holder for safe keeping. A "Mario World" obstacle course will be tricky. Don't drop the Yoshi eggs in our relay! Who will get the most coins for their boxes? You will take home Cheep-Cheep fish and Mario or Luigi for your collection. How will you survive the fireball challenge or Bombs- away course? We all seem to be looking a lot more like Mario and Luigi these days. Come be part of the adventure.

6. Return of Scooby Doo (July 24-28) Shaggy, Scooby and the gang are back to solve the mystery of who is stealing the Scooby snacks! Tjough this is serious work, we can have fun too. How about a "Ghost Getaway" to round up all the loose ghosts? Then we can play "Zombie Tag" or "Feed the Monsters" to keep them happy. You will make a spider friend, so you never forget your creepy adventure. Have you seen a glow-in-the dark ghost? When you get home you can take a little swipe at your monster pinata. Going through the creepy castle is the only way to save the Scooby snacks once and for all. Shaggy and Scooby need your help!

7. Lilo and Stitch's Luau (July 31-August 4) Surf's up but where are you? Come join Lilo and Stitch as they do a little surfing and enjoy a little Rock n Roll. Combing the sand for treasure is sure to please. Making sand dollars and a really cool beach shirt will help you fit right in. Let's enjoy a little "Smashing the Stitch" and have fun "Ringing the Flamingo." We can definitely handle any strange aliens that come to visit. Maybe they will enjoy our Luau with leis and limbo. You'll never forget your time at the beach Lilo style with your fun in the sun frame. ALOHA!

7-12 Year Camp Themes:

1. TMNT Power! (June 12-16) They're back! Ready to take on the evil Food Clan? Can we help the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles

capture Splinter and put him away for good? We'll test our skills of balance, hand-eye coordination and accuracy with weapons in our ninja training course. Competitions will be tough in the TMNT dodge ball and "Pizza Relay." You'll perfect your chopstick skills in the "Ninja Chop." Your adventure is not complete without your own Michelangelo, Leonardo, or Donatello pillow!

2. A Knight's Tale (June 19-23) There is royalty at the camp this week. Join kings, queens, knights and wizards in the castle you build, Knights will share their archery skills with you. Let's play a little "Defeat the Dragon" and "Cross the Moat." You will have to save the princess from the evil wizard but where did he hide her? Your quest success will depend on your map reading and clue solving skills to find the Holy Grail. You will take home your own dragon, catapult and shield. Learn about medieval times while you have lots of fun!

3. Minecraft Camp (June 26-30) Join us to forge for materials in our unique Minecraft camp experience. Your team will find materials and build a house with the things you find on our scavenger hunt. Make a torch to keep monsters at bay. Dig for diamonds and jewels and be the first team to collect the most blocks. Use your skills to protect the villagers and escape the zombies! Take home a Creeper shirt and a Perler sword. End your week with a campfire to celebrate your success!

4. Goosebumps (July 10-14) If you love creepy mystery stories you will be super excited about this week at camp! Welcome to Camp Nightmare! The week starts with a few mummies from "The Curse of the Mummy's Tomb." Then there will be some crazy lawn gnomes. I wonder what they are up to? We'll definitely have to deal with a creature teacher or two. Dr. Eek's lab is bound to hold a few surprises, so watch your step. Don't forget to take home your own gnome, mummy and zombie. Though the counselors seem a little stranger than normal, I promise it's all harmless fun.

5. Spy Kids (July 17-21) Your presence is requested for a top secret mission. Someone has taken Miss Barb's favorite glue gun. She is offering a super reward for the team that can find it and return it to her. To complete this mission, you will have to develop skills in puzzle solving and decoding messages. You must, at all times, stay anonymous and undercover! A special spy kit is needed for you to complete your work. Of course, Duct tape always comes in handy to make things indestructible. Teamwork is the key this week! Join our team and try out your skills, and learn some really awesome new ones!

6. Shark Week (July 24-28) Let's enjoy a little beach fun at the Y this week. We'll start the week with some "Shark" volleyball. Don't be afraid, the sharks are harmless, most of them anyway. Make a shark week sign and shark tooth necklace. Have you ever gone on a shark hunt? Well here's your chance! I'm sure a shark cage will help. Maybe if we feed the sharks it will keep them happy. You will also take home a surfboard sun-catcher and some sand art. Enjoy a lot of sun, sand, water and SHARKS!

7. Superhero Carnival (July 31-August 4) Come join some of your favorite superheroes and a few new ones for our carnival week. To warm up, join in our "Superhero Relay." How are you at "Protecting the Humans?" Or a "Villain Hunt?" If you could design a superhero, what would he or she be like? This is your chance to bring your ideas to life with the help of your counselors. Keep all your superhero secrets in a special keepsake box. Take home a superhero cape and your own personal "Mini Superhero." You can test out your skills at our famous "Superhero Carnival" at the end of the week. These games will be designed and built by our campers. Of course there will be face painting and prizes too.

OGLEBAY RESORT AND CONFERENCE CENTER

465 Lodge Drive
Wheeling, WV 26003
1-877-436-1797

<https://www.oglebay.com/summer-camps/>

Horse Lover's Camp at the Oglebay Stables

Hop in the saddle again! From beginner to advanced, this camp is perfect for riders at any level. Riders will learn about horse safety, grooming, how to trot independently, and more. Riders must be at least seven years old and weigh under 200 pounds.

<https://oglebay.com/activities/horseback-riding/horse-lovers-camp/>

Summer Camps at Oglebay Institute

Oglebay Institute has been providing area children with safe, well-supervised, educational camps for more than 50 years. Each year brings new topics and new ways to inspire.

Available for children of all ages, Oglebay Institute Summer Day Camps are held each year from June through August. Taught by professional educators, each week of camp is designed around a different theme. Topics include art, dance, nature and theater. Sign-up early, many camps sell out quickly!

Camp scholarships are available to assist families in taking advantage of these fun and educational programs.

<http://www.oionline.com/camps/>

Wheeling Park Day Camp

Wheeling Park Day Camp has been a favorite childhood tradition in the Ohio Valley for many years. The program provides children the opportunity to participate in games, make crafts, swim and enjoy all that beautiful Wheeling Park has to offer. Our staff, including directors, craft coordinators, and counselors, has over 30 years of experience working with children of all ages and abilities. We pride ourselves in offering a camp experience that is safe, activity-filled but most importantly fun!

<https://oglebay.com/wheeling-park/day-camp/>

Good Zoo Camps

Through hands-on activities, experiments and live animals, participants will learn about wildlife, nature, science and the outdoors! Various camp programs are available for ages three and up. Most camp programs are from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. with before and aftercare available. The zoo's experienced education staff teaches these ALL-NEW programs! The zoo's education staff is trained in

CPR and first aid. Lifeguards are on duty for all swimming activities. Camp sizes are limited so register early! A "Parent's Guide to Good Zoo Camps" is available at www.oglebay.com. This guide has an easy-to-read calendar of all camp programs, answers frequently asked questions and provides more detail of camp policies and procedures.

[Good Zoo Summer Camps - Oglebay : Oglebay](#)

PA BALLET CONSERVATORY

123 Hidden Valley Rd, Suite C

McMurray, PA 15317

724-747-8943

<https://pennballet.com/>

Registration is now open for the 2023 summer camps, classes and intensives! The offer programs all summer long for kids of all ages. Weekly camps offered June 12 – August 11, 2023.

PA STATE POLICE

Camp Cadet

724-223-5200

<https://www.psp.pa.gov/troop%20directory/Pages/Troop-B.aspx>

Camp Cadet is a summer camp for boys and girls from Pennsylvania between the ages of twelve to fifteen. The camp is held at various locations throughout the State and staffed by Troopers, local police officers and many other volunteers. The goal of Camp Cadet is to introduce participants to the diverse criminal justice system and establish a positive relationship with law enforcement personnel. Camp Cadet is open to all youth and is structured similar to training at the police academy. All participants who attend camp cadet are addressed as “Cadet” during the week. Cadets are required to participate in all scheduled events. The camp focuses on discipline, self-esteem, teamwork, drug and alcohol education, violence prevention and many other issues facing today’s youth. There is no cost associated to attend Camp Cadet.

PA TROLLEY MUSEUM

<https://pa-trolley.org/education/summer-camps/>

Looking for a fun, unique summer camp experience for your child? The Pennsylvania Trolley Museum is hosting STEAM-focused summer camps for children ages 6 – 12. Camps combine science, technology, engineering, art, and math along with local history. We offer day camps for children ages 6 – 12. Our camps are packed full of educational content, hands-on activities, and loads of fun! All camps include behind-the-scenes tours, interactive guided tours of our collection and exhibits, and rides on several of our fully-restored antique trolleys.

All summer camps run Monday – Friday (unless otherwise noted).
Camp hours are from 9:00 AM – 12:00 PM.

LEGO® Camp June 12 – 16 (Ages 6 – 8)

Join us for a week of LEGO® themed building challenges and fun! Learn about the world of engineering while investigating different modes of transportation. Construct simple machines, build catapults and cable cars, then plan and design a LEGO® Town and Trolley Park.

LEGO® Engineering Camp June 20 – 23* (No camp on Monday) (Ages 9 – 12)

Join us for a week of LEGO® themed engineering challenges! Explore the forces of tension and compression to build the tallest towers, sturdiest structures, and longest bridges. Design a paper airplane launcher, construct a rubber band powered car, and create a chain reaction contraption.

STEAM Camp June 26 – 30 (Ages 6 – 8)

It's full STEAM ahead in a camp dedicated to all things science, technology, engineering, art, and math! Build, test, and measure the tallest towers, longest bridges, strongest structures, and fastest vehicles. Explore the history of transportation, construct working circuits out of dough, and shrink a trolley down to pocket-size!

Transportation Station July 10 – 14 (Ages 6 – 8)

Explore trolleys and trains to boats, cars, and planes! Investigate the motion and physics of how things move, test different flying contraptions, and launch tiny rockets. Build barges, design racecars, and learn the ins and outs of being a trolley conductor.

Engineers of Tomorrow July 31 – August 4 (Ages 9 – 12)

Science, history, and technology come together as we explore the past and plan for the future of transportation! Test the conductivity of various materials, investigate renewable energy sources, and construct working circuits. Code with Sphero Robotics to program automated transit routes and avoid obstacles, then build and race robot-powered horsecars.

PITTSBURGH CENTER FOR THE ARTS

1047 Shady Avenue
Pittsburgh, PA 15232
412-361-00455

[Pittsburgh Center for Arts and Media - PCA&M \(pghartsmedia.org\)](http://pghartsmedia.org)

Summer Art Camps

Each summer, our goal at Pittsburgh Center for Arts and Media is to create outstanding art-focused camps for school-aged children (6-17). These camps are taught by talented, experienced teachers; supported by qualified, engaged assistants; and managed by an efficient, collaborative administrative team, all at our Shadyside campus. Many camps combine artistic practices across mediums, allowing students to blend traditional forms with 21st-century techniques. With over 100 camps to choose from each year, PF/PCA's summer art camp program continues to grow and serve the region's ever-changing needs. Through the generous support of our members and the community, PF/PCA provides financial aid, ensuring that every young artist can participate and create. Art Camps allow children and teens to explore a wide variety of mediums, often in an interdisciplinary setting. Campers work alongside talented teaching artists to learn new skills, develop their interests, collaborate with peers and create their own work. Each camp is offered to a specific age range and is tailored to the developmental needs of that

group. Our high school programs are intensive project-based programs designed specifically for high school students. Highly trained and experienced teaching artists provide students with a college-like atmosphere to explore a variety of mediums. High school programs utilize both PCA's fine arts studios and media labs, and Pittsburgh Filmmakers' professional filmmaking and photography facilities.

POINT PARK UNIVERSITY

201 Wood Street

Pittsburgh, PA 15222

412-392-3456

<https://www.pointpark.edu/about/aboutpittsburgh/livingandlearninginpittpburgh/community-and-summer-programs/youth-and-high-school-students/index>

Point Park University offers a number of camps and workshops open to the community. Space is limited; registration forms available at the above website.

Summer Dance Programs

International Summer Dance - June 18 to July 29, 2023 (2, 3 or 6 weeks)

Choreography Collective - July 9 to July 15, 2023 and July 16 to July 23, 2023

Summer Dance Workshop - July 17 to July 23, 2023

Cinema Arts Programs

Screenwriting Intensive - June 25 – June 30, 2023

3D Animation Intensive – July 16 – July 28, 2023

2D Animation Intensive - July 16 - July 28, 2023

Athletics

Esports

League of Legends (LoL) - June 27 - June 30, 2022 - Ages 14-18

Rocket League (RL) - July 25 - July 28, 2022 - Ages 11-14

Theater

Theatre Intensive – June 18 – July 1, 2023

THE SALVATION ARMY

Amber Imhoff

60 East Maiden Street

Washington, Pa 15301

724-225-5740 ext. 112

amber.imhoff@use.salvationarmy.org

<http://salvationarmywpa.org>

Family Reading Picnics

Bring chairs or blankets to sit as a family group. Join the fun as a family each week. All Ages!

Family Craft

FREE Book for each child

Each week is different

PICNIC TREATS

Camp Allegheny

Ellwood City, Pa

Thank you for choosing Camp Allegheny for one of your Child's adventures this summer! We are excited to be able to help them enjoy the great outdoors this summer! These are overnight, week long camp sessions. We provide transportation from The Salvation Army in Washington to Camp at the beginning of the week and back at the end of the week.

2023 Camp Sessions

June 19-24: Music Camp

June 26-30: Animation Camp

July 3-7: Stem Camp #1

July 10-14: Sports Camp

July 17-21: Stem Camp #2

July 24-28: Program Camp #1

July 31-Aug 4: Program Camp #2

SAINT VINCENT COLLEGE

Kathy Beining

300 Fraser Purchase Road

Latrobe, PA 15650

724-805-2981 Ext 2981

<http://www.stvincentchallenge.org/>

Saint Vincent College offers the Challenge Program, a longstanding academic summer camp that is both educational and entertaining, with two options, one a day camp for students in grades K-4 and the other an overnight camp, for students in grades 5-12.

Certified teachers teach all courses or experts in their field and the counselors are SVC pre-service education students.

Each program offers an educational and fun-filled week.

For students entering grades 5-12, Challenge offers a weeklong sleep-away experience on campus, incorporating both academic content and evening entertainment such as a talent show, escape room, pool party and dance.

For students in kindergarten through fourth grade, the program offers opportunities to work on physical and intellectual skills as well as fun experiences such as a planetarium show and theme-related activities.

SHADY SIDE ACADEMY

Nathan Verbanets

423 Fox Chapel Road

Pittsburgh, PA 15238

412-447-2230

<http://www.shadysideacademy.org/summer>

Summer is a unique time for students to grow. After the school year ends, a good summer camp or class can give your child the opportunity to discover new passions, hone existing talents, forge new friendships and tackle personal challenges.

Shady Side Academy has offered generations of Pittsburgh families fun, flexible and affordable summer programs. Our campuses in Fox Chapel and Point Breeze play host to a wealth of day camps, focus camps, sports camps and summer school classes for elementary, middle and high school students. High-energy programming, combined with a knowledgeable and experienced staff make SSA Summer programs unlike any other in the region! New this year, we are offering flexible one-week enrollments at all campuses!

SHEKINAH WESTERN RANCH CAMP

77 Chestnut Road
Charleroi, PA 15022
724-483-4343

<http://www.yourcamp.org/>

Email: reachus@shekinahranch.com

Lil' Buckaroos & Cowpokes Day Camp

An exciting place where imagination becomes reality. This creative alternative to traditional Day Care programs is designed to help young camper's ages 5 - 10 learn about God's love, explore the outdoors, and make new friends through adventurous activities and new experiences. Pony Rides, Crafts, Swimming Pool, Playground and more. We place an important emphasis on kindness, thoughtfulness, and respect for one another. Monday –Friday 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Overnight Camps

Ages 8 - 15 years for horse camps and basketball camp.

All Girls Horse Crazy Camp Our most popular camp for horse loving girls! Includes a full week of riding, horse theory, care, safety and games that will be fun and challenging for every experience level. As with the other camps, campers will experience all Shekinah Ranch has to offer.

All Around Cowboy Camp (Co-Ed) this is a horse camp for everyone! Boys and girls will be in separate cabins but will participate in most daily activities with other groups or altogether. Includes a full week of riding, horse theory, care, safety and games that will be fun and challenging for this experience level. As with the other camps, campers will experience all Shekinah Ranch has to offer.

SIMMONS FARM

170 Simmons Road
McMurray, Pa 15317

<https://www.simmonsfarm.com/farmcamp.html>

Little Farmers Camp

Looking for a great way for your kids to get close to the food they eat, get outdoors and have fun at the same time? If so, our Little Farmers Camp is for you. A few things that your child will enjoy are hayrides, petting zoo, Play area, crafts, crop picking and many other activities. (All activities, crafts, songs, and snacks are subject to change.)

Dates: Tuesdays
Time: 9 a.m. - 12 a.m.
Ages: 5-9

Themes for each week.
July 12th - Farm Animals
July 19th - Seeds and Planting
July 26th - Farm equipment
August 2nd - Flowers and irrigation
August 9th - Tree fruits

SNAPOLOGY DISCOVERY CENTER – PITTSBURGH

1350 Old Pond Road
Bridgeville, PA 15017
412-295-1545
<https://pittsburgh.snapology.com/>
Email: info@snapology.com

At Snapology of Pittsburgh, we believe that children are meant to learn through play. When children are engaged in interactive, hands-on learning activities, their creativity flourishes and they show an increased interest in school. We help your child grow up with a thirst for knowledge. How do we do it? Snapology engages children ages 1-14 using LEGO® bricks, K'Nex and technology. While the kids are having fun with familiar toys, laptops and iPads, we sneak in the learning. Shh, do not tell them it is educational!

Snapology of Pittsburgh is the premier partner for STEAM programs, offering year-round programs in schools, community facilities, homes and in our Discovery Center. Kids have so much fun in our programs that they do not even realize they are learning!

SOUTHWEST PA STEM FEST

The Community Pavilion
Main Street
Washington, PA
<https://www.thestemfest.com/>

We returned to The Community Pavilion on Main Street in Washington, PA for our fifth annual Southwest PA STEM Fest! The event was held on September 9th. We are excited for you to join us and explore the advancements in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) within our local businesses and schools in Southwestern PA.

**SOUTHWESTERN PENNSYLVANIA HUMAN SERVICES -SPHS
Summer Enhancement Program**

Ringgold Elementary School South
120 Alexander Drive
Monongahela, Pa 15063
724-684-6489 ext 4523
Dana DeFonso

The SPHS Behavioral Health Summer Enhancement Program is designed to serve youth who have high functioning Autism and/ or a behavioral health diagnosis. The program is designed to be a therapeutic experience which provides youth ages 6-17 the opportunity to engage in a variety of structured social, peer, developmental, and therapeutic activities.

The Summer Enhancement Program will run 9:00 AM to 2:00 PM
Monday-Thursday.

Ages 13-17 – July 10-13, 2023

Ages 10-12 – July 17-20, 2023

Ages 6-9 – July 24-27, 2023

WASHINGTON COUNTY PARKS AND RECREATION

100 West Beau Street, Suite 705
Washington, PA 15301
724-228-6867

www.co.washington.pa.us/index.aspx?nid=164

The Department of Parks and Recreation is responsible for 5,500 acres of park land in Washington County, offering picnic shelters, nature trails, bicycle and bridle trails, hunting and fishing, as well as recreational programs and special events. The department is in charge of Mingo Creek, Cross Creek, and Ten Mile Creek county parks. All of the county parks are open all year long and house two covered bridges. Activities within these parks are controlled through a permit system. Parks and Recreation is responsible for maintenance of these parks.

WASHINGTON PARK

283 Dunn Avenue
Washington, PA 15301
724-228-2812

[City of Washington, PA - Parks & Rec \(basgov.com\)](http://City of Washington, PA - Parks & Rec (basgov.com))

Home of the PONY League World Series, Washington Park features a playground, swings, an outdoor swimming pool with waterslide, tennis courts, pavilion areas and nature trails.

WASHINGTON YOUTH BASEBALL

(Fields at Washington Park, 283 Dunn Avenue)

<http://washyouthbaseball.com/>

WILFRED R. CAMERON WELLNESS CENTER

240 Wellness Way

Washington, PA 15301

724-225-9355

<https://wrcameronwellness.org/kids-family/campsandclinics/>

Dates: June 12th – August 18th

Our Youth Performance Camps & Clinics are designed to integrate play with performance, teaching fitness-as-fun principles, that give your kids foundational tools that they need to live active & healthy lives. Using our four-pillars approach, our youth performance training is an extension of our EXOS-certified programming, gearing towards youth (grades 1 – 8) and emerging athletes.

YOUTH SUMMER DAY CAMP 2023

<https://pittsburgh-ultimate.org/camps>

Welcome to Pittsburgh Ultimate Youth Summer Day Camps! Ultimate frisbee is great fun and terrific exercise. Campers will learn ultimate frisbee skills like throwing and catching in addition to playing other fun field games with friends and spending time at the swimming pool. Learn fair play! Ultimate is a self-refereed game that focuses on fair play and mutual respect. Our curriculum emphasizes constructive conflict-resolution skill building, teaching campers how to resolve disputes honestly and with integrity.

Camp Details

Each week-long camp is 5 full days in a row

We welcome campers ages 7-14.

Registration also includes a complimentary shirt and disc for each camper, daily swimming pool access, convenient bus options, and daily snacks.

Campers are invited to attend from 1 week or up to 3 weeks of camp this summer.

For additional resources, click the link below.

<https://washingtonpa.findhelp.com/>