

Kiddie Kamp

Parent Manual

2021

Mission Statement

To enhance the quality of life by providing parks, open space and recreational opportunities for the Antioch Village residents, while preserving and enhancing the natural benefits of the environment.



Parks and Recreation Department

Meet the Staff

Mary Quilty- Director of Parks and Recreation Dept.

Grace Weber- Kiddie Kamp Director

Counselors- the camper to counselor ratio for Kiddie Kamp is 5:1, all counselors are CPR/First and Epi-Pen trained.

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Summer Camp Parent Handbook

Kiddie Kamp provides a safe and enjoyable atmosphere and a chance to allow children to gain new experiences. Kiddie Kamp will offer both structured and unstructured activities each day. Activities will include arts and crafts, games, creative play, nature study, water play and weekly themes.

List of what to bring each day:

- Backpack
- Change of clothes to be left in backpack (shorts, socks, underwear)
- Sunscreen-please apply before you bring them to camp and staff will reapply
- Refillable water bottle
- Healthy Snack
- Lunch
- Gym shoes (no flipflops or sandals allowed)
- Bathing suit and towel

PLEASE LABEL EVERYTHING

Daily Schedule of Camp

9:00am – arrival and sign in
9:30am- Singing and games
10:00am- Snack
10:15am- Craft
10:45- Park
11:30am- Lunch
12:15pm- Water play
1:00pm- Pick up
***schedule subject to change**

Arrival and Departure

Camp is held in the 2-year classroom of Camp Crayon, (806 Holbek Dr). All children will need to be brought into the classroom and signed in. The classroom is located through the front office. Anyone picking up should have a phot ID, please do not be offended if a director or counselor doesn't remember you. It is for your child's safety.

Camper Information Form

Please fill out the camper information/medical consent form before your child's first day of camp. It is extremely important that we receive this form filled out completely. If we do not receive this form, your child will not be able to attend camp.

Water Days

Staff plan to have water activities every day, as long as the weather permits. They will set up wading pools and sprinklers for the children to enjoy. Water activities will be the end of the day, if your child doesn't mind being in their suit, please send them dressed in bathing suit. Otherwise staff will help them change each day.

Sunscreen

All campers need to come to camp with sunscreen applied. Staff will reapply before water activities. Please check backpack regularly for replenishing sunscreen.

Snacks and Lunch

Please send a healthy snack for the morning and a lunch. Keep in mind that lunches will not be put in a refrigerator, use ice packs. All campers should have a refillable water bottle with them every day. Lunch and snack are eaten outside on the picnic table or at the park.

Pizza Day

There are assigned pizza days, this is completely optional to parents. On the given day bring \$3 for cheese pizza lunch for your camper. It will be ordered from Domino's Pizza here in Antioch.

Dress

Please dress your child for the weather each day. No sandals or open toe shoes allowed-GYM SHOES ONLY. Remember that your child will get dirty at camp and needs to wear appropriate clothes. All campers will receive a camp T-shirt.

Rain

Camp goes on rain or shine! The indoor classroom and gym will be used if inclement weather.

Walking Field Trips

Camp will be taking five walking field trips around town; they are listed on the camp calendar. There is no extra charge.

Behavior

Children are entitled to a pleasant and harmonious environment at camp and setting guidelines for good behavior are a part of the system we must follow. The camp director will speak to you personally if there is an issue with your child. Please help your child understand that bad behavior will not be tolerated.

Registration

The registration deadline is the Wednesday before the week you are registering for. Once registration is processed, NO CHANGES can be made to that registration. Kiddie Kamp is entitled to the discount day camp pool pass of \$25.

Have a great summer!