



# Summer Camp News



## HK Recreation Office

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## Camp Discovery (Gr. 1-2)

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## Camp Adventure (Gr. 3-5)

Gwen Plum, **Head Counselor/Sport**  
 Brian Zak, **Assistant Head/A&C**

## Camp Explorers (Gr. 6-8)

Karen Graham, **Head Counselor/A&C**  
 Kevin Dennis, **Assistant Head/Sport**

## Extended Camp

**AM:** Maeghann Revis **PM:** Lisa Stankiewicz

## Senior Counselors

Ben Alonzo  
 Stephen Anzenberger  
 Alyssa Barbagallo  
 Mike Barile  
 Anna Biondi  
 Marie Emerson  
 Thomas Emerson  
 Danielle Fitting  
 Jonathan Grasso  
 Melissa Kubacka  
 Max LiPuma  
 Abigail Manley  
 Collin McLaughlin  
 Nick Oullette  
 Allison Rourke  
 Julia Saglio  
 Molly Spooner

## Junior Counselors

Adelle Biondi  
 Patrick Boots  
 Kyra Brennan  
 Maya Casagrande  
 Rebecca Fisher  
 Landon Ghiroli  
 Matthew Miranda  
 Saige Sevigny

## CITs

Adam Alonzo  
 Kevin Cavrell  
 Jenna Griffith  
 Melissa Manley  
 Joe Mercier  
 Corey Phipps  
 Rhianna Phipps  
 Matteo Piacenti



## CAMP HOURS

**June 26 - August 10 (No 7/4)** (meets rain or shine)  
**7:00 AM - 6:00 PM** (full-day camp)  
**7:00 AM - 3:30 PM** (extended am camp)  
**9:00 AM - 3:30 PM** (camp only)  
**9:00 AM - 6:00 PM** (extended pm camp)

## DROP - OFF / PICK -UP LOCATIONS

All drop-offs before 9 am and pick-ups after 5pm will be in the HK HS Caf. Campers must be signed in/out.

**Gr. 1 & 2** will be located in the HS Cafeteria between the hours of 9:00 am & 5:00 pm. All campers should be dropped off below the cafeteria and walked upstairs. PM extended day will stay in the Caf. at 4:00 pm.

**Gr. 3 - 5** will be located in the Old Middle School Room A-129 between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm. All campers should be dropped off at the Old MS courtyard. PM Extended Day will be walked to the Caf. at 5:00 pm

**Gr. 6 - 8** will be located in the Old MS Rooms A-119 between the hours of 9:00 am & 5:00 pm. All campers should enter at the Old MS Main Entrance. PM extended day will be walked to the Caf. at 5 pm.

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

If you wish to register week to week, please register by 6:00 PM the Wednesday preceding the week your child will attend, or you will be subject to a \$25 late fee. Any registrations received on Monday morning of the week you are registering for will be subject to a \$35 late fee!

On-Line Registration is available at [www.hkrec.com](http://www.hkrec.com)

## THINGS WE NEED WHEN REGISTERING...

A copy of your child's health record for all new campers who have not attended before. All campers entering Gr. 7 must also provide us with an updated health record.



## CAMP EXPLORERS LUNCH SPECIAL

**Pizza Fridays for gr. 6-8:** Please send \$4 on 7/6, 7/20, 8/3 if your child wants pizza.

## MEDICATION POLICY

Please see Jen for the appropriate forms if your child will need medication during camp. The staff should be notified of any child who is given medication during the day, even if the parent or doctor administers the medication.

## WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

**A SNACK** (snack time is at 10:00 AM)  
**BATHING SUIT & TOWEL**  
**LUNCH** (packed in a cold pack)  
**SNEAKERS** (No Sandals please for safety)  
**SUNSCREEN** (Please send in a labeled bottle of sunscreen and a note allowing it to be used and we will be sure to remind children at 9:00, 12:00, and 3:30)  
**LABEL EVERYTHING!**  
**PLEASE DO NOT BRING...** toys or electronics from home. We are not responsible or lost items that your child brings to camp.



## IMPORTANT CAMP PHONE NUMBERS

**Camp Discovery (Gr. 1-2):** 860-301-0146  
**Camp Adventure (Gr. 3-5):** 860-301-1050  
**Explorers (Gr. 6-8):** 860-301-9988  
**Extended Day:** 860-301-0146  
**HK REC. DEPT.** 860-345-8334



## BURR PLAYSCAPE

On Tuesdays 7/10 & 7/31,  
 Camp Discovery & Adventure will be going to Burr Playscape. Adventure from 11:45 - 12:55 pm Discovery from 12:05 - 1:15 pm



**ATTENDING a SPORTS/SPECIALTY CAMP** sponsored by the HK Rec.Dept. during the course of the camp day? Please call or send a note if you drop off your child directly to a 9:00 AM sports camp.

## \*\*\*SWIMMING AT CEDAR LAKE\*\*\*

We will be taking kids to Cedar Lake in Chester on 7/6 (Gr. 3-5) & 7/20 (Gr 1-2 & 6-8). Campers can bring or buy lunch. (\$4 for grilled cheese or hot dog / \$5 for cheeseburger or hamburger / \$6 for chicken tenders. Includes drink/chips.



**POOL SAFETY...**For safety reasons, there will be no bubbles or flotation devices allowed. If a child can't swim, they will not be allowed in the pool during free swim. We strongly suggest you register for swim lessons during camp hours.

**SWIM LESSONS...**If you sign up for swim lessons, we will walk your child to and from the pool. Slots available in session 1c, 2b, 4, 5, 6b, 8, 9 from 10:40 - 11:20 am. Children signed up for swim lesson will attend the Field Trip instead of lessons.



## Special Events:

- 6/27 - Magic Workshops with Tom O'Brien (Gr. 1-5) and Comedy Magic Show
- 7/6 - Swimming at Cedar Lake (Gr. 3-5)
- 7/10 - BES Playground (Gr. 1-5)
- 7/11 - Johnny Peers & the Muttville Comix
- 7/18 - Paris the Hip Hop Juggler
- 7/20 - Swimming at Cedar Lake (Gr. 1-2, 6-8)
- 7/24 - Rayna's School of Dance (Gr. 1-5)
- 731 - BES Playground (Gr. 1-5)
- 8/9 - Hip Hop Dance Workshops with Austin Dailey



## Wacky Wednesdays / Freaky or Fun Fridays

- 6/29 - Wear costumes / Trick or Treating
- 7/6 - Crazy Hair or Hat Day
- 7/11 - Silly Sunglasses!
- 7/18 - Miss-matched socks
- 7/25 - Dress up as your Favorite Wild Animal
- 8/1 - Harry Potter Character Dress-up
- 8/8 - Tie Dye Day (bring shirt to tie dye)



## FIELD TRIP INFO

Please do not drop off your child at the field trip location, unless you have permission. Each camper will receive one t-shirt to wear for safer & easier identification. Please have them wear their shirts on FT days.

**Please bring a water bottle.**

**NO CAMP ON SITE DURING FT HOURS.**



## Week 1:

### Gr. 1 - 2:

**Kid City** in Middletown (**Tuesday, 6/26**)  
Bus leaves 9:10 AM Bus returns around 11:20 AM

### Gr. 3-5:

**Silver Lanes** in East Hartford (**Thursday, 6/28**)  
Includes bowling & laser tag, 2 slices of pizza and soda/water.  
Bus leaves at 9:15 AM Bus returns at 2:45 PM

### Gr. 6-8:

**Silver Lanes** in East Hartford (**Tuesday, 6/26**)  
Includes bowling & laser tag, 2 slices of pizza and soda/water.  
Bus leaves at 9:15 AM Bus returns at 2:45 PM

### Bushy Hill

in Ivoryton (**Thursday, 6/28**)  
Includes high and low ropes course, zipline and swimming.  
Must bring lunch, suit & towel.  
Bus leaves 9:30 AM Bus returns around 3:00 PM

## Week 2:

### Gr. 1 - 2:

**Dinosaur Crossing** in Montville (**Thursday, 7/5**)  
Includes outdoor adventure / splash pad.  
Must bring lunch, suit & towel.  
Bus leaves 9:45 AM Bus returns around 3:00 PM

### Gr. 3-5:

**Ocean Beach** in New London (**Thursday, 7/5**)  
Includes beach, pool & mini-golf. May bring \$ for water slide. May bring or buy lunch.  
Bus leaves at 9:15 AM Bus returns at 3:00 PM

### Gr. 6-8:

**Ocean Beach** in New London (**Tuesday, 7/3**)  
Includes beach, pool & mini-golf. May bring \$ for water slide. May bring or buy lunch.  
Bus leaves at 9:15 AM Bus returns at 3:00 PM

and  
**Indian River Marina** in Clinton (**Thursday, 7/5**)  
Includes guided kayaking. Must bring lunch.

**\*wavier required**  
Bus leaves 9:30 AM Bus returns around 1:15 PM

## Week 3:

### Gr. 1 - 2:

**Children's Museum** in West Hartford (**Thursday, 7/12**)  
Includes planetarium show, butterfly garden. Must bring lunch. Bus leaves 9:15 AM. Bus returns around 2:00 PM

### Gr. 3-5:

**Quassy** in Middlebury (**Thursday, 7/12**)  
Includes ride bracelet. Must bring lunch.  
Bus leaves at 9:30 AM Bus returns at 4:45 PM

### Gr. 6-8:

**Lake Compounce** in Bristol (**Tuesday, 7/10**)  
Includes all day ride bracelet. Must buy lunch.  
Bus leaves at 10:00 AM Bus returns at 5:15 PM

and  
**Putter's Paradise** in Berlin (**Thursday, 7/12**)  
Includes mini-golf, bumper boats, go-karts, batting cages.  
May bring lunch or buy Subway.  
Bus leaves 9:30 AM Bus returns around 2:00 PM

## Week 4:

### Gr. 1 - 2:

**Ray of Light Farm** in East Haddam (**Thursday, 7/19**)  
Includes farm tour, craft & wagon ride.  
Must bring lunch.  
Bus leaves 9:30 AM Bus returns around 1:00 PM

### Gr. 3-5:

**Bushy Hill** in Ivoryton (**Thursday, 7/19**)  
Includes low ropes course, zipline and swimming.  
Must bring lunch, suit & towel.  
Bus leaves at 9:30 AM Bus returns at 3:00 PM

### Gr. 6-8:

**Saybrook Point Mini-Golf Park** (**Tuesday, 7/17**)  
Bus will stop for frozen yogurt (bring \$)  
Must bring lunch.

Bus leaves at 10:00 AM Bus returns at 2:45 PM

and  
**Brownstone Park** in Berlin (**Thursday, 7/19**)  
Includes adventure pass. May bring lunch or buy.

**\*wavier required**  
Bus leaves 9:15 AM Bus returns around 3:15 PM

## Week 5:

### Gr. 1 - 2:

**Bushy Hill** in Ivoryton (**Thursday, 7/26**)  
Includes farm tour, hiking & swimming.  
Must bring lunch, bathing suit & towel.  
Bus leaves 9:45 AM. Bus returns around 3:00 PM

### Gr. 3-5:

**Rockin' Jump** in East Haven (**Thursday, 7/26**)  
Must bring lunch. **\*wavier required**  
Bus leaves at 9:15 AM Bus returns at 1:30 PM

### Gr. 6-8:

**Lake Compounce** in Bristol (**Tuesday, 7/24**)  
Includes all day ride bracelet. Must buy lunch.  
Bus leaves at 10:00 AM Bus returns at 5:15 PM

and  
**Marquee Cinemas** in Westbrook (**Thursday, 7/26**)  
May bring \$. Movie TBA.  
Bus leaves 9:15 AM Bus returns around 12:30 PM

## Week 6:

### Gr. 1 - 2:

**Bounce Fun Center** in Clinton (**Thursday, 8/2**)  
Includes pizza, snack & drink. **\*wavier required**  
Bus leaves 9:30 AM Bus returns around 1:15 PM

### Gr. 3-5:

**Quassy** in Middlebury (**Thursday, 8/2**)  
Includes ride bracelet. Must bring lunch.  
Bus leaves at 9:30 AM Bus returns at 4:45 PM

### Gr. 6-8:

**Ocean Beach** in New London (**Tuesday, 7/31**)  
Includes beach, pool & mini-golf. May bring \$ for water slide. May bring or buy lunch.  
Bus leaves at 9:15 AM Bus returns at 3:00 PM

and  
**Empower** in Middletown (**Thursday, 8/2**)  
Includes Zipline tour.

Must bring lunch & Water **\*wavier required**  
Bus leaves 9:10 AM Bus returns around 1:30 PM

## Week 7:

### Gr. 6 - 8:

**Bushy Hill** in Ivoryton (**Tuesday, 8/7**)  
Includes survival skills, shelter making & swimming.  
Must bring lunch, bathing suit & towel.  
Bus leaves 9:45 AM. Bus returns around 3:00 PM

### Gr. 1 - 8:

**End of Camp Luau** (**Thursday, 8/9**)  
Inflatable bounce/climb/slide combo, tropical water slide, hot dogs, party games, moon bounce, Hip Hop, fun games, popcorn, snow cones & More!