## Welcome to Kid-Tastic Summer Camp 2024

## June 17<sup>th</sup>- August 16<sup>th</sup>

We're glad to welcome your family to Kid-Tastic's Summer Camp 2024! Your child's session begins on June 17<sup>th</sup> and ends on August 16<sup>th</sup> 2024. The start of our summer camp is right around the corner and we are so excited to host both new & returning families. There is so much to look forward to and we want to make sure that your family is well prepared.

Below, you will find information that will help you to prepare yourself and your child for camp. Please review the General Information, New Family Information or Returning Family Information sections for details:

#### **General Information**

All summer information can be found online at https://www.yourkidtastic.com/programs/kid-tastic-summer-camp/

#### Fees & Payments

A \$150 Registration fee per child is required to participate. This is a one-time fee only assessed during summer and must be paid in full. No cash payments.

Tuition payments for 2024 are due at once and can be paid with card over the phone, online via Procare or at the main office. State payments can be applied by calling the number on the card or online via My EBT Edge account.

#### **Transportation**

Now accepting route requests for summer. Families must complete the full registration process to secure a seat. Summer routes begin on June 17<sup>th</sup>, 2024.

#### Updates and Important Information

Updates and all information regarding Summer can be found on our website. To see the summer line up please visit our website for more camp information.

Center Closings

### August 16<sup>th</sup>- Half Day 2pm Release August 19<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> Professional Development Week

#### What should I pack?

- Life preserver (ages 5yrs and under or if necessary) for "swimming exploration" (optional)
- Water bottle
- Sneakers
- Bathing suit and towel (flip flops/swim shoes optional)
- Change of clothes in case something gets wet.
- Sweatshirt/Sweater or Jacket on chilly mornings/days
- Sunscreen (please label your child's name.)
- Summer Camp T-Shirt

#### Please label all of your camper's belongings!

What should I expect at drop-off & Pick-up?

#### All campers must be checked out at the main office via kiosk or desk attendant.

Students must be picked up inside of the building and accompanied by an authorized person but must be 18yrs or older.

#### **Regular Operating Hours:**

#### **Center Hours**

7:00am-5:00pm

#### Main Office Hours•

6:00am-6:00pm

<u>Main Office</u> P: 414-502-5515 | F: 414-455-4493 | W: <u>www.yourkidtastic.com</u>



#### New Family Information

- 1. Attend Orientation
  - a. Sign-up April 22<sup>nd</sup> 2024
  - b. June 5<sup>th</sup> at 6am-5pm or June 6<sup>th</sup> 6am-10am
  - c. Complete Enrollment Information Packet- (will receive during orientation)
  - d. Finalize Account Details w/ Alma (before June 17th)

#### **Returning Family Information**

Summer Information is available electronically <u>https://www.yourkidtastic.com/programs/kid-</u> tastic-summer-camp/ or in the main office.

Please don't hesitate to reach out if you have any questions.

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I understand that by signing this document, I am not binding my family to summer at Kid-Tastic. Confirmation of my child's attendance is not solidified until confirmation of payment is made and I am notified by administration. Summer policies are not excluded from the regular year and the same terms and agreements apply for summer. Customers are subject to additional fees for extra services or costs associated with summer activities.

| Parent Name |  |                 |  |  |  |
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| Signature:  |  |                 |  |  |  |
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| Date:       |  | Received:       |  |  |  |

#### **General Transportation Permission**

□I give my child permission to travel with the center via center transportation.

 $\Box$  **<u>I</u> do not** give my child permission to travel via center transportation.

Final Permission slips are required for the and can be completed online.

| Parent Name      |  |                 |  |  |  |
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| Children Name(s) |  |                 |  |  |  |
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## https://www.yourkidtastic.com/trips/

Summer Camp Business Checklist



## SUMMER CAMP

**7 am:** Structured activities offered per choice of each child.

- Coloring
- Board Games
- Books

8:00am-8:30am: Breakfast in classrooms.

**8:30am-9am:** An opening ceremony is delivered daily and brings everyone together to start the day. Singing, dancing and games are typically the icebreakers. Kids will have the opportunity to join into counselor led activities. Everyone's encouraged to participate in large group games, join in skits and ponder on brain tests and jokes.

**9am-10am:** Explorers breakout into age structured groups. During this time they are given the opportunity to explore a weekly theme through counselor led activities.

**10am-12pm:** During this period of time, explorers participate in a light healthy snack amongst their groups and enjoy the outdoors, with either time on the play gym or a structured nature walk around the neighborhood. Teachers may choose to attend prearranged activities at local libraries or community events.

**12pm:** Explorers will enjoy lunch with friends, teachers and counselors. Buddy reading allows explorers to couple for 20 min. of shared reading.

**1pm-2pm:** Mini explorers (ages 3-4yrs) enjoy a serene nap (up to 2 hrs), as they listen to a selection of music- classical, jazz and lullabies. Young explores utilize this time for relaxation, either through yoga, reading or small hikes.

**2pm-4pm:** Exploration begins with campers joining into an instructor led course of their choice. In each group children will enjoy an afternoon snack, prior to exploring the depths of the course.

(The list of exploratory can be found in this summer registration packet. Seats are limited.)

**4pm:** Explorers closing ceremony brings everyone together to end the day. All groups join for a recap of the day and discuss enthusiasm for participating in exploration.

**4pm-5pm:** Explorers join each other to discuss the day and catch up while waiting at pick-up. Small activities like coloring and reading are available. Small group games are encouraged.

Field trip are pre-arranged and typically occur between 10am-2pm, field trip reminders and information are provided to all campers prior to field trips.

#### TYPICAL DAY OF ACTIVITY

#### Mini-Camp (3-5 years)

In Mini-Camp, explorers will embark on a journey through exploration of activities, projects and field trips that help to enhance their experience in the world around them.

Children in this camp will be given the opportunity to gain profound skills in these areas.

**Sports-** Staying active is a major part of being healthy. During the summer there's no better time to take advantage of the outdoors.

Sports camp for pre-school has a phenomenal way of teaching children the importance of healthy eating and exercise, while sharing with them the values of teamwork and healthy competition. **Baking-** Children will explore the realm of baking alongside their exploratory leader. They'll discover how to read and create cookbooks, gather tools and ingredients and the how to for mix and creating common baking goods. Every week you can expect your child to bring home a delicious homemade treat made personally by them! **Yoga-** Tranquility, strength and flexibility, are only a few of the many skills that this course has to offer. Children will explore skills to help with channeling frustration and advanced breathing techniques. They will also learn several of many yoga positions that encourage blood flow and relaxation.

# EXPLORATIONS

#### Young Explorers Club (6-12 years)

As a member of this club, children will be given the opportunity to design their summer by collaborating in groups to complete projects, participate community activities, build fund raisers and so much more. Learning doesn't have to stop. Summers at Kid-Tastic is "Where Fun Meets Learning".

In addition to a rigorous course selection, the members of this club will be able to engage in the following explorative courses.

#### Yoga Club

Tranquility, strength and flexibility, are only a few of the many skills that this course has to offer. Children will explore skills to help with channeling frustration and advanced breathing techniques. They will also learn several of many yoga positions that encourage blood flow and relaxation. Skills developed include channeling energy and self-control.

#### Sports Club

Competition is healthy. In this club we'll create a team dynamic and use our competitive skills to positively challenge each other.

Everybody needs a good challenge during the summer. Taking on this opportunity to form structured play will enable children to further their skills in team building, socialization, and initiative. Not to mention, a better understanding of physical health and the importance of being active. Challenge your child this summer by encouraging their participation in sports like soccer, softball, basketball and more.

#### Construction

Who says math and can't be fun during summer, especially when it involves nails, hammers, and a saw!

This workshop delivers the ultimate experience in construction. Children will begin a weeklong lesson on safety and then be introduced to the fundamentals of using tools and the importance of math through measuring, cutting and building.

## Kid-Tastic CHILD CARE



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