

## **ADAPTIVE SPORTS**

150 Malone Ridge Road

Washington, PA 15301

724-250-9150 – Contact Sue or Terry Hazlett

[www.adaptivesports.info](http://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.

## **ALMOST AUTHORS**

5701 Fifth Avenue

Pittsburgh, PA 15232

412-362-4714

[www.writingstudiopgh.com](http://www.writingstudiopgh.com)

Almost Authors is a five-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. Workshops are held at the Kentucky Avenue School in Shadyside.

### **Workshop Dates 2014**

Grades 3&4: July 20-24 (9 am-12 pm)

Grades 5&6: August 3-7 (9 am-12 pm)

Grades 7&8: July 20-24 (1 pm-4 pm)

Grades 9-12: August 3-7 (1 pm-4 pm)

## **BROWNSON HOUSE**

1415 Jefferson Avenue

Washington, PA 15301

724-222-1440

[www.brownsonhouse.org](http://www.brownsonhouse.org)

Group activities; include basketball, football and others for children.

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April 6, 2015

## **CALIFORNIA UNIVERSITY**

### **Summer Educational Enrichment for Kids (SEEK) Program**

Office of Academic Affairs

250 University Avenue

California, PA 15419

724-938-4407

[www.calu.edu/academics/kids-programs/index.htm](http://www.calu.edu/academics/kids-programs/index.htm)

Email: [seek@calu.edu](mailto:seek@calu.edu)

Since it was founded in 2000, the award-winning summer program has provided children with learning experiences that are entertaining, yet academically challenging. The curriculum is tailored to specific age groups and encourages all participants to reach their maximum learning potential. The Learning Resources Network, an international association in lifelong learning, honored Cal U in 2007 for developing SEEK in response to needs expressed by area parents. Cost is \$135 per child for a full-week, full-day program, or \$90 per child for a full-week, half-day (morning or afternoon) program. Classes will be held from 8:30 a.m.–4 p.m. June 22-26, 2015 and July 20-24, 2015. Participants are escorted between classes and supervised at lunchtime. Each child should bring a bag lunch; refrigeration is not available.

## **CAMP AGAPE**

72 Agape Road

PO Box 115

Hickory, PA 15340

724-356-2308

[www.campagape.org](http://www.campagape.org)

[campinfo@agape.org/pfd/broch1.pdf](mailto:campinfo@agape.org/pfd/broch1.pdf)

Camps are offered for all children. Camps included are reading, math, art and science, traditional bible and classic camps, as well as, classic day camp. Week long camp sessions begin on Sunday or Monday with registration at 3:30 p.m. and conclude on Friday with a closing program at 6:00 p.m. Day camps begin on Monday at 9:30 a.m. Visit the above website for more details.

## **CAMP LAUGHALOT (Arc)**

201 S. Johnson Road

Building 1, Suite 200

Houston, PA 15342

724-222-6960 Ext. 215

[rosel@advantageinc.org](mailto:rosel@advantageinc.org)

Camp Laughalot is an integrated summer day camp operated by Arc Human Services, Inc. The camp serves children primarily with intellectual and developmental disabilities between the ages of 6 and 21 living in Southwestern PA. Camp Laughalot provides life enriching experiences through a planned program of structured activities and supervised recreation. The camp experience promotes educational, vocational, daily living skills, and social development while boosting self-esteem. The fun learning opportunities offered through Camp Laughalot enable children to gain new skills and experiences to help them live, learn, and play in their communities and achieve more independence. The camp runs from June 22 – August 7, Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM – 2:30 PM at two locations: Vernon C. Neal Sportsplex and Canon Mac High School.

If you are interested or have any questions please contact Lauren Rose as listed above.

Private Pay is \$100.00 per week.

## **CAMP SPLASH 2015**

Canonsburg Town Park

Canonsburg, PA 15317

724-745-1800

[www.canonsburgboro.com](http://www.canonsburgboro.com)

Click on Parks and Recreation

*Camp Splash* is a seven-week, full-day (8:15 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.) summer day camp at Canonsburg Town Park. *Camp Splash* provides children with activities that promote physical activity and friendship and features three hours of swimming each day, weather permitting. *Camp Splash* has one counselor for every seven children, and a hot lunch and snacks are provided every day. Cost is \$150 per week, or less than \$4 per hour! Dates are June 24 – August 9, 2015 (closed July 4).

## **CAMP SPIRIT 2015**

7440 Ben Hur Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15208  
412-242-7117

<http://www.pittsburgh-ultimate.org/blog/2012/05/17/camp-spirit-of-the-game>

Consider Camp Spirit of the Game--Pittsburgh's Ultimate camp for sports and games! Ultimate Frisbee is great fun, terrific exercise, and one of the fastest-growing sports in the world. Your son or daughter age 7 – 15 will make friends, develop athletically, and learn teamwork, integrity and dedication--all while having a blast!

### **Camp Spirit City**

Located at the Schenley Park Oval  
Weeks **2 & 3** (June 22-26 and June 29-July 3)

### **Camp Spirit North**

Located at North Park  
Weeks **1 & 6** (June 15-19 and July 20-24)

### **Camp Spirit South**

Located at Moore Park  
Weeks **4 & 5** (July 6-10 and July 13-17)

## **CARNEGIE MUSEUMS OF ART AND NATURAL HISTORY**

4400 Forbes Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15213  
412-622-3131

[www.carnegiemnh.org/camps/registration.html](http://www.carnegiemnh.org/camps/registration.html)

No tents required this summer as your kids experience the fun of summer camps at all four Carnegie museums! This summer marks the first year The Andy Warhol Museum is offering a full slate of camp options in conjunction with its “Year of the Family.” Kids won’t want to miss adventures in Pop Portraits and Selfies, Art for Change, and the Art of the “Merch” Table. Check out the full listing of summer camps at Carnegie Museums of Art and Natural History and Powerdermill Nature Reserve this summer. The entire museum campus is a field for discover and creativity, where kids investigate Earth, art, dance, science, and more through behind-the-scenes tours, hands-on encounters, and thought-provoking activities. At Carnegie Science Center, you can also engage your kids in full-or half-day camps about superhero science, space, robotics, Minecraft and game design, roller coasters, forensics, or just plain weird science!

## **CARNEGIE SCIENCE CENTER**

One Allegheny Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15212  
412-237-1637

[www.carnegiesciencecenter.org/programs/summer-camps/](http://www.carnegiesciencecenter.org/programs/summer-camps/)

Want your child to do something unique and absolutely cool this summer? How about adding a huge helping of science-filled fun? Summer Science Camps at the Science Center are an adventure for kids ages 4 – 14 (and a real break for parents)! Investigate science careers, experiment with roller coasters, build a bridge, and more with Carnegie Science Center Summer Science camps! Our campers enjoy a full week of themed activities (we have TONS of camps to choose from), hundreds of hands-on exhibits (and Highmark SportsWorks®), an Omnimax film, a summer camp T-shirt, interaction with dozens of science education professionals, and even field trips for some camps (additional fees may apply). Plus, we offer pre- and post-camp child care for a nominal fee.

## **CHATHAM UNIVERSITY**

Woodland Road  
Pittsburgh, PA 15232  
412-365-1174 – Contact Alicia Danenberg

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

The Music and Arts Day Camp seeks to provide intensive music and art experiences to students Kindergarten through 9th grade. Campers also enjoy traditional summer camp activities such as, swimming and sports, to supplement the core art, theater and music curriculum.

## **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. See our website for additional activities.

## **FALLOWFIELD STABLES**

155 Yankosky Road  
Charleroi, PA 15022  
724-239-3329

[www.fallowfieldstables.net/summer\\_camps](http://www.fallowfieldstables.net/summer_camps)

This year, Fallowfield Stables will host three weeks of summer day camps to be held June 15-19, July 6-10, and July 20-24. Camps run Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., with almost every minute spent in the barn. From crafts to games to saddle-time, all of our activities are horse-related.

## **GYM DANDY'S**

345 Meadowlands Boulevard  
Washington, PA 15301  
724-745-5558

[www.gymdandys.com](http://www.gymdandys.com)

### **Summer Fun Camp**

June 22-25, Monday–Thursday, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. **OR**

August 4-7, Tuesday–Friday, 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

Three years of age and older. \$120.00 for first week that you attend and \$100.00 for the second week that you attend.

### **Back Handspring Clinics**

#### **For Current Meadowlands Students**

June 23, Tuesday, 9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.

\$20.00; must be in first grade.

#### **Non-Meadowlands Students**

June 29, Monday **OR** August 6, Thursday, 4:30 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

\$25.00 for non-Meadowlands Students; must be in first grade.

### **Summer Tumbling Camp**

June 29–July 1, Monday–Wednesday, 9:00 a.m. – 11:00 a.m.

\$60.00 for Current Students; \$70.00 for non-Meadowlands Students  
1<sup>st</sup> grade and older.

### **Summer Camp for Advanced Gymnastics Students**

July 6–July 10, Monday–Thursday, 9:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m., Friday 9:00 a.m.-12:30 p.m.

July 20-24, Monday-Thursday 9:0 a.m.-5:00 p.m., Friday 9:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

\$60.00 for Current Meadowlands Students; \$70.00 for non-Meadowlands Students 1<sup>st</sup> grade and older.

## **HORSE 'N SOUL Camp HORSE SENSE**

Paradise Hills  
115 Gretna Road  
Washington, PA 15301  
724-288-6088  
[www.HORSENSOUL.com](http://www.HORSENSOUL.com)

We offer a friendly Christian environment with small group instruction. Group riding lessons, barn activities, crafts, farm service project, and games daily. Week of July 13-17, 2015. Tuition of \$300.00, if registration is received before June 1, 2015. After June 1, 2015, tuition will be \$350.00.

## **HORSES WITH HEART THERAPEUTIC RIDING CENTER AT FALLOWFIELD STABLES**

155 Yankosky Road  
Charleroi, PA 15022  
724-239-3329  
[www.fallowfieldstables.net/therapeutic\\_riding](http://www.fallowfieldstables.net/therapeutic_riding)

Sessions in both Therapeutic Riding and Hippotherapy, which is a form of health treatment with the assistance of a horse, are available. Hippotherapy is a 30-minute private riding session with our exercise physiologist, therapeutic riding instructor, and side walkers. Specialized physical therapy techniques and exercises are incorporated into the ride to improve balance, coordination and motor skills.

**Therapeutic Riding** differs from hippotherapy in that its purpose is to teach basic horsemanship and riding skills to disabled persons. Like hippotherapy, the benefits include balance, coordination, improved posture and increased muscle tone. Therapeutic riding also promotes positive emotional and mental skills; as well as physical benefits. The ability to focus attention and follow direction improves greatly while learning horsemanship and developing a bond with the horse. We offer a specialized mounting area and horses trained specifically for use as therapeutic animals. Therapeutic sessions are from \$35-\$45. Sometimes covered by insurance and grants are available to defray some of the costs. Sessions are scheduled on Tuesday and Thursday evenings.

## **HORSES UNLIMITED STABLES**

185 Stoltz Road  
South Park Township, PA 15129  
412-835-7726  
[www.horsesunlimitedstables.com](http://www.horsesunlimitedstables.com)

Email: [unlimitedhorses@aol.com](mailto:unlimitedhorses@aol.com)

We operate two pony Day Camps a year for the brand new or beginner rider. No experience necessary! All new campers receive a free horse care kit. All campers will receive a CD of photos taken during camp. Activities include: Introduction to riding (both English and Western); learning to care for a horse; fun "horsey" crafts, games, prizes; and more. Camp is four days (Monday through Thursday) 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. BYO bagged lunch. Pony Camp fee is \$295.00 per child; with a limit of twelve children per camp. Children must be between 5 and 11 years old. Parents are welcome to stay during camp, but are subject to the barn rules just like the campers. Please contact us for a Camp Application.

## **ICEOPLEX AT SOUTHPOINTE**

114 Southpointe Boulevard  
Canonsburg, PA 15317  
724-745-6666 ext. 200  
[www.iceoplexatsouthpointe.com](http://www.iceoplexatsouthpointe.com)  
[szemba@iceoplex.net](mailto:szemba@iceoplex.net)

Join us for our unique activities camp this summer and & enjoy the best of all the seasons! Iceoplex offers a fulfilling summer camp experience. Each day is a new adventure, a new journey, and new fun! Join us for a few weeks or a whole summer of excitement! Every day is packed with physical fun that keeps kids active and working as a team. Daily art activities encourage creativity and self-expression. Our camp instructors programming aims to stimulate learning while having also having a whole lot of fun. The Iceoplex's summer activity camp is for children ages 5 - 12.

## **SPLASH INTO SUMMER**

June 8-12 , 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.  
Nothing says summer vacation like splashing around with water on a hot summer day at the Iceoplex!

## **MESS FEST**

June 15-19, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Find out the science behind the gooiest materials on earth, as well as get really slimy by making your very own goo!

## **ICEOPLEX OLYMPICS**

June 22-26, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Trials, fun runs and crazy competitions like who can stand on one foot the longest! Bet you have never competed like this before!

## **SUPERHERO WEEK**

June 29-July 3, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Campers will create their own mask and cape and discover their own identities and special super powers!

## **SECRET AGENT**

June 6-10, 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Choose your secret agent name and try to figure out how to solve the case by using the clues. A new mystery to solve each day!

## **EXPLORING NATURE**

July 13-17, 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Do you know why the sky is blue? Do you know what that funny looking plant is? Discover what cool things are right in your own backyard in Exploring Nature Week at the Iceoplex.

## **ICEOPLEX CIRCUS SPECTACULAR**

July 20-24, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Campers will put on the greatest show on earth. Whether they are an acrobat, an animal act or a ringleader the spotlight is on them! At the end of the week campers come alive in this once in a life time performance!

## **GAME SHOW MANIA**

July 27-31, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Whose line is it anyway? Who wants to be a millionaire? Find out during this week long game show series! Don't forget to bring your thinking cap!

## **TIME TRAVELERS**

August 3-7, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Learn about telling time, sunrises and sunsets and even make your own sundial. Then take a trip back in time to places like the wild, wild west and prehistoric times.

## **END OF SUMMER BACK TO SCHOOL BASH**

August 10-14, 8:00 a.m. -5:00 p.m.

Create an Iceoplex mascot, tell us about your school and even participate in fun back to school theme days like "Crazy Hair Day". On the last day of camp, the Iceoplex will throw a super amazing pep rally!

## **JOEY TRAVOLTA FILM CAMP**

Winchester Thurston Upper School, Shadyside

c/o Arts for Autism Foundation of Pittsburgh

3945 Forbes Avenue, #453

Pittsburgh, PA 15213

412-848-9355

<http://joeytravoltafilmcamp-pittsburgh.com>

Pittsburgh's Joey Travolta Film Camp is an incredible opportunity for students and young adults age 9-25 to participate in a "once in a lifetime" summer experience. Joey Travolta, a former special education teacher, creates, coordinates and personally facilitates this short film camp alongside credentialed therapeutic staff. This is an inclusive camp specifically designed to address social, communication, executive function, transition and vocational goals as defined by each student's IEP or OVR. For two straight weeks, campers will be actively engaged in teamwork with the objective of producing a short film. We provide therapeutic support throughout this camp and have approximately a 1:5 staff to student ratio. In 2015, the camp will be held July 13-24, Monday through Friday, 9:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.

## **KANG'S BLACK BELT ACADEMY**

6 N. Central Avenue

Canonsburg, PA 15317

724-263-6473

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.

## **IN-STRIDE WITH THERAPEUTIC RIDING INC.**

637 Valley View Road  
Eighty Four, PA 15330  
412-302-5393 – Contact Dana Flaherty  
[www.instridetherapeuticride.org](http://www.instridetherapeuticride.org)

In-Stride with Therapeutic Riding, Inc. has been providing recreational horseback riding with therapeutic benefits to children and adults with disabilities since September of 2006. Our organization is run by volunteers and funded primarily by donations, fundraisers and grants. We also offer ground sessions. Ground sessions are for individuals who are unable to ride but would like to experience the healing power of the horse. Therapeutic riding benefits a multitude of physical disabilities by encouraging individuals to use all of the muscles in the body, therefore building better muscle tone. The heat of the horse's body helps to provide a natural state of relaxation to the rider's muscles allowing the body and mind to relax. The bond between a horse and a rider is amazing and beautiful thing that is beneficial to individuals suffering from emotional disabilities. Types of disabilities that benefit from therapeutic riding include: Autism, mental retardation, learning disabilities, developmental delay, cerebral palsy, Down syndrome, MS, emotional instability, ADD, depression, OCD, traumatic brain injuries, and many, many more.

## **KATHY'S MUSIC**

501 Valley Brook Road, Suite 104  
McMurray, PA 15317  
412-344-0535  
[www.kathysmusic.com/classes.htm](http://www.kathysmusic.com/classes.htm)

Summer Camps for ages 0 and up. Included are Kindermusik, Drop-Off Camps for 3 – 6 year olds, Fine Arts Camps for 5 – 10 year olds, and Instrument Camps. Call or visit our website for more information.

## **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/>

In addition to the below, Soccer shots will also be here to introduce the children to the fun and beautiful game of soccer!

McMurray KinderCare  
118 Wilhaven Drive  
McMurray, PA 15317  
724-941-4579

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

Don't miss out on the Summer of Wonder: Six themed programs that will make summer exciting, educational and tons of fun for our school-age children: Superheroes Among Us, Our School-Age Store, All About Jungles and Rainforest, Puzzling Puzzles, Mixed-Up Fairy Tales and Clashes of Colors! The children look forward to our special visitors that come to our center on a weekly basis to teach, entertain and introduce the children to new concepts and novel ideas! For the preschoolers and prekindergarten children our themes will be: Staying Safe, Exploring the Arts, Science Spectacular, All About Books, Foods and Flavors, Shapes and Colors, Alphabet Letter Review. We are excited to have a fun, safe and exciting educational summer. Whether your child is in our preschool, Pre-K or school-age programs, all of it is designed to help children learn while soaking up the fun! Please join us for an amazing summer! Now Enrolling!

## **LEMOYNE MULTI-CULTURAL COMMUNITY CENTER**

200 Forest Avenue  
Washington, PA 15301  
724-228-0260

<http://lemoynecommunitycenter.org/programs.html>

The Camp Challenge Summer Program inspires, develops and educates youth through supervised sports, education, art, fieldtrips, health, and recreation activities and encourages youth to set higher goals for themselves. A summer camp for youth ages 6-16. Monday through Friday, June 15 – August 7, 2015, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., rain or shine. Registration required.

## **THE LITTLE GYM (3 – 12 Year Olds)**

3909 Washington Road

Donaldson's Crossroads, Suite 205

McMurray, PA 15317

724-941-0100

[www.tlgpittsburgh-southhillspa.com](http://www.tlgpittsburgh-southhillspa.com)

Day camp for kids at The Little Gym is as great as you'd imagine. Held during vacation times when school is not in session, our seasonal camps provide kids with giggle-filled relief from the winter doldrums or summer heat. The Little Gym camps combine physical activity and games with arts, crafts and special events. Each week offers an interactive learning theme and each day brings a different, creative lesson plan. Plus, flexible scheduling options allow you to sign-up for several weeks, a single week or even just a day at a time.

## **MON VALLEY YMCA**

101 Taylor Run Road, Route 88

Monongahela, PA 15063

724-483-8077

<http://www.monvalleyymca.org>

Registration forms must be filled out for all campers. Each camper receives a camp T-shirt. Please call the YMCA at the phone number listed above for more information.

## **4-6 Year Camp Themes:**

**Week 1 ~ Munchkin Land: June 15-19** - Join Dorothy, the Wicked Witch, and friends for a trip over the rainbow to Munchkin Land. Let's go on a "Lollipop Hunt", "Rainbow Walk" and fly on a broom. We will help the Tin Man find a heart and blow Glenda Bubbles. The Cowardly Lion and Wicked Witch bookmark will help us remember our trip. Even with all this fun "there's no place like home."

**Week 2 ~ Olaf's summer Fun: June 22-26** - Olaf will finally get to enjoy summer with our campers. Let's help Elsa melt her hands, and make some snow dough. Let's go sleigh riding and build a snowman. Of course, we will have a snowball fight, and go bowling with Olaf. You will look great in your Olaf t-shirt and Olaf will look great on your refrigerator.

**Week 3 ~ Wild Things Hanging Around: June 29-July 3** - Max wanted to get away and join the Wild Things. This is your chance to see what it is like to be a wild thing too. We will all make wild things masks and Max puppets. Wild things love to make noise so a musical instrument and some loud popping sounds are in order. We love to jump on the trampoline and do a crazy obstacle course. Have you ever painted like a wild thing? Don't try this at home!

**Week 4 ~ Neverland Friends: July 13-17** - Come with us to Neverland. Tinkerbell and Jake are waiting to take you on an adventure to recover the stolen Pixie Dust. We will dress like fairies and pirates and we'll outsmart Captain Hook! Tinkerbell needs us to build some fairy houses for her friends. Jake is on the hunt for treasure rocks. We will take home puzzle planks and bubble blowers and if we find the "Pixie Dust", Tinkerbell will have another surprise for us!

**Week 5 ~ Daring Dinosaur Hunters: July 20-24** - We are looking for daring campers who can help us find hidden dinosaurs at camp! We will look for dino eggs, make dino teeth and create our own Sock-o-saurus. You will have to be strong to carry home your stuffed dinosaurs. We will have fun playing "Save the Dinos", doing a cave crawl and digging for dinosaur bones. Friday will be our "Dinosaur Hunt" in the woods and of course a Volcano.

**Week 6 ~ Crazy Camping: July 27-31** - Oh no! The campers have taken over camp and are running around with their clothes on backwards! I see the tent, but where are all the counselors? Maybe they are hiding in the woods. Let's go on a hike to find them. Maybe we can find a few bugs to put in our bug jars. What are the campers doing at camp in their PJ's with their stuffed animals? Of course, we will share a few campfire stories and songs. Don't forget the s'mores! Grab your sit-upons, pillows, and campfire hats, we're going camping!

**Week 7 ~ Under the Sea: August 3-7** - Sebastian and friends are waiting to have fun under the sea. Help Ariel find the digglehoppers and thingamabobs hidden around camp. Pin the tail on Flounder and do some under the sea (parachute) diving. We can spend some extra time this week in the big pool practicing our swimming skills. We will make some sand art that can never be washed away. Our ocean jars will remind us how much fun we had under the sea.

## 7-12 Year Camp Themes:

**Week 1 ~ Jedi Training: June 15-19** - The Dark side has returned with a vengeance. The Jedi masters are looking for new and knowledgeable Jedi trainees. You must pass all challenges in your light saber training. Journey to Corusant, Tatoonie, and Hoth. Build a replica of Endor. Chewbacca will be at your side (on your hand), for the remainder of your training. All will join in a pod race, and trivia contest. The Jedi training course will be intense! Only those who truly possess the force will survive. A Yoda magnet will guide you. "Do or do not, there is no try." May the force be with you!

**Week 2 ~ Jungle Survivor: June 22-26** - Everyday your tribe will need to work together to survive a new challenge. Let's start off with the "Slingshot Challenge", followed by "Don't Bug Me". There will also be immunity challenges to win the idol, but only for a little extra insurance. Will you survive the "Feed Me" challenge, (who knows what we will be eating) or the "Build a Shelter" competition? In this survivor week you must be brave but also smart. We can take some souvenirs from our adventure, like cork boats, rain sticks and a snake. Hope you are up for the "Ultimate Challenge." May the best tribe win!

**Week 3 ~ Chillin' Out: June 30-July 3** - Is the summer too hot for you? Come chill out with some pretty cool counselors. They can make real snow in the middle of summer. Building a snowman is a snap, and ice games are the best. There's nothing like a good snowball fight! Learn to make ice candles and a snowflake frame. Chill out playing "Minute to win-it" snow games and the cold clothes relay. Building with ice is really a chillin' experience. Friday we will celebrate with homemade ice cream!

**Week 4 ~ Amazing Mutants: July 13-17** - Join Wolverine to recruit amazing young mutants for Professor X. Each young person has their own special gifts and so do you! Let's practice with Blast the Villains, Fireball challenge, and Iceman games. Make your own counselor mutant and mutant mask. Take home a pillow with the mutant symbol on it. How will you fair in "Storms" water relay, release "Wolverine", or "Iceman" freeze tag. Of course, the ultimate challenge will be X-men vs. the Brotherhood dodge ball!.

**Week 5 ~ Monster Mayhem: July 20-24** - Don't be frightened! The monsters only come out at night, or so I have heard. You will be working alongside one of the most renowned scientist in the Mon Valley. With her help, you will recreate a human from parts scattered around the Y. First, we need to know if you have the stomach for the job, so there is a little food challenge. Then you will need to retrieve some items from some very icky places. How are you at identifying body parts and putting together in general? Zombie dodge ball, spider relay and a monster hike will keep you moving. You will make a zombie t-shirt and a tombstone to keep as souvenirs from your creepy week at camp.

**Week 6 ~ The Big Splash: July 27-31** - If you like to get wet on hot summer days, this is the camp for you! How about a little “Drip, Drip, Drench” or water balloon “Hot Potato”. Make a water balloon catcher to use in our balloon catch game. Have you ever played “Slip and Slide” kickball or had a water relay? Let's see who gets the most counselors wet in “Sponge” dodge ball. Have fun making a summer frame and surf's up magnet. You can wear your watercolor t-shirt home on Friday. Let's see who can make the biggest splash!

**Week 7 ~ Double Dare VI: August 3-7** - Double Dare week is definitely going to be a week to remember. You never know what our counselors will come up with, but it will be messy. Let's start with a few 'Pies In your Pants!' Then how about the “Elephant Game?” Make you own bouncy ball, and camp bandana. Bring home a little bit of sun for your refrigerator. You can try to “fill your cup” (with whipped cream of course) or pop a few balloon along the way. I can't wait for the counselor challenge on Friday!

## **MONART SCHOOL OF ART**

74 Oak Spring Road  
Washington, PA 15301  
724-263-3265  
[www.you2candraw.com](http://www.you2candraw.com)

From June 22 to August 5 summer morning and afternoon drawing classes are available for children on Tuesday and Wednesday. For teens and adults classes are available Monday afternoon, Monday and/or Tuesday evenings. Morning classes are held from 10:30 a.m. to 12:00 Noon; afternoon classes will be held from 1:30 to 3:00 p.m.

## **OGLEBAY RESORT AND CONFERENCE CENTER**

465 Lodge Drive  
Wheeling, WV 26003  
1-800-624-6988

[www.oglebay-resort.com/camps](http://www.oglebay-resort.com/camps)

### **Horse Lover's Camp at the Oglebay Stables**

A variety of different Horse Camps for children ages 4 - 14 of all skill levels. Students are instructed in English and/or Western riding. Programs vary according to age and skill level. Before and aftercare is also available. Call the stables at 304-243-4042

### **Junior Golf Camp**

This popular 8-week program is designed for children ages 7 - 17. It begins June 1, 2015 and includes instructional sessions, which include play on the course, for the driving range and Par III course. Program participants receive golf discounts throughout the time of their enrollment. Classes are determined by age and will meet one day per week for a 3-hour class. Class size is limited, so reserve your space today! Registration will be held on May 1 and May 8 at Par III from 9:00 a.m. until 12:00 p.m. Price: 1st child - \$75; 2nd child - \$65; 3rd child - \$55 Call 304-243-4050 for additional information.

### **Summer Camps at Oglebay Institute**

Museum staff members guide interactive programming focusing on the Museum's glass collection and current exhibits.  
Call 304-243-7272 or visit [www.oionline.com/camps/history.html](http://www.oionline.com/camps/history.html) for more information.

### **Summer Nature Programs at Oglebay Institute**

No pre-registration required. All ages welcome. Programs include nature walks, astronomy, campfires and much more!  
Call 304-243-7272 or visit [www.oionline.com/camps/nature.html](http://www.oionline.com/camps/nature.html) for more information.

### **Tennis Camps at Oglebay**

Each participant will learn the fundamentals of tennis, with game base drills and modern day stroke production, along with tennis games. Sportsmanship, tennis etiquette and teamwork will also be emphasized in all camps. Clinic times are 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Tuesdays. Times may be adjusted and our indoor tennis bubble at Wheeling Park may be used in the event of inclement weather. Call Jeremy McClelland, Director of Tennis at 304-243-4039 or 304-830-1705 or visit [www.oglebay-resort.com/tennis/facilities](http://www.oglebay-resort.com/tennis/facilities) to download a registration form.

## **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! Visit the [Wheeling Park web site](#) for more information.

## **Zoo Camps**

Through hands-on activities, experiments and live animals, participants will learn about wildlife, nature, science and the outdoors. These ALL NEW programs are taught by the zoo's experienced education staff. Lifeguards are on duty for all swimming activities, and all staff are trained in CPR and first aid. Various camp programs are available for ages 3 - 11 years. Most camp programs are from 9:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. with before and aftercare available. Camp sizes are limited and programs fill quickly! Register early!

Visit [www.oglebay-resort.com/goodzoo/camp](http://www.oglebay-resort.com/goodzoo/camp) for a detailed listing of all Zoo Camps offered at Oglebay this summer, or call 304-243-4068 to register.

## **PA STATE POLICE**

### **Camp Cadet**

724-223-5232

<http://www.orgsites.com/pa/troop-b-camp-cadet/index.html>

Camp Cadet is a FREE weeklong summer camp for boys and girls ages 12-14 from Allegheny, Fayette, Greene, Washington, and a portion of Westmoreland Counties. Camp Cadet is held at the Linsly Outdoor Center adjacent to Raccoon State Park in Beaver County. Troopers, local police officers and many other volunteers staff the camp where the goal is to introduce participants to the diverse criminal justice system and establish a positive relationship with law enforcement personnel. At Camp Cadet, the structure is similar to training at the State police academy. All participants who attend camp are addressed as "Cadet" and 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.

## **PITTSBURGH CENTER FOR THE ARTS**

1047 Shady Avenue  
Pittsburgh, PA 15232  
412-361-0873

<http://pittsburgharts.org/summerartcamps/camps>

### **Summer Art Camps**

For over 30 years, Pittsburgh Center for the Arts has offered a safe, fun and enriching experience for thousands of students through our Summer Art Camps. With one and two-week options for ages 4 – 13, students can enjoy either a half-day or full-day camp or even combine two half-days to create a full-day, which includes supervised lunch and recess time. There are Summer Camp options in both studio and media arts, on-site at 1047 Shady Avenue. Families can also take advantage of extended care in the morning and afternoon to accommodate busy schedules.

## **POINT PARK UNIVERSITY**

201 Wood Street  
Pittsburgh, PA 15222  
412-392-3456

[www.pointpark.edu/BusinessandCommunity/](http://www.pointpark.edu/BusinessandCommunity/)

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 22 to August 1, 2015 (3 or 6 weeks)  
Summer Dance Workshop - July 21 to July 31, 2015 (2 weeks)

### **Summer Film Programs**

Screenwriting Camp - July 6 to July 10, 2015 - (1 week)  
Camp Hollywood - July 13 to July 23, 2015 - (2 weeks)  
Traditional Animation Camp - July 20 to July 24, 2015 (1 week)  
Digital Animation Camp - July 27 to July 31, 2015 (1 week)

## **SAINT VINCENT COLLEGE**

Kathy Beining  
300 Fraser Purchase Road  
Latrobe, PA 15650  
724-805-2981

<http://www.stvincentchallenge.org>

The entire Challenge Program at Saint Vincent College is an academic and theme based camp for participants from rising first grade through the ninth grade. All programs are offered for one week each summer. The day program is designed for entering first graders through the fourth grade to have a separate program that meets their needs. All programs are offered for one week each summer. The developmentally appropriate day program meets Monday through Friday from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. It is a full day of academically theme-based classes and fun. Students participate in hands on explorations, physical games and challenges, and artistic or entertainment based activities. Lunch and snack is provided.

The overnight program is designed for entering fifth graders through the ninth grade to have a separate program that meets their needs. The overnight program is a sleep away, theme based, academically challenging, and entertaining program from Sunday through Friday. Students participate in three courses of their choosing, ever-changing activity periods, and planned entertainment every evening.

## **SHADY SIDE ACADEMY**

423 Fox Chapel Road  
Pittsburgh, PA 15238  
412-447-2230

<http://www.shadysideacademy.org/page.cfm?p=12751>

Shady Side Academy Summer Programs has provided generations of Pittsburgh's children with quality and affordable summer activities. Our Fox Chapel and East End campuses play host to a wealth of day camps, summer school classes, sports camps and focus camps. We welcome children from across the Pittsburgh region and beyond to study, play, grow and excel! We know that summer schedules can become packed pretty quickly with vacation, family fun and trips to the pool. Plus, with the vast array of programming that is offered in the Pittsburgh area, it can become a burdensome task to plan a great summer. That's why Shady Side makes sure that its summer offerings are fun, flexible and affordable!

## **SHEKINAH WESTERN RANCH CAMP**

77 Chestnut Road

Charleroi, PA 15022

724-483-4343

Email: reachus@shekinahranch.com

[www.shekinahranch.com](http://www.shekinahranch.com)

This creative alternative to a traditional Day Care Program is designed to help young campers, ages 5-8, 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.

## **SNAPOLOGY DISCOVERY CENTER – PITTSBURGH**

1699 Washington Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Pittsburgh, PA 15228

412-295-1545

Email: info@snapology.com

<http://snapology.com/contacts.php#pittsburgh>

East Pittsburgh

Monroeville Mall, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor

Monroeville, PA 15146

412-372-1788

Snapology is the science of snapping toys together. Well, ok, not really. Snapology is the name we came up with to describe a new learning concept that combines play with education. We provide a fun environment for children to learn math, science, technology, engineering and literacy concepts using Lego® bricks and other similar building tools.

## **T.E.A.M.S.**

Life Coach Industries, LLC  
11 Line Drive Lane  
Washington PA 15301  
724-350-0001

<http://www.lciservices.org/#!teams/ca4p>

Therapeutic Expression and Movement through Sports (T.E.A.M.S.) is a therapeutic community outreach program that is dedicated to preventing the rapid progression of mental, emotional, social and cognitive developmental delays for the well-being of affected individuals and families. The T.E.A.M.S. program provides therapeutic training sessions for individuals with Autism Spectrum Disorders, Developmental and Cognitive Delays, as well as programs for mental health diagnosis. T.E.A.M.S. is designed to meet the needs of a specific targeted population. Our programming and curriculum is centered on school-aged clients from 5-21 that receive school supports through an IEP or Behavior Plan.

Our programs are designed to cover;

- Social Skills
- Intervention Strategies
- Coping Skills
- Peer Interactions
- Communication Skills

Visit the above website for more details.

## **WASHINGTON COMMUNITY ARTS AND CULTURAL CENTER**

70 South Street  
Washington, PA 15301  
724-222-1475

[www.washarts.org](http://www.washarts.org)

Every day, children from all economic backgrounds walk through our doors and into creative opportunities that open new worlds for them. With high-quality professional instruction, students can dip their hands into clay, find a flair for the dramatic, or express themselves through visual art, dance or poetry – regardless of their ability to pay.

## **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](http://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. Visit the County web-site for a calendar of programs and events for 2015.

## **WASHINGTON PARK**

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

Please call to request a flyer of summer activities.

## **WASHINGTON YOUTH BASEBALL**

P.O. Box 851 (Fields at Washington Park, 283 Dunn Avenue)  
Washington, PA 15301  
<http://washyouthbaseball.com/>

## **WASHINGTON WILD THINGS**

One Washington Federal Way  
Washington, PA 15301  
724-250-9555

[http://www.washingtonwildthings.com/community/baseball\\_camps](http://www.washingtonwildthings.com/community/baseball_camps)

Washington Wild Things Baseball Camps are a great way for kids to improve their baseball skills. Youth baseball camps are run by Wild Things players and coaches and cover all aspects of the game, including hitting, running, throwing and fielding. Campers are grouped by age and ability and each camper receives a camp T-shirt, lunch with the instructors/players and a ticket to a Wild Things game with a special pre-game parade. The Wild Things will host the following baseball camps in 2015:

## **WESTERN PA WRITING PROJECT**

University of Pittsburgh  
5318 WWPH  
Pittsburgh, PA 15260  
412-624-6557

<https://www.wpwp.pitt.edu/youth/ywi/>

The Young Writers Institute is for young people, grades 4-8 and grades 9-12, who like to write, and who want to develop their craft in a community of writers. The Young Writers Institute is held in several locations. In the summer, the YWI (Grades 4-8) is held at the University of Pittsburgh, Mt. Lebanon, and Westmoreland. The YWI (Grades 9-12) is held at the University of Pittsburgh.

### **Summer Sessions 2015 (Oakland, and Westmoreland)**

Oakland Location: University of Pittsburgh Campus, Cathedral of Learning (Grades 4-8 and 9-12)

July 13-24, 2014: Grades 4-8, 9:00 a.m. – 12:00 Noon; Grades 9-12, 10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

Pine-Richland Location: On hiatus for Summer 2015.

Mt. Lebanon Location: Not yet determined whether the Mt. Lebanon Young Writers Institute will be held this summer.

Westmoreland Location: Franklin Regional School District Campus (Grades 4-8)

June 15-19, 2015: Monday to Friday, 9:00 a.m.- 3:00 p.m.

## **WILFRED R. CAMERON WELLNESS CENTER**

240 Wellness Way  
Washington, PA 15301  
724-225-9355

[www.wrcameronwellness.org/kids-fitness/summer-camps](http://www.wrcameronwellness.org/kids-fitness/summer-camps)

Our goal is to provide structured summer camp programs that engage youth in innovative, hands-on activities promoting healthy lifestyles. Through physical fitness, health education and nutritional awareness, the Wellness Center aims to promote positive lifestyle habits for youths that will sustain them throughout their lives. Plus, this summer we've added music and art activities to the curriculum.

### **Weekly Themes**

1. **6/15-6/18 –Love our Planet Earth**
2. **6/22-6/25 – Tails and Scales**
3. **6/29-7/2 – America the Beautiful**
4. **7/6-7/9 – Soil, Sand and Sea**
5. **7/13-7/16 – Let's Build!**
6. **7/20-7/23 – Creepy Crawlies**
7. **7/27-7/30 – Around the World in 4 Days**
8. **8/3-8/6 – Fit Kids Olympics**