

PRE-CAMP PARENT MANUAL

MAY 23-27 2016





We are thrilled your children will join us at the J Day Camps, where the spirit of camp has endured for four generations of campers and staff. We look forward to having your child(ren) enjoy a first-class experience filled with fun, friendship, new skills and great activities.

This manual is designed to address many of the questions you might have as you prepare to join us for pre-camp. Please read it and keep it throughout the week for reference whenever you have questions. Of course, should you have any questions not addressed here, please don't hesitate to call the Camp Director, Brad Chotiner, at 314-442-3423 or Camp Registrar, Sara Jones, at 314-442-3432. We look forward to building a wonderful summer camp experience together!



LUNCH

Campers are to bring lunch in a reusable soft lunch sack (or a brown paper bag) Monday through Friday. Out of concern for the health of other campers, please refrain from bringing items containing nuts. If your child has food allergies, please notify the camp director. Due to the different food needs of all our campers and staff, individual lunches may not be shared. Since all lunches are refrigerated, your choice of items to send is really unlimited; the most important elements are nutrition, variety and creativity.

If your camper is attending both morning and afternoon sessions of the Technology Camps, there will be a supervised lunch break between 11:45am – 12:15pm.

We provide campers with a Kosher and nut-free snack daily. If your camper has any other dietary needs, please feel free to send a snack from home.



DROPOFF AND PICKUP

Times:

Dropoff 8:45 - 9:00am

Pickup 3:00pm (please adhere to this time)

Half Day STEM Camps: Morning pickup is 11:45am; afternoon dropoff is 12:15pm.

Dropoff and Pickup Locations:

Please park in the appropriate lot and walk your camper into and out of the building. There is no carpool line this week.

Creve Coeur - Staenberg Family Complex

Maryville Basketball Camp - Fitness & Wellness Building, Gym

Video Game Design, LEGO® Robotics, Computer Animation -

Arts & Education Building, Meeting Rooms A & B

Chesterfield - Marilyn Fox Building

Hi-NRG Cheer, Dance & Spirit – Gym

LEGO® Model Builders & LEGO® Minecraft – Wool Conference Room C & D

LEGO® Robotics & Minecraft – Wool Conference Room C & D

****LATE FEE:** If your child is not picked up from camp by 12:00pm or 3:15pm, a fee of \$25 will be applied to your account.

For Pre- and Post-Care, please park in the parking lot and use the main entrance (noted on the maps) to enter the building to drop off/pick up your child(ren).

****LATE FEE:** If your child is not picked up by 6:00pm you will incur a late fee of \$25 for the first 1-10 minutes late and an additional \$1 per minute thereafter.



PERSONAL BELONGINGS

Campers should not bring toys, stuffed animals, radios, watches, iPods or cell phones to camp. J Day Camps will not be responsible for lost or damaged items of value. If items from home are needed for special programs, instructions will be sent home in advance to notify you.

OPEN HOUSE

Sunday, May 22

Both Locations

1:00 - 1:30pm

Parents' Informational Meeting - An orientation session, which is ideal for new camp families, but all are welcome.

1:30 - 2:00pm

Camp Meet and Greet - This is an opportunity for you and your child to get acquainted with the counselors, meet other campers, see the facilities and check out camp.

LOCATIONS:

Creve Coeur - Staenberg Family Complex

Informational Meeting - Camp Pavilion

Meet & Greet - Camp Pavilion

Chesterfield - Marilyn Fox Building

Informational Meeting - Lobby Meeting Room

Meet & Greet - See signage in Lobby





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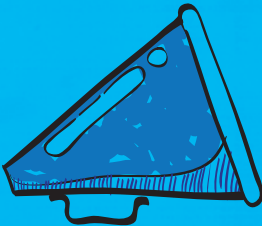
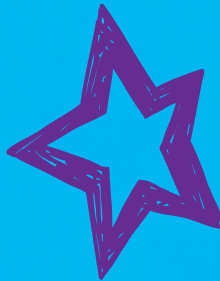
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