

Department of Recreation, Parks & Cultural Activities



SUMMER *of* SMILES 2025

Summer fun for ages 3-15

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2025

NorthernVirginia
MAGAZINE
— BEST SUMMER CAMPS —



City of Alexandria



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Classic Camps



172601-05	M-F	9am-4pm	7/20-7/24	\$179	ODRC
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LEGEND

CLASS SIZE
Min / Max

M = Monday
Tu = Tuesday
W = Wednesday
Th = Thursday
F = Friday

= Before Care Available

= After Care Available

= Free shirt included with registration

NEW! = New this season

RECREATION CENTERS

BFNC	Jerome Buddie Ford Nature Center 5750 Sanger Ave.
CBRC	Charles Barrett 1115 Martha Custis Dr.
CHRC	Charles Houston 901 Wythe St.
CKRC	Leonard "Chick" Armstrong 25 West Reed Ave.
CQRC	Chinquapin Park & Aquatics Facility 3210 King St.
LEEC/LCCM	Lee Center/Lee Center Complex 1108 Jefferson St.
MHAF/MHGM	Minnie Howard Aquatics Facility/MH Gym 3795 W. Braddock Rd.
MVRC	Mount Vernon 2701 Commonwealth Ave.
NLRC	Nannie J. Lee 1108 Jefferson St.
ODRC	Oswald Durant Center 1605 Cameron St.
PHRC	Patrick Henry 4653 Taney Ave.
WRRC	William Ramsay 5650 Sanger Ave.

SCHOOLS/OTHER FACILITIES

ABPK	Armistead Boothe Park 520 Cameron Station Blvd.
CHPK	Chambliss Park 2505 North Chambliss St.
CQPK	Chinquapin Park 3210 King St.
DMES	Douglas MacArthur Elementary School, 1101 Janneys Lane
FDSE	Ferdinand T. Day Elementary School 1701 N. Beauregard St.
FMPK	Four Mile Run Park 3700 Commonwealth Ave.
GWMS	George Washington Middle School 1005 Mt. Vernon Ave.
JAES	John Adams Elementary School 5651 Rayburn Ave.
JHES	Jefferson Houston School 1501 Cameron St.
JPES	James K. Polk Elementary School 5000 Polk Ave.
OTPL	Old Town Pool 1609 Cameron St.
SJSP	Schuyler Hamilton Jones Skateboard Park 3540 Wheeler Ave.

Durant After Care

Ages 5-12. Need a little extra time after work to pick up your child? This supervised program will allow you a little more time in the afternoons. Activities include arts and crafts, movies, and games.

172605-01	M-W,F	4-6pm	6/16-6/20	\$39	ODRC
172605-02	M-F	4-6pm	6/23-6/27	\$49	ODRC
172605-03	M-Th	4-6pm	6/30-7/3	\$39	ODRC
172605-04	M-F	4-6pm	7/7-7/11	\$49	ODRC
172605-05	M-F	4-6pm	7/14-7/18	\$49	ODRC
172605-06	M-F	4-6pm	7/21-7/25	\$49	ODRC
172605-07	M-F	4-6pm	7/28-8/1	\$49	ODRC
172605-08	M-F	4-6pm	8/4-8/8	\$49	ODRC

Alex Fun Day Camp



Ages 6-12. Games, arts and crafts, swimming, and more. There's something for everyone! Campers will have one weekly special event each week, a highlighted theme of the week, and swim three times a week. Energetic, experienced staff lead your children in a summer of F-U-N. Camp information forms are required for each camper before their first day. Campers must bring their own bag lunch, snacks, water bottle, swimsuit, and towel. Staff to participant ratio is 1:10.

172600-01	M,W,F	8:30am-4:30pm	6/16-6/20	\$135	ODRC
172600-02	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	6/23-6/27	\$225	ODRC
172600-03	M-Th	8:30am-4:30pm	6/30-7/3	\$179	ODRC
172600-04	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/7-7/11	\$225	ODRC
172600-05	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/14-7/18	\$225	ODRC
172600-06	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/21-7/25	\$225	ODRC
172600-07	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/28-8/1	\$225	ODRC
172600-08	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	8/4-8/8	\$225	ODRC

Alex Fun Sports Camp

Ages 7-12. Love sports? Let us entertain and educate your children for the entire day, while doing what they love! Mornings immerse campers in a focused sport of the week, while afternoons are spent playing games. Your camper will develop teamwork, camaraderie, and sportsmanship while having fun, and will swim three times weekly! Campers must bring their own bag lunch, snacks, and water bottle. Staff to participant ratio is 1:10.

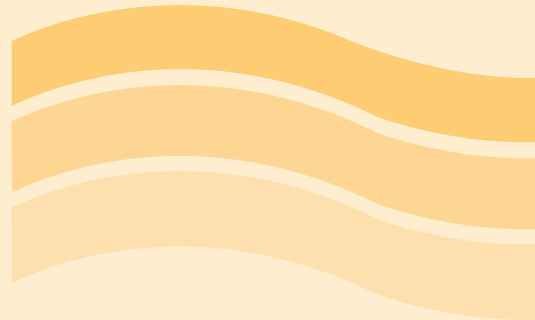
172601-01	M-W,F	8:30am-4:30pm	6/16-6/20	\$179	MHGM
172601-02	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	6/23-6/27	\$225	MHGM
172601-03	M-Th	8:30am-4:30pm	6/30-7/3	\$179	MHGM
172601-04	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/7-7/11	\$225	MHGM
172601-05	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/14-7/18	\$225	MHGM
172601-06	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/21-7/25	\$225	MHGM
172601-07	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	7/28-8/1	\$225	MHGM
172601-08	M-F	8:30am-4:30pm	8/4-8/8	\$225	MHGM

Alex CIT Program **NEW!**

Ages 13-15. The Counselor in Training (CIT) program is offered for campers to begin to understand the responsibility of being a counselor. CITs will spend time learning about child development, group management, and basic lesson planning. They will also spend time in camps learning from the staff and receiving hands-on experience. CITs will not be placed in camps with the same age campers and must commit to a two-week session.

172602-01	M-F	9am-1pm	6/16-6/27	\$315	ODRC
172602-02	M-F	9am-1pm	6/30-7/11	\$315	ODRC
172602-03	M-F	9am-1pm	7/14-8/1	\$349	ODRC

Sports Camps



Tip Top Little Athletes Camp

Ages 3-8. Campers will participate in various sports fundamentals, games, skills, and drills, while experiencing sportsmanship. Campers will explore soccer, t-ball, lacrosse, flag football, hockey, and basketball, along with sport-related art activities, while gaining confidence and independent skills in a fun environment.

174210-01	M-W,F	9am-1pm	6/16-6/20	\$225	JPES
174210-02	M-F	9am-1pm	6/23-6/27	\$275	JPES
174210-03	M-F	9am-1pm	7/28-8/1	\$275	JPES

Tip Top Little Kicks Soccer Camp

Ages 3-8. Looking for a fun and engaging way to keep your child active this summer? Tip Top Little Kicks Soccer camp is the perfect place for kids to develop their skills, make new friends, and create lasting memories.

174251-01	M-F	9am-1pm	7/14-7/18	\$275	JPES
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Excite Soccer Camp

Ages 3.5-8. Children will develop mental, physical, and social skills through creative soccer games and activities led by experienced staff. Emphasizing coordination, agility, teamwork, and fun, this high-energy program builds confidence and fosters a love for the game.

172633-01	M-F	9am-12pm	7/7-7/11	\$195	JHES
172633-02	M-F	9am-12pm	7/14-7/18	\$195	JHES

Preschool Swim Camp

Ages 4-5. Start the summer with the right learning skills and confidence in the water to prepare your child for a fun and safe summer

at the pool or beach. Campers will receive daily structured small group swim lessons with a certified American Red Cross swim instructor at their skill level, including fundamental aquatic skills, water safety, and stroke development. Campers will also enjoy games and arts and crafts. Campers must be potty trained.

174202-01	M-F	9am-12pm	6/2-6/6	\$235	CQRC
174202-02	M-F	9am-12pm	6/9-6/13	\$235	CQRC
174202-03	M-W,F	9am-12pm	6/16-6/20	\$195	CQRC

Soccer Pros Soccer Tots Camp

Ages 4-6. Soccer Tots is a fun, non-competitive program designed to develop motor skills, fitness, and self-confidence through engaging games and activities.

172620-01	M-W,F	9am-12pm	6/16-6/20	\$169	JHES
172620-02	M-F	9am-12pm	6/23-6/27	\$209	JHES
172620-03	M-Th	9am-12pm	6/30-7/3	\$169	JHES
172620-04	M-F	9am-12pm	7/21-7/25	\$209	JHES
172620-05	M-F	9am-12pm	8/4-8/8	\$209	LCCM

Tennis 4 Kids Camp

Ages 4-6. Learn to play like the pros in this engaging tennis class featuring singles, doubles, drills, and cardio exercises to keep kids agile. Participants will master game rules and techniques while building skills and confidence. Campers must bring their own racquet.

174211-01	M-F	9am-12pm	6/23-6/27	\$215	CQPK
174211-02	M-Th	9am-12pm	6/30-7/3	\$175	CQPK
174211-03	M-F	9am-12pm	7/14-7/18	\$215	CQPK
174211-04	M-F	9am-12pm	7/21-7/25	\$215	CQPK
174211-05	M-F	9am-12pm	8/11-8/15	\$215	CQPK

Lil Lacrosse Camp

Ages 4-6. This camp helps players build fundamentals in a safe, fun environment, focusing on coordination, agility, and stick skills. Perfect for beginners and intermediate players, sessions include group warm-ups and skill-specific drills.

172661-01	M-F	9am-12pm	7/14-7/18	\$209	JHES
172661-02	M-F	9am-12pm	7/28-8/1	\$209	JHES
172661-03	M-F	9am-12pm	8/11-8/15	\$209	JHES

Nerf Fencing Camp

Ages 4-6. Campers will learn the basic stance, lunge, parries, and attacks, as well as the basic concepts of fencing. All ages will use Nerf foam sabers with the option to wear fencing equipment.

172659-01	M-F	9am-12pm	7/28-8/1	\$165	JHES
172659-02	M-F	9am-12pm	8/11-8/15	\$165	JHES

Tip Top Ninjas Camp

Ages 4-9. Tip Top Tae Kwon Do summer camp offers a fun, safe, and exciting experience! Kids enjoy games like dodgeball and capture the flag, alongside Tae Kwon Do training, arts and crafts, and life skill development. Campers build confidence, create lasting memories, and learn to lead by example—no martial arts experience required!

174232-01	M-Th	9am-1pm	7/7-7/11	\$225	JPES
174232-02	M-F	9am-1pm	7/21-7/25	\$275	JPES
174232-03	M-F	9am-1pm	8/4-8/8	\$275	JPES

Hoop Life Basketball

Ages 4-14. Basketball enthusiasts won't want to miss this fun, structured camp focused on fundamentals. Led by experienced coaches from high school to the NBA, campers will leave with improved skills, prizes, and a greater passion for the game!

172626-01	M-W,F	9am-4pm	6/16-6/20	\$245	JHES
172626-02	M-F	9am-4pm	6/23-6/27	\$299	JHES
172626-03	M-Th	9am-4pm	6/30-7/3	\$245	JHES
172626-04	M-F	9am-4pm	7/7-7/11	\$299	JHES
172626-05	M-F	9am-4pm	7/14-7/18	\$299	JHES
172626-06	M-F	9am-4pm	7/21-7/25	\$299	JHES
172626-07	M-F	9am-4pm	7/28-8/1	\$299	JHES
172626-08	M-F	9am-4pm	8/4-8/8	\$299	JHES
172626-09	M-F	9am-4pm	8/11-8/15	\$299	NLRC

Alex Swim Camp

Ages 6-11. Start the summer off right, learning skills and confidence in the water that will prepare your child for a fun and safe summer at the pool or beach. Campers will receive two daily structured small group swim lessons with a certified American Red Cross swim instructor at their skill level including fundamental aquatic skills, water safety, and stroke development. Campers will also enjoy games, arts and crafts, and free swimming throughout the week. Camp information forms are required to confirm registration. Campers must bring their own bag, lunch, snacks, water bottle, swimsuit, and towel.

174200-01	M-W,F	9am-4pm	6/16-6/20	\$305	CQRC
174200-02	M-F	9am-4pm	6/23-6/27	\$379	CQRC
174200-03	M-Th	9am-4pm	6/30-7/3	\$305	CQRC
174200-04	M-F	9am-4pm	7/7-7/11	\$379	CQRC
174200-05	M-F	9am-4pm	7/14-7/18	\$379	CQRC
174200-06	M-F	9am-4pm	7/21-7/25	\$379	CQRC
174200-07	M-F	9am-4pm	7/28-8/1	\$379	CQRC
174200-08	M-F	9am-4pm	8/4-8/8	\$379	CQRC

Gymnastics Camp

Ages 6-11. Learn basic gymnastics skills on four events (vault, bars, beam, and floor) using proper body position and correct form with training equipment. Students will gain strength, flexibility, and coordination.

174215-01	M-Th	9am-12pm	6/30-7/3	\$259	CQRC
174215-02	M-F	9am-12pm	7/14-7/18	\$325	CQRC
174215-03	M-F	9am-4pm	7/21-7/25	\$325	CQRC
174215-04	M-F	9am-12pm	8/4-8/8	\$325	CQRC

TSP Lacrosse Camp

Ages 6-14. Master lacrosse fundamentals in a fun, safe environment! Perfect for beginners and intermediate players, sessions focus on coordination, agility, and stick skills. Includes group warm-ups, skill drills, and swimming twice a week. Bring your stick; equipment available at tspteam.com. Includes swimming twice a week.

172631-01	M-W,F	9am-4pm	6/16-6/20	\$239	JHES
172631-02	M-Th	9am-4pm	6/30-7/3	\$239	JHES
172631-03	M-F	9am-4pm	7/7-7/11	\$299	JHES
172631-04	M-F	9am-4pm	7/14-7/18	\$299	JHES
172631-05	M-F	9am-4pm	7/21-7/25	\$299	JHES
172631-06	M-F	9am-4pm	7/28-8/1	\$299	JHES
172631-07	M-F	9am-4pm	8/11-8/15	\$299	JHES

Soccer Pros Soccer Camp



Ages 6-14. Soccer Pros offers skill-building and fun for boys and girls! Younger campers learn fundamentals through games, while older groups focus on advanced skills, challenges, and team competitions. Includes swimming twice a week.

172632-01	M-W,F	9am-4pm	6/16-6/20	\$215	JHES
172632-02	M-F	9am-4pm	6/23-6/27	\$265	JHES
172632-03	M-Th	9am-4pm	6/30-7/3	\$215	JHES
172632-04	M-F	9am-4pm	7/21-7/25	\$265	JHES
172632-05	M-F	9am-4pm	8/4-8/8	\$265	JHES

TSP Flag Football Camp



Ages 6-14. Learn to pass, catch, run routes, and punt like the pros! We'll practice these skills while playing Button Hook and Down & Out, Pitch & Run, and First & Ten. Scrimmage will test your skills, and promote teamwork, and sportsmanship. Swimming twice a week is included. Extended care is not available for week two.

172684-01	M-F	9am-4pm	6/23-6/27	\$299	JHES
172684-02	M-Th	9am-4pm	6/30-7/3	\$245	CQPK
172684-03	M-F	9am-4pm	7/7-7/11	\$299	JHES
172684-04	M-F	9am-4pm	7/21-7/25	\$299	JHES
172684-05	M-F	9am-4pm	8/4-8/8	\$299	JHES

Baroody Sports & PE Games

NEW!

Ages 7-11. In this camp, we will play some of the best sports and PE games ever invented. We will choose from knockout, extreme kickball, handball, capture the flag, modified dodgeball, ultimate frisbee, floor hockey, soccer and more. We will also take suggestions from children to make sure the fun never ends!

172682-01	M-W,F	9am-12pm	6/16-6/20	\$159	CQPK
172682-02	M-F	9am-12pm	7/14-7/18	\$199	CQPK
172682-03	M-F	9am-12pm	7/28-8/1	\$199	CQPK
172682-04	M-F	9am-12pm	8/4-8/8	\$199	CQPK

Bounce-Boom Tennis Camp

Ages 7-13. Bounce-Boom (formerly FirstServe) uses innovative techniques to enhance tracking, movement, and ball striking, boosting consistency and minimizing errors. With a 7:1 ratio, it's a fun, friendly way to build skills and a lifelong love for

the game. Must bring your own racquet.

172628-01	M-W,F	9am-12pm	6/16-6/20	\$299	CQPK
172628-02	M-F	9am-12pm	7/7-7/11	\$375	CQPK
172628-03	M-F	9am-12pm	7/28-8/1	\$375	CQPK
172628-04	M-F	9am-12pm	8/4-8/8	\$375	CQPK

Bounce-Boom Pickleball Camp

NEW!

Ages 7-13. Bounce-Boom (formerly FirstServe) Racquet Sports programs use innovative teaching techniques and games to create a fun learning environment. The low student to instructor ratio helps students learn the fundamentals quickly and develop a lifelong love of the game. Pickleball paddles are required. Visit bounceboom.com for more information. Ratio 7:1.

172627-01	M-F	9am-12pm	6/23-6/27	\$375	CHPK
172627-02	M-F	9am-12pm	7/14-7/18	\$375	CHPK

Skateboarding 4 Kids



Ages 7-14. This skateboard program is jam-packed with fun, excitement, and safety. Participants will receive instruction on how to safely ride, tack turn, kick turn, approach ramps, rock n roll, rock to fakie, ollie, grind, drop in and get air. Instructional moves and skating games will be incorporated daily. Participants should bring their own skateboard, pads, and helmet.

172630-01	M-W,F	9am-1pm	6/16-6/20	\$209	SJSP
172630-02	M-Th	9am-1pm	6/30-7/3	\$209	SJSP
172630-03	M-F	9am-1pm	7/14-7/18	\$259	SJSP
172630-04	M-F	9am-1pm	7/28-8/1	\$259	SJSP
172630-05	M-F	9am-1pm	8/11-8/15	\$259	SJSP

Friendzone Flag Football Camp

NEW!

Ages 7-14. Don't regret your child missing this fun camp. Participants will have a blast learning the fundamentals of flag football based upon the official NFL Flag Football curriculum. They will participate in scrimmages and earn cool prizes during skill competitions. Spaces are limited so enroll now!

172634-01	M-F	9am-4pm	6/23-6/27	\$295	ABPK
172634-02	M-F	9am-4pm	7/7-7/11	\$295	ABPK
172634-03	M-F	9am-4pm	7/14-7/18	\$295	ABPK
172634-04	M-F	9am-4pm	7/21-7/25	\$295	ABPK
172634-05	M-F	9am-4pm	7/28-8/1	\$295	ABPK
172634-06	M-F	9am-4pm	8/4-8/8	\$295	ABPK

Swim Team Prep Camp

NEW!

Ages 8-14. Campers will receive two daily structured practices with a certified American Red Cross swim instructor designed to improve the efficiency and legality of their strokes. Campers will also enjoy games, arts and crafts, and free swim throughout the week. Camp information forms are required to confirm registration. Campers must bring their own bag, lunch, snacks, water bottle, swimsuit, and towel.

173601-01	M-F	9am-4pm	6/16-6/20	\$225	MHAF
173601-02	M-F	9am-4pm	6/23-6/27	\$225	MHAF

Alexandria Aces Baseball Camp

Ages 8-16. Come enjoy a day at the ballpark with your favorite Alexandria Aces! Learn the fundamentals and play alongside the players you see play at night at Frank Mann Field. From hitting to pitching to fielding, your day will be filled with loads of baseball and fun. Games and competitions will be added to the conclusion of the day, and each camper will receive an official Aces autographed championship yearbook. We look forward to seeing you all there!

172607-01	M-W,F	9:30am-2:30pm	6/16-6/20	\$299	FMPK
172607-02	M-F	9:30am-2:30pm	6/23-6/27	\$375	FMPK
172607-03	M-F	9:30am-2:30pm	7/7-7/11	\$375	FMPK
172607-04	M-F	9:30am-2:30pm	7/14-7/18	\$375	FMPK

Discover Nature at JEROME "BUDDIE" FORD NATURE CENTER

Explore the beauty of Alexandria's natural wonders at the Jerome "Buddie" Ford Nature Center! Whether you're looking to connect with local wildlife, enjoy peaceful trails, or participate in engaging programs, there's something for everyone to enjoy.



Interactive Exhibits: Get up close with live animals & learn about our region's ecosystems.



Scenic Trails:

Wander through the beauty of Dora Kelley Nature Park & embrace the tranquility of the outdoors.



Programs & Events: Explore workshops, birdwatching & engaging activities perfect for all ages!

Questions?

Call 703.746.5559

Visit us online to learn more:

alexandriava.gov/NatureCenter

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For ages 18 mos.-5 years
MONDAY-FRIDAY 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m.
\$5/per child

Cooking Camps

Presented by Tiny Chefs

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Culinary Passport

Ages 6-10. In this exciting camp, tiny chefs will explore global cuisines, cooking dishes from Italy, India, Vietnam, Mexico, and France. They'll learn unique techniques and ingredients, expanding both their world and their palates!

172677-01 M-W,F 9am-4pm 6/16-6/20 \$399 ODRC

Cupcake Wars

Ages 6-10. Cupcakes are here to stay, and now's your chance to master them! This week, learn the basics—measuring, mixing, baking, and frosting—then compete in a fun cupcake battle to earn the title of “Best Cupcake.” Let the competition begin!

172677-02 M-F 9am-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$475 ODRC

All American Diner Road Trip

Ages 6-10. In this camp, students will learn to make classic Diner and Drive Thru Delights from scratch, including panko chicken bites, burgers, and shakes. With guidance from our culinary instructor, campers will gain confidence in the kitchen, earn a certificate, and explore new flavors!

172677-03 M-Th 9am-4pm 6/30-7/3 \$399 ODRC

Cupcake Wars 2.0

Ages 6-10. Cupcake Wars 2.0 takes the fun to the next level with new recipes, including breakfast cupcakes, regional and international flavors, and savory options. Campers will compete in small groups, learning decorating techniques while exploring exciting, unique flavors!

172677-04 M-F 9am-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$475 ODRC

Let's Make Today a Holiday

Ages 6-10. Celebrate with delicious treats all week long! Make Thanksgiving Pumpkin parfaits, Fourth of July cupcakes, Valentine's Chocolate Raspberry mousse, Halloween spider web pizzas, and Cinco de Mayo quesadillas with guacamole, plus more! Why not enjoy Valentine's Day treats in July? Join the fun!

172677-06 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$475 ODRC

Donut Bar

Ages 6-10. Donuts are a beloved American favorite, with five National Donut Days! At Tiny Chefs, we've elevated the experience with a session dedicated to gourmet flavors like Mexican Hot Chocolate, Apple Cider, and Lemon Blueberry Glazed Donuts. With a variety of glazes to choose from, your Tiny Chef is sure to love every bite!

172677-07 M-F 9am-4pm 7/28-8/1 \$475 ODRC

NAILED IT! Artful Cupcakes

Ages 10-14. If your little baker loved Cupcake Wars, they'll love 'Nailed It!' This week, campers decorate creative cupcakes, including animal faces, floral designs, and hamburger cupcakes.

172677-05 M-F 9am-4pm 7/14-7/18 \$475 ODRC

Master Chef

Ages 10-14. Master Chef lets campers unleash their kitchen creativity, crafting breakfast, lunch, and dinner recipes. As the week progresses, they'll learn advanced cooking and baking techniques, earning the title of Master Chef!

172677-08 M-F 9am-4pm 8/4-8/8 \$475 ODRC

Creative Arts

Presented by Abrakadoodle Art Camps

Australia, China and the Americas!

172622-04 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$315 ODRC

Wild About Animals

Ages 5.5-12. Let's get wild! Discover animals and their different habitats from around the world. Design toucans, stingrays, monkeys, camels, llamas, ostriches, lions, and more. Create animals in all shapes, sizes, and colors. Each lesson will introduce fun art techniques while we explore STEAM concepts.

172622-01 M-W,F 9am-4pm 6/16-6/20 \$315 CHRC

Kids on Canvas

Ages 5.5-12. This unique art program teaches children about painting on a variety of canvas surfaces in different ways. Children will explore the artists such as Romero Britto, Carlo Marini, and Keith Haring while experimenting with color mixing, printing, collage, patterns, perspective and more.

172622-02 M-F 9am-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$315 ODRC

Broadway Extravaganza

Ages 5.5-12. Join the crew of the Broadway Extravaganza Art Camp, where creativity takes center stage! Set your imagination free as we sketch costumes, craft a mini revolving stage with props, design a promotional poster, make masks, puppets, and much more.

172622-03 M-F 9am-4pm 7/14-7/18 \$315 CHRC

Myths & Legends

Ages 5.5-12. Tell me a story! World myths and legends inspire sculptures, drawings, paintings and more. Create unforgettable art from the rich tales of Africa, India, Europe, the Middle East,

Circus Art

Ages 5.5-12. Ladies and gentlemen, boys and girls...the circus is coming to town in Abrakadoodle style! Stretch your creative muscles, while you tame animal sculptures, create a 3D clown puppet, and more. Be the ringmaster of your own imagination!

172622-05 M-F 9am-4pm 7/28-8/1 \$315 CHRC

3D Mania

Ages 5.5-12. Use your fingers to pat, push, and pull clay materials into 3D masterpieces. Be inspired by ancient and modern artists to create your own expressions of clay art. Lessons using Chinese artifacts, mythology, and modern decorative design give the young artist an opportunity to make 3D objects that encourage mastery of clay techniques.

172622-06 M-F 9am-4pm 8/4-8/8 \$315 CHRC

Magical Art Camp

Ages 5-9. Welcome to Magical Art Camp, where imagination knows no bounds! Over a week of enchantment, kids will dive into whimsical arts and crafts projects, from spellbinding paintings to enchanted sculptures. Unleash your creativity and explore a world of color and wonder. Join us for a magical journey of self-expression and fun!

172640-01 M-F 9am-4pm 7/14-7/18 \$325 ODRC



Art Box Science Art Mania

Ages 5-10. At Science Art Mania, campers explore the exciting connections between science and art through hands-on projects like painting with chemical reactions, building volcanoes, making snow, and creating lava lamps. Perfect for curious minds and budding artists, this camp sparks creativity and brings science to life!

172685-01 M-F 9am-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$335 LEEC
172685-02 M-F 9am-4pm 7/28-8/1 \$335 LEEC

Art Box Visual Arts Adventure

Ages 5-10. Get ready to unleash your inner artist! In Visual Arts Adventure Camp, kids will explore a variety of art forms, including painting, drawing, sculpture, and mixed media. Through fun, hands-on projects, campers will learn new techniques, express their creativity, and create one-of-a-kind masterpieces to take home. This camp is perfect for young artists eager to explore, imagine, and create in a supportive, colorful environment!

172685-02 M-Th 9am-4pm 6/30-7/3 \$269 LEEC
172685-06 M-F 9am-4pm 8/11-8/15 \$335 LEEC

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Presented by Young Rembrandts

World Famous Paintings

Ages 6-12. In Young Rembrandts' Pastel Art workshop, students will create original pastel drawings inspired by five famous artists. Each day focuses on mastering the pastel medium, with a masterpiece to frame by the end. No experience needed; please wear an old shirt or smock.

172680-01 M-F 9am-3pm 7/14-7/18 \$475 CQRC

Colorful Critters Pastel Workshop

Ages 6-12. Animal lovers, get ready for an exciting new pastel workshop! Students will learn pastel techniques to create whimsical animals like bees, frogs, owls, and more. A perfect creative challenge for kids, this workshop is sure to become a favorite summer tradition. Enroll today!

172680-02 M-F 9am-3pm 7/28-8/1 \$475 CQRC

Ocean Life Pastel Workshop

Ages 8-12. Five, fun-filled days await our students as we explore ocean life as they learn to draw and color with pastels. We will create detailed, pastel compositions on each day, focusing on a different ocean-themed subject. We will draw eye-catching sea stars along the shoreline and a pair of vibrant clown fish. We will illustrate a sea turtle with bold patterns, a blue crab and a wondrous scene of jellyfish. Our instruction will bring remarkable results, and you will want to head to the frame shop with your child's finished pastel pieces. These pastel drawings will reward students with a great sense of pride and accomplishment. Enroll today!

172680-03 M-F 9am-12pm 8/11-8/15 \$275 ODRC

Performing Arts




Art Box Musical Theater

Ages 5-10. Dive into a world where creativity meets discovery! At Science Art Mania, campers will explore the fascinating connections between science and art through hands-on projects and experiments. From painting with chemical reactions to building volcanoes, make snow, and build lava lamps, etc. Kids will have fun creating masterpieces while learning scientific principles. Perfect for curious minds and budding artists, this camp will inspire creativity, ignite curiosity, and make science come alive through the magic of art!

172685-03 M-F 9am-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$335 LEEC
172685-04 M-F 9am-4pm 7/14-7/18 \$335 LEEC

Ultimate Music Experience Camp*

Ages 5-12. Join us for a week of musical theater adventure where creativity takes center stage! This camp is perfect for young performers who have an interest in singing, dancing, and acting for a performance finale. The camp also offers a Counselors-in-Training (CIT) for older campers ages 10 through 12 years. The CIT Program offers a hands-on leadership experience where campers can develop skills in stage management, coaching, and directing while mentoring younger campers. Campers and CITs alike can enjoy creating stage sets, costumes, and props while working together to bring a short musical to life! The camp culminates into a performance for family and friends, with CITs showcasing their contributions in a behind-the-scenes presentation.

172668-01 M-F 9am-12:30pm 6/23-6/27 \$249 ODRC
172668-02 M-F 12:30-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$249 ODRC
172668-03 M-F 9am-12:30pm 7/21-7/25 \$249 CHRC

172668-04 M-F 12:30-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$249 CHRC
172668-05 M-F 9am-12:30pm 7/7-7/11 \$249 ODRC
172668-06 M-F 12:30-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$249 ODRC
172668-07 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$249 ODRC
*Aftercare available for 1-5pm sessions only.

Local Motion Dance Sampler Camp **NEW!**

Ages 7-11. Explore a variety of styles of dance this summer which will include contemporary, jazz, ballet, and more. We will not only get to do the movements but also learn about how they started and how they have changed. You will be able to take what you learned to make dances using your own ideas and creativity!

172610-01 M-W,F 9am-4pm 6/16-6/20 \$359 CQRC
172610-02 M-F 9am-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$445 CQRC
172610-03 M-F 9am-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$445 CQRC
172610-04 M-F 9am-4pm 7/28-8/1 \$445 CQRC

Local Motion Production Camp **NEW!**

Ages 11-14. Create, produce, and promote your own dance show! Work collaboratively to make original dances, staging decisions, and marketing choices. You'll be involved in everything-from choreography to designing the program to creating videos and more. All levels of experience are welcome!

172611-01 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$445 LEEC





Academic & Technology

Presented by Little Scholars

Art Safari

Ages 3-5. We are going to take a safari around the world! Visit a new country each lesson and learn about animals native to that location with a sprinkle of literature, dabble of games, and a whole lot of art. Grab your passport and discover the thrill of the hunt without leaving school!

172697-01 M-F 9am-12pm 6/23-6/27 \$155 ODR

Bug Bonanza

Ages 3-5. Are you ready to bug out? Explore the world of bugs as you sing songs, create buggy crafts, and crawl through math and reading activities focused on the lives of these cool crawly creatures.

172697-02 M-F 9am-12pm 7/7-7/11 \$155 ODR

Infinity & Beyond

Ages 3-5. 5, 4, 3, 2, 1, let's blast off to space for a super fun journey to our awesome solar system. We'll meet colorful comets, gigantic planets, twinkling shooting stars, speedy rockets, and so much more! Let's zoom through the galaxy and discover the wonders of space travel together!

172697-03 M-F 9am-12pm 7/14-7/18 \$155 ODR

Mini Med School

Ages 3-5. Is there a doctor around? Mini Med School is coming your way! Our little doctors will learn the ins and outs of the fascinating world of medicine. Grab your doctor bag and learn all about what doctors, dentists, vets, and other medical providers do to make our world a better place.

172697-04 M-F 9am-12pm 7/21-7/25 \$155 ODR

Little Scholars Rock-N-Roll Club

Ages 3-5. We are looking for the next rock-n-roll star! We will jam out with handmade instruments, learn hip songs, and rock the day away. Your rocking scholar will show off their social, gross, and fine motor skills at our final performance. Show us your rock star side!

172697-01 M-F 9am-12pm 7/28-8/1 \$155 ODR

Scientist in Training

Ages 3-5. Take a dash of engineering and a sprinkle of earth science, toss it together with some fun and games, and you have a STEAM-based program. Scientists will explore the different worlds of science through take home creations.

172697-06 M-F 9am-12pm 8/4-8/8 \$155 ODR

Green Thumb Club

Ages 3-5. Catch a ladybug, chase a firefly, and grow a garden, all while learning about nature and the world around us through stories, songs, art, exploration, and imaginary play. The Green Thumb Club will ignite your child's passion for nature, recycling, and learning about the Earth through tactile activities and developmentally appropriate science investigations. It's time to join the Green Thumb Club!

172697-07 M-F 9am-12pm 8/11-8/15 \$155 ODR



Presented by Science Seed

May the Force Be With You

Ages 5-8. Kids will explore how things move! They'll build their own boats and airplanes to learn about sinking, floating, flight, and balance. They experiment with gravity, magnets, friction, and more! The day includes outdoor recess, story time tied to the day's science, free reading, exploration, and a daily journal entry.

172691-02 M-W,F 9am-4pm 6/16-6/20 \$309 ODR

Chemistry in the Kitchen

Ages 5-8. What's the difference in using baking soda or baking powder when making cookies? What is the role of yeast in pizza dough? Campers will explore these mysteries, and more! The day includes outdoor recess, story time tied to the day's science, free reading, exploration, and a daily journal entry.

172691-02 M-Th 9am-4pm 6/30-7/3 \$385 ODR

172691-03 M-F 9am-4pm 7/28-8/1 \$385 ODR

My First Passport

Ages 5-9. This fun program helps campers develop a global mindset and build international awareness early in life. Explore cultural differences across countries, geography games, famous landmarks, world currencies, current global events, the role of international institutions like the UN, and more. Campers role-play as diplomats and come up with solutions to key global problems like hunger, poverty, and pollution.

174234-01 M-F 9am-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$475 CQR

Art Box LEGO® Mania Camp

Ages 5-10. Join us for an exciting Lego Camp where creativity meets construction! This action-packed week is designed for young builders eager to unleash their imaginations and bring their ideas to life with Lego bricks and other building materials. Each day, campers will dive into themed challenges, collaborate on group projects, and participate in hands-on activities that encourage problem-solving and teamwork. Whether constructing towering skyscrapers,

designing unique vehicles, or crafting detailed landscapes, kids will explore the endless possibilities of Lego building.

172686-01 M-W,F 9am-4pm 6/16-6/20 \$269 LEE

172686-02 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$335 LEE

STEM + Pokémon With LEGO®

Ages 5-10. Embark on a full-day LEGO® camp filled with hands-on STEM fun! Build projects inspired by cool machines, applying real-world concepts in physics, engineering, and architecture. Then join Ash and Pikachu to explore the vast world of Pokémon as we build and catch our favorite Pokémon, rescue Pikachu from Team Rocket, and take a ride on the S.S. Anne to uncover rare and mystic Pokémon. Join our journey to catch 'em all!

172638-01 M-F 9am-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$369 ODR

Play-Well STEM + Minecraft using LEGO®

Ages 5-10. Prepare for a full-day LEGO® camp packed with hands-on and minds-on STEM fun! First, build projects inspired by cool machines while applying real-world concepts in physics, engineering, and architecture. Then, venture into the world of Minecraft in our unique LEGO® experience. Get ready to build your base, craft your tools, use your Minecart to harvest raw resources, and battle to stop the Ender Dragon from ending the world.

172637-01 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$369 ODR

Play-Well Animal Adventures using LEGO®

Ages 5-10. Prepare for a full-day LEGO® camp packed with hands-on and minds-on STEM fun! Start the day by building engineer-designed projects using special pieces to create your own designs. Travel through the animal kingdom as you build animals in their natural habitats. Play, create, and learn in this new full-day themed engineering camp for LEGO® fanatics!

172643-01 M-F 9am-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$369 ODR



Minecraft Animation

Ages 5-10. Prepare for a full-day LEGO® camp packed with hands-on and minds-on STEM fun! First, build projects inspired by cool machines while applying real-world concepts in physics, engineering, and architecture. Then, venture into the world of Minecraft in our unique LEGO® experience. Get ready to build your base, craft your tools, use your Minecart to harvest raw resources, and battle to stop the Ender Dragon from ending the world.

172637-01 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$369 ODR

My First Lemonade Stand

Ages 6-9. Let's sell lemonade! Young campers become "lemonade entrepreneurs" and learn how to make yummy lemonade and earn money selling it! From designing marketing flyers to estimating profits to experimenting with recipes, campers have fun all week, while developing business savvy.

174204-01 M-F 9am-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$475 CQR

Art Innovators

Ages 6-9. This innovative foundation on financial literacy also serves as a practical math lab where campers learn and reinforce computational skills, while developing a mindset for healthy financial habits. From playing money math games to learning about budgeting through engaging activities, campers have fun while they enhance their "real life" math skills!

172652-01 M-W,F 9am-4pm 6/16-6/20 \$380 ODR

Minecraft Modding *

Ages 6-9. Campers will learn how to create their own custom gameplay items and elements using MCreator and Minecraft, create artwork for various items, and implement them into the game with custom behaviors. Design your own custom blocks, weapons, food, biomes and more! Does your child spend hours at a time playing Minecraft? Have them learn how to improve their gameplay experience and create your own custom mods to take home today! *Extended care for session 2 only.

172615-01 M-F 9am-12pm 6/16-6/20 \$299 ODR

172615-02 M-F 1-4pm 6/16-6/20 \$299 ODR

Little Shoppers

Ages 6-9. Do you like to shop till you drop? In this practical program, campers become savvy shoppers through games and hands-on projects. Experiential bartering and purchasing activities help campers internalize key concepts related to money choices, like needs versus wants. Campers analyze marketing power, put their cashier math skills to the test, and engage in dynamic marketplaces taking turns as buyers and sellers.

172657-01 M-F 9am-4pm 6/30-7/3 \$380 CQR

Cyberteck Coding in Minecraft With LUA *

Ages 6-9. Using a custom mod called "Computercraft", students will learn how to program robots called "Turtles" inside the world of Minecraft. Kids will utilize problem-solving skills by learning how to program their robots to complete various tasks and objectives such as programming their turtles to automatically build, mine, and craft items and structures. They will be introduced to programming if-then-else statements, for-while loops, and implement their own functions using Lua, a simple scripting language. *Extended care for session 2 only.

172617-01 M-F 9am-12pm 7/14-7/18 \$299 ODR

172617-02 M-F 1-4pm 7/14-7/18 \$299 ODR

My First Piggy Bank Camp

Ages 6-9. Earn, save, spend, donate! Let's learn about money! This innovative program provides a solid foundation on financial literacy for kids in a fun setting. Games and hands-on activities help campers internalize key concepts (like money, budgeting and saving) in an engaging and supportive environment fostering teamwork. Campers use their arts & crafts skills to make their own piggy banks!

174209-01 M-F 9am-4pm 7/21-7/25 \$475 CQR



Money Math

Ages 6-9. This innovative foundation on financial literacy also serves as a practical math lab where campers learn and reinforce computational skills, while developing a mindset for healthy financial habits. From playing money math games to learning about budgeting through engaging activities, campers have fun while they enhance their "real life" math skills!

172656-01 M-F 9am-4pm 8/4-8/8 \$475 ODR

My First Craft Fair

Ages 6-9. Let's get crafty! Young entrepreneurs will create handmade items to "sell" to other "vendors" at their very own craft fair! In this program, campers will learn about craft fairs and the ingenuity and creativity of the small business entrepreneur. They will produce goods and learn to create appealing advertising and displays. Other related topics will be discussed such as counting currency, budgeting, profit margins, buying and selling and assessing the quality of goods.

172670-01 M-F 9am-4pm 8/11-8/15 \$475 ODR

Silver Knights Chess Camp

Ages 6-11. Silver Knights (formerly Magnus Academy) has taught 100,000 children including national champions, but most students are beginners looking to learn and have fun! Campers are broken up in groups by skill level. Activities include learning the rules, openings, tactics, endgames, studying master games, and playing lots of games against other students. Campers will take breaks for snacks, lunch, and fresh air. At the end of the week, campers receive a t-shirt and chess set. All equipment provided.

172606-01 M-Th 9am-4pm 6/30-7/3 \$349 ODR

172606-02 M-F 9am-4pm 7/7-7/11 \$435 CHRC

172606-03 M-F 9am-4pm 7/28-8/1 \$435 ODR

Science: Potions and Explosions

Ages 7-11. Experience the thrill of Chemistry! Create "magic" potions and mind-blowing chemical reactions. Erupt a volcano, make indoor snow, grow crystals, blast a rocket into the air, and more. Explore states of matter, mixtures,

solutions, and chemical reactions. Join us to channel your inner Professor Snape!

174214-01 M-F 9am-3pm 8/4-8/8 \$349 CQR

Lip Lab: Lipstick & Lip Balm Making *

Ages 9-13. Get ready to pucker up at our Lip Lab Summer Camp! Over a week of creativity, teens will learn to craft their own lipsticks and balms, choosing colors, flavors, and even custom packaging. Dive into the art of beauty while exploring the science behind it. Join us for a fabulous, fun-filled week of self-expression and pampering! *Extended care for session 2 only.

172640-01 M-F 9am-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$345 CHRC

172640-03 M-F 9am-4pm 8/11-8/15 \$345 ODR

Computer Technology for the Creative Teen

Ages 10-14. Create a podcast, shoot and edit video, design a website, craft a 3D landscape, customize a t-shirt and hat, produce music beats, and design a room. Experience entrepreneurial and creative fun with potential career paths like movie producer, writer, graphic/web designer, architect, or audio/video production. Bring your laptop and explore the possibilities!

172613-01 M-F 1-4pm 6/23-6/27 \$375 CHRC

172613-02 M-F 1-4pm 7/14-7/18 \$375 CHRC

Learn to Code

Ages 10-14. Learn how to start writing Python code, which is used in AI, and JavaScript code. Learn game development skills with Microsoft Kodu, an Xbox-like development platform. Coding helps build critical thinking skills. Also covered will be computer maintenance and the basics of computer hardware, the internet, and operating systems. Laptop required.

172614-01 M-F 9am-12pm 6/23-6/27 \$375 CHRC

172614-02 M-F 9am-12pm 7/14-7/18 \$375 CHRC



Nature & Excursion

Tadpole Camp

Ages 4-5. Let's take a trip around the world together! Campers will visit a different country every day and learn about the plants and animals we find there. This camp will feature arts and crafts, animal meet and greets, and more! This is a drop-off camp.

179800-01 M-F 9-11am 6/23-6/27 \$104 BFNC
179800-02 M-F 9-11am 7/7-7/11 \$104 BFNC

Habitats of the World

Grades 1-2. Oceans, forests, and deserts are just a few of the ecosystems that make up our world. Join us as we dive deeper and explore the diverse habitats and animals that lie within. Campers will take part in hands-on investigations and meet the ambassador animals that reside at the Nature Center.

179808-01 M-F 9am-3pm 7/14-7/18 \$390 BFNC

Science Explorers

Grades 1-5. Explore the many branches of science including zoology, chemistry, and geology! You will discover your inner scientist through exciting experiments and investigations, with each day featuring a different field of science.

Grades 1-2

179806-01 M-F 9am-3pm 7/21-7/25 \$390 BFNC

Grades 3-5

179806-02 M-F 9am-3pm 7/28-8/1 \$390 BFNC

Nature Adventures Camp

Grades 1-5. Are you curious about nature? Join us as we investigate a variety of topics including animals and earth science. Campers will engage in fun, age-appropriate activities as we explore together. Snack will be provided, please bring a bagged lunch.

Grades 1-2

179807-01 M-F 9am-3pm 8/4-8/8 \$390 BFNC

Grades 3-5

179807-02 M-F 9am-3pm 8/11-8/15 \$390 BFNC

Presented by Baroody

Young Adventurers Camp

Ages 7-9. Young Adventures Camp is a dynamic week-long outdoor experience tailored for kids with a passion for exploring nature and the wild. Each day offers a different adventure including fishing, orienteering, hiking, creek exploration, and climbing. Campers will be transported to various scenic spots, equipped with all necessary gear, and embark on a journey of self-discovery and skill development.

172698-01 M-F 8:30am-4:30pm 6/23-6/27 \$595 ODRC

172698-02 M-F 8:30am-4:30pm 7/7-7/11 \$595 ODRC

172698-03 M-F 8:30am-4:30pm 7/21-7/25 \$595 ODRC

172698-04 M-F 8:30am-4:30pm 8/4-8/8 \$595 ODRC

Presented by Baroody

Adventure Fishing Camp

Ages 9-14. Adventure Fishing Camp is an immersive week-long day camp that offers young anglers a comprehensive fishing experience. From mastering the intricacies of fishing equipment to understanding fish behavior and responsible angling practices, campers will gain the knowledge and skills necessary to become self-reliant anglers. Throughout the week, campers will have the opportunity to fish in a variety of scenic locations, including freshwater ponds, rivers, lakes, and even Chesapeake Bay.

172608-01 M-F 8:30am-4:30pm 7/14-7/18 \$595 ODRC

Outdoor Adventure Camp

Ages 10-14. Step into the wild and join us at the Outdoor Adventure Camp, where kids with a passion for the outdoors will explore nature's wonders throughout an exciting week. Each day presents new opportunities, from orienteering to kayaking, white water rafting, tubing, and even hiking adventures!

172696-01 M-W,F 8:30am-4:30pm 6/16-6/20 \$476 ODRC

172696-02 M-Th 8:30am-4:30pm 6/30-7/3 \$595 ODRC

172696-03 M-F 8:30am-4:30pm 7/28-8/1 \$595 ODRC

172696-04 M-F 8:30am-4:30pm 8/11-8/15 \$595 ODRC

WEEKDAYS

At Jerome "Buddie" Ford Nature Center

11 a.m. | Open to the public

Wednesdays: Story time - Join us for a short story in our library.

Thursdays: Animal Brunch - Watch our turtles, frogs, or newts dine on their favorite foods.

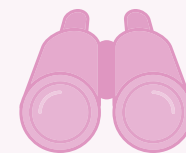
Fridays: Animal Meet & Greet - Get to know an animal that lives at the nature center.

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Out of School Time (OSTP) Checklist

Registration Opens February 19

Checklist for Power-On/ Power-Up Programs

- ✓ All campers should bring an extra change of clothes, reuseable water bottle and backpack, labeled with their name each day.
- ✓ All registration, medical, and release forms must be completed and submitted to your preferred location by May 23.

Camp Payment

The program registration fee is due at the time of registration. Financial Assistance and Payment Plan options are available upon request. All balances must be paid by the end of the summer program.

ADA Accommodations

The Department of Recreation, Parks & Cultural Activities is committed to providing innovative, inclusive, accessible, and affordable programs, which enhance the health, well-being, and quality of life for Alexandria residents with all abilities. To request a reasonable accommodation, contact the ADA Coordinator, Jackie Person, at 703.746.5423. All ADA requests must be submitted 2 weeks prior to the start of the preferred class, program, camp, or event.

OSTP Standard Operating Procedures

Power-On and Power-Up are not licensed child care programs, but both programs are based on local standards. Each location's program is planned to be age-appropriate and properly supervised. Local standards are available online at alexandriava.gov/Recreation.

Medical Information

The Out of School Time Power-On/Power-Up program does not administer any medication.

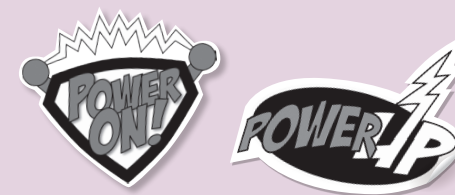
With written authorization from a parent or guardian and signed by the child's physician, inhalers and EpiPens needed for life-threatening medical conditions are permissible in the original labeled containers and will be held in a secured location in the program office. Staff will take these medications to any program activities offsite in a medical backpack with other standard first aid supplies.

Any other medication requests are handled on a case-by-case basis.

For more information, visit
alexandriava.gov/rpca/ostp



Out of School Time



Summer Power-On

Ages 6-11 (entering 1st grade-6th grade in Fall 2025). Kidz REC-reate! Discover traditional recreation activities, creative and performing arts, sports, health and wellness, special events, STEAM, and much more! Campers are encouraged to develop a sense of camaraderie and an understanding of teamwork. Registration minimums and maximums vary by location. No program 6/19, 7/4.

102901-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	JAES
102905-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	DMES
102903-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	FDES
103500-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	CBRC
103600-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	CHRC
103700-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	CKRC
103800-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	MVRC
104000-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	PHRC
104100-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	WRRC

Fees subject to increase beginning July 1

Summer Program	Cost
Resident	\$459
Resident with Free & Reduced Lunch	\$225
Resident with SNAP	Free
Resident with TANF	Free

For more information, please contact your neighborhood recreation center or the Registration & Reservation Office at 703.746.5414.

ACPS summer locations subject to change.

Summer Power-Up

Ages 11-14 (entering grades 6-9 in Fall 2025). Kidz REC-reate, Power-Up teens are Creatives in the making! Designed for young teens who enjoy spending the summer meeting new people, having fun with friends, and creating lasting memories. Power-Up provides engaging and age-appropriate activities for all campers to enjoy. The program includes traditional recreation activities, sports, creative and performing arts, STEM activities, and more! No program 6/19, 7/4.

102904-01	M-F	9am-6pm	6/16-8/8	\$459	GWMS
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Summer Before Care

Ages 6-14. Before Care is available at all sites that host Summer Power-On and Summer Power-Up programs for each week of the summer. Registration is required prior to attending Before Care. Registration minimums and maximums vary by location. No program on 6/19 and 7/4.

M, Tu, W, F	7-9am	6/16-6/20	\$35
M-F	7-9am	6/23-6/27	\$39
M-Th	7-9am	6/30-7/3	\$35
M-F	7-9am	7/7-7/11	\$39
M-F	7-9am	7/14-7/18	\$39
M-F	7-9am	7/21-7/25	\$39
M-F	7-9am	7/28-8/1	\$39
M-F	7-9am	8/4-8/8	\$39

Camp Adventure



Experience a fun-filled inclusive summer with friends, laughter, and great adventure in one of our Camp Adventure programs! Each program provides a variety of weekly enrichment activities, adventurous field trips, and much more! **No program on 6/19 and 7/4.** Additional fees are required for all Camp Adventure field trips. For additional information, contact the Nannie J. Lee Recreation office at 703.746.5535. Participants with special needs, an IEP, or 504 Plan must contact the Therapeutic Recreation office at 703.746.5535 to register. *Online registration is not available for TR or Teenie Weenie Camp Adventure programs.*

Teenie Weenie Camp Adventure


Ages 3-5. Looking for an inclusion summer camp geared for preschoolers with or without disabilities? Look no further. Campers will enjoy a variety of fun and exciting recreational activities, such as story time, music and movement, arts and crafts, group games, and waterplay.

173005-01 M-Th 8:30am-12pm 6/30-7/3 \$199 NLRC
173005-02 M-Th 8:30am-12pm 7/14-7/17 \$199 NLRC

TR Camp Adventure

Ages 6-21. Dive into summer and enjoy a variety of fun and exciting recreational activities, adaptive sports, group games, music, and movement, arts and crafts, swimming, and field trips. For participants with cognitive or developmental delays.

173010-00 M-F 9am-6pm 6/16-8/8 \$1,080 NLRC

 = Designed for individuals with disabilities. Assessment required. City of Alexandria residents only. To register, contact Therapeutic Recreation at 703.746.5535.

Camp Adventure

Ages 5-12. Experience a fun filled summer with friends, laughter and great adventure! Camp Adventure will engage in exciting recreational activities, such as swimming, sports, cooperative games, a variety of weekly field trips and much more!

Mini Camp Adventure (5-6)

173012-00 M-F 9am-6pm 6/16-8/8 \$1,080 NLRC

Youth Camp Adventure (7-8)

173015-00 M-F 9am-6pm 6/16-8/8 \$1,080 NLRC

Camp Adventure on the Rise (9-12)

173017-00 M-F 9am-6pm 6/16-8/8 \$1,080 NLRC

Camp Adventure Before Care

Ages 5-15 for General Recreation & Ages 6-21 for Therapeutic Recreation. Need a little extra time before your adventure start? Let us help!

173007-00 M-F 7-9am 6/16-8/8 \$369 NLRC



REGISTRATION BEGINS:

February 2-7 OSTP Power-On/Power-Up Pre-Registration Eligibility Process

February 19 City of Alexandria Residents

February 21 Non-residents

Registration Information

Registration & Reservation Office:
703.746.5414

3 WAYS TO REGISTER



Web

- Payment by credit card (Visa/MC) or eCheck
- Visit alexandriava.gov/Recreation
- For login information, call 703.746.5414 or email registerarpc@alexandriava.gov



Walk-In

- Register in person or by drop-off at **Registration and Reservation Office, Lee Center, 1108 Jefferson St., Alexandria, VA 22314**
- See drop-off information below



Mail-In

- Mail completed registration form to: **Registration and Reservation Office, Lee Center, 1108 Jefferson St., Alexandria, VA 22314**
- Make personalized checks payable to **City of Alexandria**

Inclement Weather: To view inclement weather and closure information, visit alexandriava.gov/rpca/recreation-closures.

Accommodations:

City of Alexandria programs, services, and facilities are available to all. The City of Alexandria complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act for qualified individuals. To make an ADA accommodation request, please call 703.746.4343 or VA Relay 711 two weeks prior to an event, activity, or registration deadline. If you need assistance with making your request or have questions about types of accommodations, please call the Therapeutic Recreation Office at 703.746.5422 or VA Relay 711. The City of Alexandria Department of Recreation, Parks, and Cultural Activities shall endeavor to meet requests for written material in alternative formats, including braille, within 10 days of the request.

Camp Locations: Subject to change.

Cancellations:

Programs that have not met the minimum number of enrollees are canceled approximately one week before the start date. Participants are notified by phone or email.

Class Size:

The minimum and maximum number of participants is based on one camp instructor. Class size may be increased when instructors are added.

Confirmation:

Non-web registrants receive a registration confirmation receipt by email. If unsure, please call 703.746.5414 to confirm.

Credit/Refund Policy:

If your camper can no longer attend camp, please let us know as soon as possible, so that we may enroll other campers from the wait list. **Registrants may request a refund or household credit in writing to** Lee Center, Registration & Reservation Office, 1108 Jefferson St., Alexandria, VA 22314 or by email to registerarpc@alexandriava.gov based on the following criteria:

- Full credits are processed for activities cancelled by the department. If a refund is preferred, please let us know.
- Registrants dissatisfied with a class/program are encouraged to contact RPCA as soon as possible, so that we can make it right. If we are unable to correct the issue, a credit or refund may be issued.
- Registrants unable to attend a program due to relocation from the City of Alexandria may request a refund.
- Credits will remain on a household account for no more than 90 days. Credits older than 90 days will be processed as a refund back to the customer.

Fees:

All fees must be paid in full and are due at the time of registration. Partial payment does not reserve enrollment. All personalized checks and money orders are payable to the **City of Alexandria**. One form and check may be used for family registrations.

Fee Assistance:

To view the full policy and access the Financial Assistance form, visit alexandriava.gov/12288.

Nonresident Fee:

A fee of \$35 per person, in addition to the activity fee, is required for all activity sections.

Release:

Participants in activities sponsored or cosponsored by the Department of Recreation, Parks & Cultural Activities consent to the City's use of any photograph, film, or videotape of the activity in any marketing or promotional material. Fees, programs, and operating hours are subject to change. Visit alexandriava.gov/Recreation or call 703.746.4343 for more information.

Wait List:

If a camp is full, a wait list is generated and individuals on the wait list will be contacted if space becomes available.



DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION,
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1108 Jefferson Street
Alexandria, VA 22314-3999



Summer Camp Registration Begins
Wednesday, February 19

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