

OE Summer Camp 2024 - Sorted by Registration Time

9:00 a.m. Registration								
Rocky River Reservation	Home Sweet Habitat - AM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	June 5–7	10:00 a.m. – Noon	440.734.6660	45.00	Children will learn about and explore a different type of animal habitat each day with stories, activities, and outdoor adventure! We will talk about where animals live, what they eat and other things they need to survive. (4 years)
	Home Sweet Habitat - PM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	June 5–7	2 – 4 p.m.	440.734.6660	45.00	Children will learn about and explore a different type of animal habitat each day with stories, activities, and outdoor adventure! We will talk about where animals live, what they eat and other things they need to survive. (4 years)
	Home Sweet Habitat - AM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	June 19–21	10:00 a.m. – Noon	440.734.6660	45.00	Children will learn about and explore a different type of animal habitat each day with stories, activities, and outdoor adventure! We will talk about where animals live, what they eat and other things they need to survive. (4 years)
	Home Sweet Habitat - PM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	June 19–21	2 – 4 p.m.	440.734.6660	45.00	Children will learn about and explore a different type of animal habitat each day with stories, activities, and outdoor adventure! We will talk about where animals live, what they eat and other things they need to survive. (4 years)
	Home Sweet Habitat - AM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	July 16–18	10:00 a.m. – Noon	440.734.6660	45.00	Children will learn about and explore a different type of animal habitat each day with stories, activities, and outdoor adventure! We will talk about where animals live, what they eat and other things they need to survive. (4 years)
	Home Sweet Habitat - PM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	July 16–18	2 – 4 p.m.	440.734.6660	45.00	Children will learn about and explore a different type of animal habitat each day with stories, activities, and outdoor adventure! We will talk about where animals live, what they eat and other things they need to survive. (4 years)
	Plant Pals - AM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	June 24–26	10:00 a.m. – Noon	440.734.6660	45.00	Summer is a great time to enjoy all the plants growing in the park! Search for a rainbow of flowers and the many kinds of animals that live on them. Through crafts, take-home planting projects, and games we will learn how to help the forest and support our native plants. (4 years)
	Plant Pals - PM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	June 24–26	2 – 4 p.m.	440.734.6660	45.00	Summer is a great time to enjoy all the plants growing in the park! Search for a rainbow of flowers and the many kinds of animals that live on them. Through crafts, take-home planting projects, and games we will learn how to help the forest and support our native plants. (4 years)
	Plant Pals - AM* (4 years)	4 years	RRNC	August 5–7	10:00 a.m. – Noon	440.734.6660	45.00	Summer is a great time to enjoy all the plants growing in the park! Search for a rainbow of flowers and the many kinds of animals that live on them. Through crafts, take-home planting projects, and games we will learn how to help the forest and support our native plants. (4 years)
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	Anything Goes Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	June 3–5	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Anything goes this week! Campers will learn the ins and outs of hiking and playing in the wild as we roam the woods. Expect games, animal encounters, mud, and just a little science sprinkled here and there. (5 – 6 years)
	Anything Goes Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	June 17–19	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Anything goes this week! Campers will learn the ins and outs of hiking and playing in the wild as we roam the woods. Expect games, animal encounters, mud, and just a little science sprinkled here and there. (5 – 6 years)
	Anything Goes Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	July 8–10	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Anything goes this week! Campers will learn the ins and outs of hiking and playing in the wild as we roam the woods. Expect games, animal encounters, mud, and just a little science sprinkled here and there. (5 – 6 years)
	Campers in Camouflage (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	June 10–12	11 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Between snakes that disguise themselves as trees to color changing toads, camouflage is all around us. Search high and low for Ohio's most elusive creatures and learn about the many ways that animals of all types change themselves to match their environment. (5 – 6 years)
	Stream Stomp Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	June 26–28	11 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Come stomp, splash, and discover the amazing Rocky River its nearby wetlands at this wet and watery camp. We will explore the river, wetlands and ponds and discover the life they hold. (5 – 6 years)
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	Stream Stomp Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	July 31–Aug 2	11 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Come stomp, splash, and discover the amazing Rocky River its nearby wetlands at this wet and watery camp. We will explore the river, wetlands and ponds and discover the life they hold. (5 – 6 years)

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	All About Animals* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	July 22–24	12:30 – 3:30 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Get to know the different critters that make their home in and around the Rocky River. We’ll spend time outside hiking the trails, playing games, and looking for wildlife as we learn and explore. (5 – 6 years)
	All About Animals* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	July 29–31	12:30 – 3:30 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	Get to know the different critters that make their home in and around the Rocky River. We’ll spend time outside hiking the trails, playing games, and looking for wildlife as we learn and explore. (5 – 6 years)
	Minnows Fish Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	July 24–26	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	This camp is designed to foster a love of our fishy friends and the waterways that support them. Children will learn all about fish species, habitat, and how to become a responsible angler through hands-on activities.
	Minnows Fish Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	RRNC	August 7–9	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.734.6660	65.00	This camp is designed to foster a love of our fishy friends and the waterways that support them. Children will learn all about fish species, habitat, and how to become a responsible angler through hands-on activities.
	Mystery in the Park* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	RRNC	June 12–14	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Sharpen your investigating skills while exploring the park. Each day we will learn about the animals of Ohio while we solve a mystery. (7 – 8 years)
	Mystery in the Park* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	RRNC	July 17–19	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Sharpen your investigating skills while exploring the park. Each day we will learn about the animals of Ohio while we solve a mystery. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	June 11–13	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	June 18–20	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	June 25–27	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	July 1–3	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	July 9–11	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	July 23–25	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	July 30–Aug 1	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Explorers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	South Mastick Picnic Area	August 6–8	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.734.6660	105.00	Explore the outdoors along the Rocky River. Hikes, games, and crafts will help kids discover more about the natural world around them. This camp is held completely outside. (7 – 8 years)
	Rocky River Adventurers* (9 – 10 years)	9 – 10 years	Lagoon Picnic Area	June 10–12	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.734.6660	130.00	Nature investigation, outdoor skills, and lots of exploring in and around the Rocky River will make every day an adventure at camp. This camp is held completely outside. (9 – 10 years)
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Nature Preschool	North Chagrin Summer Session (3 – 5 years)	3 – 5 years	NEB	June 3–21	8:30 – 11:30 a.m.	216.313.8057	540.00	An extension of our highly popular licensed Nature Preschool Program, our summer sessions are extended 3-week long preschool summer experiences. Our expert Early Childhood educators will connect children with the natural world while building young minds, discovering, and exploring. This session is perfect for families looking for an in-depth summer experience for their preschooler. (3 – 5 years)
	North Chagrin Mini Summer Session (3 – 5 years)	3 – 5 years	NEB	June 4–6	12:30 – 3:30 p.m.	216.313.8057	110.00	An extension of our highly popular licensed Nature Preschool Program, our mini summer sessions are bite-sized 3-day preschool summer experiences taught by expert early childhood educators. We will connect children with the natural world while building young minds, discovering, and exploring. This session is perfect for families who are curious about preschool or families who want a shorter preschool experience in the summer. (3 – 5 years)
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Outdoor Recreation	Youth Kayak Day (8 – 11 years)	8 – 11 years	Wallace Lake	July 3	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	216.341.1704	35.00	Beat the summer heat by kayaking around Wallace Lake! Learn basic paddling skills and play on-water games, all while exploring the natural beauty of Wallace Lake. Please bring a packed lunch and a filled water bottle, and be prepared to get wet by bringing a towel and dry clothes. Water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel are required (no bare feet or flip flops). (8 – 11 years)
	Youth SUP Day (8 – 11 years)	8 – 11 years	Wallace Lake	July 8	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	216.341.1704	35.00	Beat the summer heat by paddleboarding around Wallace Lake! Learn basic SUP skills and play on-water games, all while exploring the natural beauty of Wallace Lake. Please bring a packed lunch and a filled water bottle, and be prepared to get wet by bringing a towel and dry clothes. Water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel are required (no bare feet or flip flops). (8 – 11 years)

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	Youth STEM and Sail Camp (8 – 11 years)	8 – 11 years	E. 55th Street	July 11	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	75.00	Sailing is an activity that has a lifetime’s worth of lessons and can take years to master. Come try-it at this fun, one-day summer camp filled with on-shore activities that will use STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) to teach your kids about the whys behind what makes a sailboat work. Kids will have an opportunity to get out on a sailboat with an instructor for a portion of the day and get a taste of helping make the boat travel around Cleveland's beautiful harbor. Please bring a packed lunch, water bottle, layers of warm and dry clothes, and water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel. Come prepared to get wet. *This program may be cancelled if weather conditions do not permit the above activities to take place. (8 – 11 years)
	Youth Can Sail! Skill Builders Camp* (8 – 11 years)	8 – 11 years	E. 55th Street	August 5–8	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	216.341.1704	200.00	Spend four afternoons learning to sail on the inner harbor of Lake Erie. Enjoy age-appropriate lessons and lots of adventurous fun! Whether we are on land or water, we will learn about crewing and skippering a large sailboat, teamwork as a group of sailors, and the Corinthian Spirit. Learn about parts of a sailboat, how boats work in the wind, maneuvering the boat to a set location, safety, and how to recover a boat if it tips. Please bring a water bottle, layers of warm and dry clothes, and water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel. Come prepared to get wet! (8 – 11 years)
	Youth Adventure Seeker Series Camp (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	GPC	June 26–28	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	165.00	Find adventure while learning a variety of outdoor recreation skills! Days will be spent paddling on the Cuyahoga River or Wallace Lake, rock climbing or rappelling at Whipp’s Ledges, and cruising the West Creek trails on mountain bikes. Adventure is around every bend during this thrilling camp! Actual activities for the day are based on weather, water, rock and trail conditions. Please bring a packed lunch and filled water bottle each day, and be prepared to get wet each day as the activities may be switched to accommodate weather, rock and trail conditions. Camp will meet and end each day at Garfield Park Reservation, with transportation provided by Cleveland Metroparks staff to each activity location. (10 – 12 years)
	Youth Ropes & Rocks Day* (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	Top o’ Ledges Picnic Area	June 14	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	55.00	Spend the day exploring Hinckley Reservation’s natural rock formations at Whipp’s Ledges! Half the day will be spent exploring the rocks while hiking, learning essential climbing knots and safety systems, testing your balance and creativity through games, and even possibly traversing sandstone boulders. Depending on the weather and rock conditions, another part of the day will either be spent rappelling down the cliff wall or climbing up the wall on top rope! Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle. (10 – 12 years)
	Youth Ropes & Rocks Day* (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	Top o’ Ledges Picnic Area	July 22	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	55.00	Spend the day exploring Hinckley Reservation’s natural rock formations at Whipp’s Ledges! Half the day will be spent exploring the rocks while hiking, learning essential climbing knots and safety systems, testing your balance and creativity through games, and even possibly traversing sandstone boulders. Depending on the weather and rock conditions, another part of the day will either be spent rappelling down the cliff wall or climbing up the wall on top rope! Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle. (10 – 12 years)
	Youth Backpacking Campout (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	Oak Grove Picnic Area	August 7–8	Times vary	216.341.1704	75.00	Calling all backcountry explorers! In this camp, discover the skills needed for an overnight or multiple day backpacking trip. Have fun while learning backcountry cooking and safe food storage, tent types and site selection, knots to know, Leave No Trace ethics, fire building 101 and more! Plus, roam the forest on an orienteering quest and use your newfound map and compass skills to plan a hike on the Buckeye Trail or visit Deer Lick Cave. End the evening under the stars enjoying a self-prepared meal and spend the night in the field in shared tents with new friends. Wake up like a true backpacker and prepare breakfast in our backcountry kitchen. Seek adventure while finding new ways to explore Cleveland Metroparks on this overnight backcountry campout. If you’re lucky, you might even discover some trail magic along the way!!! Dinner and breakfast will be provided. Please eat lunch before arrival and bring a water bottle. Actual activities for the day are based on weather conditions. Campers should be competent hiking at least 3 miles prior to registering for this program. (10 – 12 years)
	Youth Fly Fishing Day* (10 – 15 years)	10 – 15 years	Astorhurst Par	June 13	9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.	216.341.1704	45.00	Fly fishing is a great way to get outside and try something new, or enhance your knowledge while learning from seasoned, experienced instructors. Youth will learn how to cast a fly rod and tie an artificial fly they can keep, while also learning about pond and river life. The afternoon will be spent putting all of these skills together as you try your hand at fly fishing in the pond. Who knows what kind of fish story you’ll leave with! (10 – 15 years)
	Youth Fly Fishing Day* (10 – 15 years)	10 – 15 years	Astorhurst Par	August 1	9:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.	216.341.1704	45.00	Fly fishing is a great way to get outside and try something new, or enhance your knowledge while learning from seasoned, experienced instructors. Youth will learn how to cast a fly rod and tie an artificial fly they can keep, while also learning about pond and river life. The afternoon will be spent putting all of these skills together as you try your hand at fly fishing in the pond. Who knows what kind of fish story you’ll leave with! (10 – 15 years)
	Teens Can Sail! Skill Builders Camp* (11 – 15 years)	11 – 15 years	E. 55th Street	July 29 – Aug 1	1 p.m. – 5 p.m.	216.341.1704	200.00	Spend four afternoons learning to sail on the inner harbor of Lake Erie. Enjoy age-appropriate lessons and lots of adventurous fun! Whether we are on land or water, we will learn about crewing and skippering a large sailboat, teamwork as a group of sailors, and the Corinthian Spirit. Learn about parts of a sailboat, how boats work in the wind, maneuvering the boat to a set location, safety, and how to recover a boat if it tips. Please bring a water bottle, layers of warm and dry clothes, and water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel. Come prepared to get wet! (11 – 15 years)

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	Teen Mountain Bike Skills Camp* (12 – 15 years)	12 – 15 years	WSC	June 13	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	55.00	Come ride with us and learn new mountain biking skills as we build confidence on the trails. Each teen will be taught fundamental bike movements like balance and control before progressing to harder skills and obstacles later in the day. Understanding the mechanics of gearing and braking will also be a focus. Youth should be competent at riding a bike on a paved path before registering for this program. Actual activities for the day are based on weather conditions. Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle. (12 – 15 years)
	Teen Mountain Bike Skills Camp* (12 – 15 years)	12 – 15 years	WSC	June 24	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	55.00	Come ride with us and learn new mountain biking skills as we build confidence on the trails. Each teen will be taught fundamental bike movements like balance and control before progressing to harder skills and obstacles later in the day. Understanding the mechanics of gearing and braking will also be a focus. Youth should be competent at riding a bike on a paved path before registering for this program. Actual activities for the day are based on weather conditions. Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle. (12 – 15 years)
	Teen SUP Skills Camp (12 – 15 years)	12 – 15 years	Wallace Lake	June 20	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	216.341.1704	35.00	Beat the summer heat by paddleboarding around Wallace Lake! Learn basic SUP skills and play on-water games, all while exploring the natural beauty of Wallace Lake. Please bring a packed lunch and a filled water bottle, and be prepared to get wet by bringing a towel and dry clothes. Water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel are required (no bare feet or flip flops). (12 – 15 years)
	Teen Paddlesports Skills Camp (12 – 15 years)	12 – 15 years	GPC	July 10–11	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	110.00	Tour Northeast Ohio’s waterways paddling the calmer waters of the Upper Cuyahoga River and the open waters of Lake Erie. Whether it’s floating down a wild and scenic river or discovering Lake Erie from a new perspective, on-water fun is guaranteed. Days are centered around paddling games and challenges focused on driving skill development. The actual activities and paddling locations will be determined by weather and water conditions. Please bring a packed lunch and be prepared to get wet every day. Water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel are required (no bare feet or flip flops). Participants will meet at Garfield Park Reservation and be transported to the paddling location each day. (12 – 15 years)
	Teen Kayak Skills Camp (12 – 15 years)	12 – 15 years	Wallace Lake	July 17	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	216.341.1704	35.00	Beat the summer heat by kayaking around Wallace Lake! Learn basic paddling skills and play on-water games, all while exploring the natural beauty of Wallace Lake. Please bring a packed lunch and a filled water bottle, and be prepared to get wet by bringing a towel and dry clothes. Water shoes or sandals that strap around the heel are required (no bare feet or flip flops). (12 – 15 years)
	Teen Ropes & Rocks Day* (13 – 15 years)	13 – 15 years	Top o’ Ledges Picnic Area	June 21	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	55.00	Spend the day exploring Hinckley Reservation’s natural rock formations at Whipp’s Ledges! Half the day will be spent exploring the rocks while hiking, learning essential climbing knots and safety systems, testing your balance and creativity through games, and even possibly traversing sandstone boulders. Depending on the weather and rock conditions, another part of the day will either be spent rappelling down the cliff wall or climbing up the wall on top rope! Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle. (13 – 15 years)
	Teen Ropes & Rocks Day* (13 – 15 years)	13 – 15 years	Top o’ Ledges Picnic Area	July 15	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	55.00	Spend the day exploring Hinckley Reservation’s natural rock formations at Whipp’s Ledges! Half the day will be spent exploring the rocks while hiking, learning essential climbing knots and safety systems, testing your balance and creativity through games, and even possibly traversing sandstone boulders. Depending on the weather and rock conditions, another part of the day will either be spent rappelling down the cliff wall or climbing up the wall on top rope! Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle. (13 – 15 years)
	Teen Adventure Seeker Camp (13 – 15 years)	13 – 15 years	GPC	July 24–26	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	165.00	Find adventure while learning a variety of outdoor recreation skills! Days will be spent paddling on the Cuyahoga River or Wallace Lake, rock climbing or rappelling at Whipp’s Ledges, and cruising the West Creek trails on mountain bikes. Adventure is around every bend during this thrilling camp! Actual activities for the day are based on weather, water, rock and trail conditions. Please bring a packed lunch and filled water bottle each day, and be prepared to get wet each day as the activities may be switched to accommodate weather, rock and trail conditions. Camp will meet and end each day at Garfield Park Reservation, with transportation provided by Cleveland Metroparks staff to each activity location. (13 – 15 years)
	Teen Rock Climbing Skills Camp (13 – 15 years)	13 – 15 years	Top o’ Ledges Picnic Area	August 8	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.341.1704	55.00	At this camp we'll explore and develop various aspects of climbing as you hone your outdoor rock climbing skills. We will cover topics from top to bottom including climbing movement, knot tying and climbing etiquette as well as get hands on as we focus on top roping and bouldering during this fun, physically active day. This camp is intended for campers who have a high interest in rock climbing as we will work on skill development. Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle. *This program may be cancelled if weather conditions do not permit the above activities to take place. (13 – 15 years)
	Advanced Teen Mountain Bike Skills Camp (14 – 16 years)	14 – 16 years	Egbert Picnic Area	July 25	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	216.341.1704	35.00	Join us for a long mountain bike ride at Bedford where we try to ride all 11.5 miles of mountain bike trails during this camp. Bike safety and advanced bike maneuvers will be discussed and practiced throughout the day as well. Teens should be competent riding a bike at least 10 miles prior to registering for this program. Please bring a backpack with a packed lunch and a water bottle as we will be riding with our packs! *This program may be cancelled if weather conditions do not permit the above activities to take place. (14 – 16 years)

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North Chagrin Reservation	Grow and Go: AM* (4 years)	4 years	NCNC	July 31–Aug 2	10 a.m. – noon	440.473.3370	45.00	Get comfortable out in nature at this camp for budding explorers. Enjoy crafts, games and plenty of outside time. (4 years)
	Grow and Go: PM* (4 years)	4 years	NCNC	July 31–Aug 2	2 – 4 p.m.	440.473.3370	45.00	Get comfortable out in nature at this camp for budding explorers. Enjoy crafts, games and plenty of outside time. (4 years)
	Little Fishes* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	NCNC	June 5–7	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.473.3370	65.00	Come out and explore the marsh, pond, and stream with new friends. The tiniest creatures are waiting to be discovered. (5 – 6 years)
	Little Fishes* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	NCNC	July 3–5	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.473.3370	65.00	Come out and explore the marsh, pond, and stream with new friends. The tiniest creatures are waiting to be discovered. (5 – 6 years)
	Critter Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	NCNC	June 19–21	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.473.3370	65.00	Explore nature in search of critters large and small. We'll search a wetland, woodland and creek in search of awesome insects, frogs, salamanders and more! (5 – 6 years)
	Critter Camp* 5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	NCNC	July 24–26	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.473.3370	65.00	Explore nature in search of critters large and small. We'll search a wetland, woodland and creek in search of awesome insects, frogs, salamanders and more! (5 – 6 years)
	Critter Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	NCNC	Aug 7–9	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.473.3370	65.00	Explore nature in search of critters large and small. We'll search a wetland, woodland and creek in search of awesome insects, frogs, salamanders and more! (5 – 6 years)
	Camp Wildlife Watch* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	NCNC	June 3–5	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	105.00	Join us for camp wildlife watch where your young nature enthusiasts get to explore the natural world through fun and hands-on activities to explore the fields of science, technology, engineering, and math through observing wildlife. From bird watching to animal tracking, this camp offers an experience that fosters a love for wildlife, the outdoors, and immerses you in the amazing world of STEM. (7 – 8 years)
	Camp Wildlife Watch* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	NCNC	June 24–26	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	105.00	Join us for camp wildlife watch where your young nature enthusiasts get to explore the natural world through fun and hands-on activities to explore the fields of science, technology, engineering, and math through observing wildlife. From bird watching to animal tracking, this camp offers an experience that fosters a love for wildlife, the outdoors, and immerses you in the amazing world of STEM. (7 – 8 years)
	Camp Wildlife Watch* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	NCNC	July 8–10	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	105.00	Join us for camp wildlife watch where your young nature enthusiasts get to explore the natural world through fun and hands-on activities to explore the fields of science, technology, engineering, and math through observing wildlife. From bird watching to animal tracking, this camp offers an experience that fosters a love for wildlife, the outdoors, and immerses you in the amazing world of STEM. (7 – 8 years)
	Nature's Engineers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	NCNC	June 11–14	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	140.00	Be inspired by nature’s engineers during forest hikes and creek walking. Then try your hand at engineering challenges by designing and building your own shelters, rafts, and more! (7 – 8 years)
	Nature's Engineers* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	NCNC	June 25–28	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	140.00	Be inspired by nature’s engineers during forest hikes and creek walking. Then try your hand at engineering challenges by designing and building your own shelters, rafts, and more! (7 – 8 years)
	Junior Naturalists (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	NCNC	June 17–19	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	105.00	Come seek the wild side of things by spending your time outdoors exploring the forest, creek walking, and discovering the hidden treasures of the natural world. (7 – 8 years)
	Evening Explorers* (8 – 10 years)	8 – 10 years	NCNC	June 12–14	6 – 9 p.m.	440.473.3370	65.00	Tap into your nocturnal skills and experience the nature center after it’s closed! Learn about how critters survive in the nighttime world and enjoy campfires and star stories. (8 – 10 years)
	Evening Explorers* (8 – 10 years)	8 – 10 years	NCNC	June 19–21	6 – 9 p.m.	440.473.3370	65.00	Tap into your nocturnal skills and experience the nature center after it’s closed! Learn about how critters survive in the nighttime world and enjoy campfires and star stories. (8 – 10 years)
	Nature's Artists (10 – 13 years)	10 – 13 years	NCNC	July 1–3	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.473.3370	130.00	Explore your creative side using nature as your inspiration. We’ll use a variety of natural materials to construct art masterpieces. Here, you will have the chance to be inspired by several live animal interactions and catch glimpses of wildlife through hikes and creek walks. (10 – 13 years)

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South Chagrin Reservation	Leaf Hoppers - AM* (4 years)	4 years	LAL	June 12–14	10 a.m. – noon	440.473.3370	45.00	Explore the woods like never before. Peek under leaves, logs, and other forest treasures. We’ll also run and hop through nature play. (4 years)
	Leaf Hoppers - PM* (4 years)	4 years	LAL	June 12–14	2 – 4 p.m.	440.473.3370	45.00	Explore the woods like never before. Peek under leaves, logs, and other forest treasures. We’ll also run and hop through nature play. (4 years)
	Freshwater Friends (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	LAL	August 5–7	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	105.00	Dive into the life of aquatic creatures like never before! Investigate the tiny and tremendous critters that inhabit wetlands, ponds and streams through creek walks and net dipping. (7 – 8 years)
	Creek Crawlers* (8 – 10 years)	8 – 10 years	LAL	July 22–26	10 a.m.– 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	195.00	Come explore the streams, discover the waterfalls, and investigate life within the water. We'll hike new trails daily and uncover amazing wildlife. On days two and four we'll travel by bus to destinations along the Lake Erie shoreline. (8 – 10 years)
	Creek Crawlers* (8 – 10 years)	8 – 10 years	LAL	July 29–Aug 2	10 a.m.– 3 p.m.	440.473.3370	195.00	Come explore the streams, discover the waterfalls, and investigate life within the water. We'll hike new trails daily and uncover amazing wildlife. On days two and four we'll travel by bus to destinations along the Lake Erie shoreline. (8 – 10 years)
	Choose Your Own Adventure (11 – 13 years)	11 – 13 years	LAL	July 16–19	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.473.3370	170.00	Will we hike through the forest, climb the creek, go pond-dipping or build a campfire? You decide! Campers and counselors will work together to plan the week. No matter what activities we choose, we'll explore all that South Chagrin has to offer. (11 – 13 years)

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Big Creek Reservation	Waterside Wanderers Camp (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	Varies	June 26–28	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	105.00	In this camp we will explore the wonders of water by splashing through the creek, fishing at Beyer’s Pond, and navigating the incredible wilderness that lines our waterways. (7 – 8 years)
West Creek Reservation	Wild at West Creek Jr.* (4 years)	4 years	WSC	June 17–19	10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	440.887.1968	45.00	Nature will be our classroom for engaging in social-emotional learning and motor skill and speech development during this camp made just for four-year-olds. Campers will enjoy plenty of time outdoors doing nature-based play, hiking, exploring in the creek, playing games, and meeting live animals. (4 years)
	Wild at West Creek Jr.* (4 years)	4 years	WSC	July 1–3	10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	440.887.1968	45.00	Nature will be our classroom for engaging in social-emotional learning and motor skill and speech development during this camp made just for four-year-olds. Campers will enjoy plenty of time outdoors doing nature-based play, hiking, exploring in the creek, playing games, and meeting live animals. (4 years)
	Wild at West Creek Jr.* (4 years)	4 years	WSC	July 15–17	10:30 a.m. – 12:30 p.m.	440.887.1968	45.00	Nature will be our classroom for engaging in social-emotional learning and motor skill and speech development during this camp made just for four-year-olds. Campers will enjoy plenty of time outdoors doing nature-based play, hiking, exploring in the creek, playing games, and meeting live animals. (4 years)
	Art Adventure (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	WSC	June 12–14	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.887.1968	85.00	Learn and create with nature. Art will be our compass as we travel the trails and the waterways of West Creek’s backyard in this exploratory camp that’s perfect for creative kids. (5 – 6 years)
	Wild at West Creek Sr.* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	WSC	June 17–19	1:30 – 4:30 p.m.	440.887.1968	65.00	Nature will be our classroom for engaging in social-emotional learning and motor skill and speech development during this camp made just for four-year-olds. Campers will enjoy plenty of time outdoors doing nature-based play, hiking, exploring in the creek, playing games, and meeting live animals. (5 – 6 years)
	Wild at West Creek Sr.* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	WSC	July 1–3	1:30 – 4:30 p.m.	440.887.1968	65.00	Nature will be our classroom for engaging in social-emotional learning and motor skill and speech development during this camp made just for four-year-olds. Campers will enjoy plenty of time outdoors doing nature-based play, hiking, exploring in the creek, playing games, and meeting live animals. (5 – 6 years)
	Wild at West Creek Sr.* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	WSC	July 15–17	1:30 – 4:30 p.m.	440.887.1968	65.00	Nature will be our classroom for engaging in social-emotional learning and motor skill and speech development during this camp made just for four-year-olds. Campers will enjoy plenty of time outdoors doing nature-based play, hiking, exploring in the creek, playing games, and meeting live animals. (5 – 6 years)
	Splash Scouts Jr.* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	WSC	July 8–10	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.887.1968	65.00	Let’s scout through the creek to find frogs, salamanders, fish, and more. We’ll have a big splash of fun exploring, playing, and meeting new friends! (5 – 6 years)
	Splash Scouts Jr.* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	WSC	July 29–31	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	440.887.1968	65.00	Let’s scout through the creek to find frogs, salamanders, fish, and more. We’ll have a big splash of fun exploring, playing, and meeting new friends! (5 – 6 years)
	Super Nature Heroes* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	WSC	June 19–21	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.887.1968	105.00	WHOOSH! SLASH! SPLASH! Ohio’s animals have such amazing adaptations that they should all be superheroes! Study many of our animals up close and personal to learn about their anatomy and behaviors so you can create your own superhero and comic book. (7 – 8 years)
	Super Nature Heroes* (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	WSC	July 17–19	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.887.1968	105.00	WHOOSH! SLASH! SPLASH! Ohio’s amazing animals have such amazing adaptations that they should all be superheroes! Study many of our animals up close and personal to learn about their anatomy and behaviors so you can create your own superhero and comic book. (7 – 8 years)
	Creek Explorers (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	WSC	June 26–28	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.887.1968	105.00	Have you ever wondered how our creeks are formed and what might be living in the water? Come splash around and discover what lies hidden beneath the surface of the water as we traverse the creek all week! (7 – 8 years)
	Nature Explorers (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	WSC	July 10–12	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.887.1968	105.00	From forest to creek to meadow, a world of wonder awaits as we bound through the reservation on a mission to explore, touch, and understand the world around us. Participants will connect to the tactile environment around them through sensory exploration, playing, and kinesthetic learning. (7 – 8 years)
	Splash Scouts Sr. (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	WSC	August 5–7	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.887.1968	105.00	Let’s scout through the creek to find frogs, salamanders, fish, and more. We’ll have a big splash of fun exploring, playing, and meeting new friends! (7 – 8 years)
	Science of Survival* (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	WSC	June 10–12	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	130.00	Is that Plant Edible? How do you start a fire without matches? Can you build a shelter to withstand a storm? Join Naturalist Peter as we learn what it takes to survive summer in the wild. (9 – 12 years)
	Science of Survival* (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	WSC	June 24–26	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	130.00	Is that Plant Edible? How do you start a fire without matches? Can you build a shelter to withstand a storm? Join Naturalist Peter as we learn what it takes to survive summer in the wild. (9 – 12 years)

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	Science of Survival* (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	WSC	July 22–24	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	130.00	Is that Plant Edible? How do you start a fire without matches? Can you build a shelter to withstand a storm? Join Naturalist Peter as we learn what it takes to survive summer in the wild. (9 – 12 years)
	Beginner Botanist Camp (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	WSC	July 15–19	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.887.1968	195.00	Plants are all around us, but until you know their names, it can be hard to understand their true value. In this camp, we will learn the tools to identify common trees and plants, as well as how to start our own herbarium collection. (9 – 12 years)
	Animal Adventures (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	WSC	July 22–26	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	255.00	Explore the different classes of animals as we journey into the park, to the aquarium, and the lakefront. This one-of-a-kind camp will take kids all over the city in search of cool animals. Mammals, birds, fish, reptiles and amphibians, and insects, oh my! (9 – 12 years)
	River to Lake Jr. (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	WSC	July 31–Aug 2	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	220.00	Discover two of Northeast Ohio’s greatest natural treasures, the Cuyahoga River and Lake Erie. Canoe along the crooked river and then sail on Lake Erie as we discover their natural and cultural history along the way. (Transportation provided) (9 – 12 years)
	Boy Scout Wildlife Badges (10 – 17 years)	10 – 17 years	WSC	August 12–16	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	210.00	Join two certified merit badge counselors for a chance to earn Mammal Study, Bird Study, Reptile and Amphibian Study, Insect Study, AND Nature Merit Badge in just five days! We'll explore the streams, forests, wetlands and meadows of West Creek Reservation to complete these five badges. (10 – 17 years)
	River to Lake Sr. (12 – 14 years)	12 – 14 years	WSC	August 7–9	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	220.00	Discover two of Northeast Ohio’s greatest natural treasures, the Cuyahoga River and Lake Erie. Canoe along the crooked river and then sail on Lake Erie as we discover their natural and cultural history along the way. (Transportation provided) (12 – 14 years)

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Bedford Reservation	Bedford Little Explorers (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	Egbert Picnic Area	June 11–13	1 p.m. – 4 p.m.	216.206.1000	65.00	Join us for three afternoons of exploring. We will do crafts, read stories, play games, go on hikes and meet some animals. We'll expand our understanding of the world around us through play and exploration. (5 – 6 years)
	Bedford Explorers (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	Lost Meadows Picnic Area	July 9–11	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.206.1000	105.00	We will spend the next three days exploring Bedford Reservation. We'll hike along Tinker's Creek and through the forest. We'll play games and do activities that relate to the animals of the forest. (7 – 8 years)
	Bedford Creek Walkers (9 – 10 years)	9 – 10 years	Varies	July 24–26	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	216.206.1000	130.00	We'll explore the creeks of Bedford Reservation from beginning to end! Creek walking brings a whole new perspective to nature. With wet feet and a thirst for adventure, we will descend into deep ravines to scale waterfalls, scramble boulders and search for interesting wildlife like salamanders and aquatic bugs. (9 – 10 years)
	Gorge Explorers (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years		July 30–Aug 2	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.887.1968	170.00	The Tinker's Creek Gorge is filled with hidden waterfalls, interesting wildlife and the remains of trails lost to time. In this camp, we will hike atop towering cliffs and splash through winding streams in search of all the gorge has to offer. (9 – 12 years)
Garfield Park Reservation	Garfield Park Explorers (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	Red Oak Picnic Shelter	June 18–20	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.206.1000	105.00	Garfield Park is a great place to explore nature right in your own backyard! Join us as we explore the forest, field, streams, and ponds of Garfield Park. We will catch bugs, watch for birds, and even hike to a waterfall. (7 – 8 years)
Lakefront Reservation	Lakefront Explorers (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	Upper Edgewater	August 6–8	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.206.1000	105.00	Spending time on Lake Erie is an essential summer activity in Cleveland. Join us for Lakefront Explorers camp where we will explore all Lake Erie shoreline has to offer! We will go fishing, fly kites, and have a sandcastle building contest. (7 – 8 years)
Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation	Bug Camp* (4 – 5 years)	4 – 5 years	CWC	July 9–11	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	216.206.1000	65.00	Join a naturalist for three days of playing bug games, going on bug hunts, making friends with bugs, being creative with bugs, and celebrating all things summer, kids and bugs. (4 – 5 years)
	Bug Camp* (4 – 5 years)	4 – 5 years	CWC	August 12–14	10 a.m. – 1 p.m.	216.206.1000	65.00	Join a naturalist for three days of playing bug games, going on bug hunts, making friends with bugs, being creative with bugs, and celebrating all things summer, kids and bugs. (4 – 5 years)
	Nature Fun Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	CWC	July 23–25	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	216.206.1000	85.00	Kids will love this 3-day nature camp that is filled with nature exploration, nature games, celebrations of creativity, and active play outdoors. There is no better way to connect with the world around us than to spend some time at a nature fun camp! (5 – 6 years)
	Nature Fun Camp* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	CWC	August 6–8	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	216.206.1000	85.00	Kids will love this 3-day nature camp that is filled with nature exploration, nature games, celebrations of creativity, and active play outdoors. There is no better way to connect with the world around us than to spend some time at a nature fun camp! (5 – 6 years)
	CanalWay Camper (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	CWC	June 18–20	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.206.1000	105.00	We'll spend the next three days discovering the skills of an extreme camper through fun and games. We'll learn how to use a compass, hike, build a fire, play games, and go fishing. Be ready to get dirty exploring as we master the art of camping. (7 – 8 years)
	Land to Lake Camp (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	CWC	June 26–28	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.206.1000	115.00	From lush upland forests with giant oak trees, down to the lapping shores of Lake Erie, your child will have the opportunity to discover it all! Their three-day journey with a naturalist will include nature learning activities, hiking, beach combing, crafts, games, and of course a campfire with S'mores! (7 – 8 years)
	Super Hero Science Camp Jr. (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	CWC	July 16–18	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.206.1000	105.00	Calling all superheroes! Come to CanalWay Center to learn all about the science of superheroes. We will do activities including hiking and science experiments and we will discuss topics such as flight and other adaptations animals have that make them super. (7 – 8 years)
	Nature Explorers (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	CWC	August 14–16	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	216.206.1000	105.00	Join us for three days of nature exploration and fun. We will investigate the local animals, plants, waters, and land of the Ohio & Erie Canal Reservation. Activities include bug catching, pond life exploration, a campfire with s'mores, and tons of games and crafts. (7 – 8 years)
	Super Hero Science Camp Sr. (9 – 10 years)	9 – 10 years	CWC	June 25–27	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	216.206.1000	130.00	Calling all superheroes! Come to CanalWay Center to learn all about the science of superheroes. We will do activities including archery, hiking, and science experiments and we will discuss topics such as flight and other adaptations animals have that make them super. (9 – 10 years)
	CanalWay Adventure Camp (9 – 10 years)	9 – 10 years	CWC	July 30-Aug 1	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	216.206.1000	130.00	We'll spend three days doing different recreational activities in nature. Learn about archery, hiking, fishing, and biking. You must provide your own bike (with helmet) and know how to ride it for bike day. (9 - 10 years)
	Hook & Arrow Camp* (10 – 11 years)	10 – 11 years	CWC	July 3	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	216.206.1000	45.00	Today we will get to experience both archery and fishing! We will spend the day along the Canal learning archery and fishing. We will supply the knowledge and equipment as well as lunch. You come and enjoy the day in the valley spending time in nature. (10 – 11 years)

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	Hook & Arrow Camp* (10 – 11 years)	10 – 11 years	CWC	July 24	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	216.206.1000	45.00	Today we will get to experience both archery and fishing! We will spend the day along the Canal learning archery and fishing. We will supply the knowledge and equipment as well as lunch. You come and enjoy the day in the valley spending time in nature. (10 – 11 years)
	Young Naturalists (11 – 12 years)	11 – 12 years	CWC	June 12–14	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	216.206.1000	150.00	School’s out! But this doesn’t mean the learning stops. It just gets way more fun! We will learn the basic skills of being a naturalist. Activities include birding, wildflower identification, nature journaling, pond life exploration and so much more. (11 – 12 years)

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11:00 a.m. Registration								
Brecksville Reservation	Young Explorers* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	TPC	July 29–31	9 a.m. – noon	440.526.1012	65.00	Let the kids get a little dirty and a little wet while they explore all that Brecksville Reservation has to offer. Kids will look under logs, walk through the creek and catch insects in the prairie. Exploring nature, crafts, games and fun is the plan for this week! (5 – 6 years)
	Young Explorers* (5 – 6 years)	5 – 6 years	TPC	August 5–7	9 a.m. – noon	440.526.1012	65.00	Let the kids get a little dirty and a little wet while they explore all that Brecksville Reservation has to offer. Kids will look under logs, walk through the creek and catch insects in the prairie. Exploring nature, crafts, games and fun is the plan for this week! (5 – 6 years)
	Fun on the Family Farm (7 – 8 years)	7 – 8 years	Squire Rich Museum	June 12–14	10 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	85.00	What was it like to grow up on a family farm in the late 1800s? This camp will immerse your child into many of the aspects of a historic rural upbringing. They will learn firsthand about daily chores, tools, farm animals, making homemade butter and ice cream, grinding grain, making toys and more... all through fun activities, songs and games. One of the days we will take a trip to Hale Farm and Village to see the farm animals. (7 – 8 years)
	Trailside Explorers* (9 – 10 years)	9 – 10 years	TPC	June 24–26	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	190.00	This camp will take exploration to a new level! Spend two days exploring the creeks and fields of Brecksville Reservation. We will search for a variety of animals in these habitats, hike and play some games. The other day will take us off site to explore the forest through a unique aerial adventure including suspended bridges, obstacles and zip line as well as an equine experience including a short horseback ride. Transportation provided. NOTE: If your child has a fear of heights or horses, this camp is not recommended for them. (9 – 10 years)
	Trailside Explorers* (9 – 10 years)	9 – 10 years	TPC	July 15–17	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	190.00	This camp will take exploration to a new level! Spend two days exploring the creeks and fields of Brecksville Reservation. We will search for a variety of animals in these habitats, hike and play some games. The other day will take us off site to explore the forest through a unique aerial adventure including suspended bridges, obstacles and zip line as well as an equine experience including a short horseback ride. Transportation provided. NOTE: If your child has a fear of heights or horses, this camp is not recommended for them. (9 – 10 years)
	Nature Detective Camp (9 – 10 years)	9 – 10 years	TPC	July 24–26	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.526.1012	130.00	Come help solve mysteries in nature like a real nature detective. We will use our observation skills and clues from nature to solve mysteries about what is happening in our park. Most of the camp will be outside exploring the forest, prairie, and stream learning about all the important organisms that live here and how they interact with each other. Camp includes hand lens, journal, and other detective essentials. (9 – 10 years)
	Archery Youth Day Jr.* (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	York Road Archery Range	July 23	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.526.1012	35.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of this popular sport. We’ll cover proper shooting form, aiming techniques and enjoy some friendly competition playing archery games. All equipment is provided. (9 – 12 years) <i>*This camp is designed for those who have no previous archery experience .</i>
	Archery Youth Day Jr.* (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	York Road Archery Range	July 25	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.526.1012	35.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of this popular sport. We’ll cover proper shooting form, aiming techniques and enjoy some friendly competition playing archery games. All equipment is provided. (9 – 12 years) <i>*This camp is designed for those who have no previous archery experience .</i>
	Archery Youth Day Jr.* (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	York Road Archery Range	August 6	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.526.1012	35.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of this popular sport. We’ll cover proper shooting form, aiming techniques and enjoy some friendly competition playing archery games. All equipment is provided. (9 – 12 years) <i>*This camp is designed for those who have no previous archery experience .</i>
	Archery Youth Day Jr.* (9 – 12 years)	9 – 12 years	York Road Archery Range	August 8	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.526.1012	35.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of this popular sport. We’ll cover proper shooting form, aiming techniques and enjoy some friendly competition playing archery games. All equipment is provided. (9 – 12 years) <i>*This camp is designed for those who have no previous archery experience .</i>
	Nature Nut Camp (11 – 12 years)	11 – 12 years	TPC	August 7-9	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.526.1012	130.00	Help your child connect to the natural world by experiencing it up close and personal. This camp will delve into the “- ologies” of natural history through cool take-home projects, adventurous hikes and deep studies of insects, trees, mammals, birds, reptiles and amphibians. Camp includes hand lens, journal, bug box and other nature nut essentials. (11 – 12 years)
	Wilderness Skills Camp Advanced (11 – 13 years)	11 – 13 years	Ottawa Point Picnic Area	July 17–19	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	130.00	This camp will review basic skills and introduce more advanced skills including creating fire with a bow drill, making a coal-burned bowl, crafting a hiking stick, making lunch over the campfire and much more. Led by Naturalist Jenny McClain. (11 – 13 years)
	Traditional Arts Camp (13 - 17 years)	13 - 17 years	TPC	July 10–12	10 a.m. – 4 p.m.	440.526.1012	175.00	Join Naturalist Foster Brown for a totally hands-on camp as we learn the art of whittling, basket weaving, birch bark containers, and cordage art. Learn a traditional art and then pass it on to the next generation. Each day you will leave camp with a new skill and a piece of personal art using nature material. (13 - 17 years)
	Archery Youth Day Sr.* (13 – 17 years)	13 – 17 years	York Road Archery Range	July 30	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.526.1012	35.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of this popular sport. We’ll cover proper shooting form, aiming techniques and enjoy some friendly competition playing archery games. All equipment is provided. (13 – 17 years) <i>*This camp is designed for those who have no previous archery experience .</i>
	Archery Youth Day Sr.* (13 – 17 years)	13 – 17 years	York Road Archery Range	August 1	10 a.m. – 2 p.m.	440.526.1012	35.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain, USA Archery certified instructor, to learn the basics of this popular sport. We’ll cover proper shooting form, aiming techniques and enjoy some friendly competition playing archery games. All equipment is provided. (13 – 17 years) <i>*This camp is designed for those who have no previous archery experience .</i>

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Hinckley Reservation	Camp Hinckley* (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	Ledge Lake Picnic Area	June 18–20	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	200.00	Camp Hinckley hits the road this year! One day we will spend fishing and swimming in Hinckley Reservation. The other two days will be spent on the road. We will head out to do a ropes challenge course and we will travel to Old Woman Creek State Nature Preserve where we will have the opportunity to canoe Old Woman Creek. (Transportation provided) NOTE: If your child has a fear of heights, this camp is not recommended for them. <i>*Participants may only register for one session of Camp Hinckley and MUST be 54” tall and weigh at least 50 pounds . Times may vary on field trip days.</i> (10 – 12 years)
	Camp Hinckley* (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	Ledge Lake Picnic Area	July 9–11	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	200.00	Camp Hinckley hits the road this year! One day we will spend fishing and swimming in Hinckley Reservation. The other two days will be spent on the road. We will head out to do a ropes challenge course and we will travel to Old Woman Creek State Nature Preserve where we will have the opportunity to canoe Old Woman Creek. (Transportation provided) NOTE: If your child has a fear of heights, this camp is not recommended for them. <i>*Participants may only register for one session of Camp Hinckley and MUST be 54” tall and weigh at least 50 pounds . Times may vary on field trip days.</i> (10 – 12 years)
Mill Stream Run Reservation	Wilderness Skills Camp Beginner* (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	W.J. Green Picnic Area	June 12–14	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	130.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain to learn basic wilderness survival skills. Start a fire with flint and steel, build a debris shelter, find your way with map and compass and much more. (10 – 12 years)
	Wilderness Skills Camp – Beginner* (10 – 12 years)	10 – 12 years	W.J. Green Picnic Area	June 19–21	9 a.m. – 3 p.m.	440.526.1012	130.00	Join Naturalist Jenny McClain to learn basic wilderness survival skills. Start a fire with flint and steel, build a debris shelter, find your way with map and compass and much more. (10 – 12 years)

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