

Hi parents!

Thank you so much for your patience, we have finally composed some essential information on our 2023 summer camp program. If you have any further questions, please do not hesitate to reach out at [fovpdaycamp@gmail.com](mailto:fovpdaycamp@gmail.com)

**Registration Location and Time:**

Registration day will be held on Sunday May 7<sup>th</sup> at the usual Victoria Park Poolhouse located off of Angel Pl. Parking is available on the side of the park located on Alexander St. as well as in the parking lot located on Sudbury St. Registration will begin at 4:00 pm for returning parents, and 6:00 pm for new parents and run until 9:30 pm.

**Information on our 2023 Summer Program:**

We are still working out the final cost for this year's summer program, but we are expecting it to be between \$80 and \$90 per camper, per week. The age range for our camp will remain between 5 and 12. This year, we will be reimplementing the teen program and accepting teens between the ages of 13 and 15. However, spaces for the teen program will be limited to 10 spots and priority will be given to returning campers. We are still working out the details for the teen program, but we expect to have more information in the coming weeks.

Day camp will run from July 3<sup>rd</sup> to August 25<sup>th</sup>, and parents will be able to select which weeks they would like to register for, there will be no minimum or maximum to how many weeks you can register your child for. We will be emailing out a finalized camp schedule leading up to registration day to help parents and campers select which weeks they would like.

I have attached the registration form to this email, feel free to fill it out and print it to bring on registration day, we will also have forms available to fill out on sight.

**About our program:**

Like in previous years, the daily drop-off time begins at 8:30 am, and pickup begins at 4:00 pm, with late pick-up at 4:30 pm. Outside of field trips, activities include a mix of structured and unstructured playtime indoors and outdoors. A day at camp may look something like this on a day that we do not have a fieldtrip or a visitor, of course, schedules vary on a day to day basis:

8:30 am	Drop-off begins
8:30 am – 10:00 am	Free time inside the poolhouse
10:00 am – 10:30 am	Morning snack time
10:30 am – 12:00 pm	Group games outside or free time at the playground
12:00 pm – 1:00 pm	Camp lunchtime
1:00 pm – 2:00 pm	Indoor craft or group game outside
2:00 pm – 3:30 pm	Free time at the park or on the field
3:30 pm – 4:30 pm	Pick-up begins, free time on the field or indoors

## Summer Camp Essentials:

Essential items to pack include (bolded are everyday essentials, non-bolded are good to have/for specific days):

- **allergy free snacks and a lunch (no peanuts, tree nuts or fish)**
- **a water bottle/water**
- **sunscreen**
- **a change of clothes/hat**/extra socks/shoes for days when we might have a water fight
- sweater/jacket for unpredictable NL weather
- a towel
- swimsuit and life jacket if required for swim days
- **any required medication/EpiPen/etc.**

Weeks:

Week 1: July 3<sup>rd</sup> to July 7<sup>th</sup>

Week 2: July 10<sup>th</sup> to July 14<sup>th</sup>

Week 3: July 17<sup>th</sup> to July 21<sup>st</sup>

Week 4: July 24<sup>th</sup> to July 28<sup>th</sup>

Week 5: July 31<sup>st</sup> to August 4<sup>th</sup> (No camp on Regatta Day unless Regatta is postponed or cancelled.)

Week 6: August 7<sup>th</sup> to August 11<sup>th</sup>

Week 7: August 14<sup>th</sup> to August 18<sup>th</sup>

Week 8: August 21<sup>st</sup> to August 25<sup>th</sup>

\*Please indicate on your registration form which weeks you would like to register for. This can be written on the bottom or back of registration form.