



## Village of Royal Palm Beach



### 2024 Youth Summer Camp FAQ's

- 1. Where will the summer camp take place?**
  - a. Summer camp will be held at the Royal Palm Beach Recreation Center.
- 2. What are the Hours of summer camp?**
  - a. Hours will be 8am-5pm (early drop off will be at 7am and late pick will be available until 6pm). Please note: additional fees will apply for early drop off and late pick up.
- 3. When does summer camp start and end?**
  - a. Sessions will be held on a Bi-weekly basis beginning on June 10<sup>th</sup> and ending August 2<sup>nd</sup>. Camp will be held Monday through Friday 8am to 5pm with early drop off and late pick up options.
- 4. How much does summer camp cost?**
  - a. Resident rate is \$260 per 2 week session, Non-resident rate is \$285 per 2 week session. There will be a one-time \$60 registration fee for each camper.
- 5. What if I have multiple children?**
  - a. Additional children will receive \$25 discount. Resident rate is 235 per 2 week session, Non-resident rate is \$260 per 2 week session.
- 6. Will there be off site fields trips?**
  - a. Yes, campers will partake in a variety of off site field trips and in house activities.
- 7. What are the ages for summer camp?**
  - a. Ages are from 5-13 years old.
- 8. Will campers be going to the pool?**
  - a. Yes, water activities will be scheduled. This is subject to change.

**9. What kind of activities will the campers do throughout the week?**

- a. Campers will enjoy professional entertainment from outside vendors and field trips each week. Campers will play games, work on puzzles, watch movies, play board games, construct arts and crafts, learn basic athletic skills, visit local parks and trails and other trips that can include the pool, movies ect.

**10. How will the groups be broken down and how many per group?**

- a. There will be 2 counselors and 25 campers per group. Groups will not intermingle with one another. The groups will be broken down by age and or grade going into for the next school year
  - i. (Group A) ages 5-6 /grades 1-2
  - ii. (Group B) ages 7-8 grades / grades 3-4
  - iii. (Group C) ages 9-11 / grades 5-6
  - iv. (Group D) ages 12-13 / grades 7-8

**11. How will drop off occur?**

- a. Drop off/sign in will occur at the desk inside of the Recreation Center. Parent's/Guardian's will sign the sign in sheet and a counselor will escort the camper to their area.

**12. How Will Pick Up Occur?**

- a. The person picking up will sign the camper out at the table located outside of the Recreation Center. In addition, the person picking up must present their photo ID and be an authorized person on the pickup list. A counselor will then walk the camper out of the facility for pick up. If your child will be walking/riding their bike home, please notify the Camp Director. Your request must be documented. Parents of bikers/walkers: Please note The Camp Director will not allow children to sign themselves out without written permission and discussion with a parent/guardian.

**13. How does the waitlist work?**

- a. Staff will mark registration packets with a time and date it was received and add the child to the waitlist. If/when refunds are received, staff will call the next child on the waitlist based on the time their registration form was received. Please note: Royal Palm Beach Residents will receive first priority in regards to camper placement.

**14. Will there be available food/lunch for campers?**

- a. No. Campers will be responsible for bringing their own pre-packaged food and will not be permitted to share with fellow campers. Please note: Neither a refrigerator nor a microwave oven are available for use at camp. The Recreation Center's vending machines will not be available to campers.

**15. What should my child wear/bring to the RPB Summer Day Camp?**

- a. This is an "active" camp and children should wear appropriate clothing and shoes for a variety of indoor and outdoor activities. Camp shirts are provided to campers and should be worn daily. Tennis shoes and socks are also required. Parents are asked to please not allow your child(ren) to wear sandals or "open-toe" shoes to camp. Parents/Guardians should be aware that if a camper arrives at camp not wearing the required attire, they will be given a camp shirt and a \$5.00 fee will be charged to the family's account.

**16. Do Children/Campers need to wear masks?**

- a. No, it is not required.

**17. How do I acquire additional camper T-Shirts?**

- a. Campers will receive a two camp shirts on the first day of each session. Additional camper shirts may be purchased for \$5 each (while quantities last) from the Camp Director or Assistant Director during drop off or pick up.

**18. Are Campers Allowed To Bring Electronics To Camp For Entertainment?**

- a. Items not essential to camp such as cell phones, electronics, large amounts of money and other non-essential valuables are not permitted at camp. Camp staff cannot be responsible for such valuables. Please note: All Campers will have access to a camp telephone.

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