

Hi Parents, Guardians, and Families!

Welcome to Session 1 of Osborn Hill Camp Champs! My name is James Lucchesi and I am the Recreation Coordinator with the Town of Fairfield. This will be my first year working with Fairfield Parks and Recreation and I will be in charge of Camp Champs. I am so excited to meet you all! Your Site Director this year will be Courtney Petise.

There are lots of fun and exciting things coming up in the next couple of weeks! In order for our campers to have a great time, it's important that they participate in as much as they can! Before we start camp, however, we have some general rules and guidelines to promote safety and fun.

Here are some general housekeeping rules:

1. Please send your child to camp with one or more water bottles.
2. Make sure your child's name is written on ALL PERSONAL ITEMS they bring to camp, such as water bottles, lunch boxes, extra clothes, etc.
3. Please send a change of clothes with your child, that includes a shirt, shorts, underwear, socks, and shoes, if possible, in a labeled zip lock bag. This will be kept for the duration of the session in case there is a need for a change of clothes. You will be getting it back on the last day of Session 1.
4. Your Child/Children need to bring a morning snack.

5.*We are a nut and egg free camp! Please choose your snacks and make sure they are allergen free! Thank you!*

6. Please always send your kids to camp in **socks** and **sneakers**! Our kids love to run around, so please make sure to send them in appropriate footwear so they do not get hurt.

7. PLEASE APPLY SUNSCREEN before your child/ children come to camp.

8. Most importantly HAVE FUN!!!

Drop Off/Pick Up Procedures:

- We will be doing drop-off at 9:00 am and Pick Up will be at 12p.m. at the front of the school. We expect to touch base with every guardian every day at pick up and drop off.
- On the first day of camp, we ask that you please walk your camper to their group to meet the counselors. Have all necessary paperwork including Drop off and Pick Up Forms and Emergency Contacts. If applicable, please include any EPI pen forms with the EPI pen labeled with your child's name in a zip-lock bag
- If you choose to park your car and walk your child to his or her group, you will need to do so in the parking lot. **There is no parking in the bus loop.**
- Please touch base with your child's counselors each day to let them know who will be picking up that day, or if there are any changes in your schedule.
- On the days we have **waterplay**, we ask that you have your child/children come to camp wearing their bathing suits and water shoes on. Send in a towel, extra clothes, and extra shoes.
- On the days we have **Tie Dye**, a white shirt WILL BE PROVIDED by Parks and Recreation. You do not need to send one in!

Here is a list of the fun activities we have going on this session:

Monday, June 22nd is our first day of Session 1! Today, we ask that you park your car in the parking lot and walk your child to their so you can meet and touch base with the counselors. Remember all paperwork and applicable medical information.

Activities for Week 1

Monday June 22: Welcome to Summer Camp!

Tuesday June 23: Playground

Wednesday June 24: Curious Creatures

Thursday June 25: Arts and Crafts

Friday June 25: Tie Dye Day

Activities for week 2:

Monday June 29: Playground

Tuesday June 30: Yo-Yo Show

Wednesday July 1: Water Play Day

Thursday July 2: Inflatables

Friday July 3: Enjoy your summer!

Important links to remember:

Emergency Contact Forms:

<https://ffldcommunity.com/Documents/Emergency%20Contact%20Form.pdf>

Here is a link to the Parent Packet. It will have useful information for Session 1 and our on-site activities:

<https://ffldcommunity.com/Documents/Parent%20Packet%20-%20Camp%20Champs.pdf>

Here is a link to the drop-off/pick-up form. Please fill this out with the name and phone number of anyone who is allowed to pick up your child from camp and return it to me the first day of camp:

<https://ffldcommunity.com/Documents/Drop-off%20Pick-up%20Form.pdf>

If your child has an allergy here is a link to the EpiPen authorization forms! Please fill this out and return it to me on the first day of camp:

<https://ffldcommunity.com/Documents/EPI%20PEN%20MEDICAL%20AUTHORIZATION.pdf>

I will send any updates via email if there is any additional information you will need to be aware of that is not listed here!

We look forward to seeing you at camp!

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