

Welcome to Camp

Summer Schedule

Ahoy moms and dads, and welcome to another fun filled summer adventure!!!

In this package you will find our guidelines and procedures to help both you and your child be prepared for camp. If there is any questions that you have after reading this package please feel free to e-mail us at: crossroadscarrefour@outlook.com

How do I pay for my child's camp, are there any additional fees that I need to be aware of?

Your camp registration needs to be paid in full BEFORE May 27, 2016. You may pay your registration by cash or check only. If you pay by check please make the checks payable to "Crossroads Carrefour". We do except payment plans as long as the registration is paid in full by the due date. We reserve the right to refuse a child if there is still a balance owing. Any and all NSF checks will be charged a penalty fee of \$20.00. There are NO REFUNDS for cancellations of ANY kind.

What do I bring?

Campers must bring with them the following items in a back pack.

1. Hat
2. Sunscreen
3. Cold bagged lunch **PEANUT FREE**
4. Water *water bottles
5. Bathing suit
6. Towel
7. running shoes/ sandals

No other items are necessary unless otherwise stated. Please ensure your child's name is on all their belongings. **SUNSCREEN: Please ensure that you apply sunscreen on your child EVERY morning prior to coming to camp.

Sign-in/out Procedures:

Extended camp hours (daycare): Begins at 7:00-9:00am and 4:00-6:00pm. Doors will not open any earlier than 7:00 am. You must sign in and sign out your child at the desk. No campers should be dropped off in the parking lot. You must accompany your child inside.

Regular Camp Time: Camp begins at 9:00 a.m. Campers who are not in extended camp hours cannot enter into the building until 9:00 a.m.. Campers should not be dropped off in the parking lot but escorted in by a parent. You must sign your child in and out. The parking lot gates are locked until 3:30 pm. We will not open the gates before that time unless you have notified us in advance.

June

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
26	27 First day of Camp	28	29	30	1 Canada Day Camp closed	2

July

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
3	4 Sundae Monday	5	6	7 Bonneau Park	8 Bingo Pj day	9
10	11 Sloppy Joes	12 Jersey day/ bingo	13 Olympiad day	14 Bonneau Park	15 Field Trip	16
17	18	19 Hero Day !	20 Scavenger hunt/ minute to win it	21 Bonneau Park	22 Juicy Burger Friday	23
24	25	26 Spelling Bee	27 Pizza Lunch	28 Bonneau Park	29 Fun-tropolis	30

August

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
31	1	2 Taco Tuesday	3 Scavenger Hunt	4 Bonneau Park	5 Movie Friday	6
7	8	9	10	11 Bonneau Park	12 Last day of camp Laser Tag	13

Parents please take note that activities are subject to change at any given time.

Any and all changes made will be posted on our white board at the camp entrance.

If I am late picking up or dropping off my child is there a penalty?

Camp begins at 9:00 am. We expect our campers to arrive at camp between 9:00-9:30. In previous years we have been quite lenient with this rule. This year we will be far more strict on this rule for the safety and security of our campers. At 9:30 our gates will be locked, and we will not be running back and forth to open the gate for late arrivals. We ask that you please respect this rule and arrive on time. We want our camp to be as safe as we possibly can make it and when our campers are outside in the morning doing games and activities it is a high risk having the gates open.

If you are late picking up your child from camp or extended camp hours there is a fee that you will be charged of \$5.00 for every five minutes that you are late. This rule is in place for security reasons. We cannot go over the number of campers per staff in our extended camp hour's program.

Other persons responsible for picking up your child:

For the safety and security of our campers it is extremely important that if someone else is picking up your child that we are informed ASAP. We reserve the right to I.D the person who is picking up your child. Should someone show up to pick up your child and we are unaware we reserve the right to refuse the pick-up.

Absences: If your child is ill you are not obliged to call, unless your child will be absent for a number of days.

How will I know when the field trips are?

Please see schedule on the last page(subject to change). You must sign a consent form as well as give any money stated for the trip. We will not accept checks for field trips nor will we accept field trip monies after the given due date. Field trip reminders are written on the whiteboard where you sign your child in. You are obliged to respect the times that we will be leaving and returning for our outings.

What if my child does not go on the outings?

If you have made the decision that your child does not attend our outings then they must remain home that day.

When do they get their camp T-shirt and when do they need to bring them to camp?

Camp T-Shirts are given out at our first outing. In past years the T-shirts were donated from St. Willibrord, however due to cutbacks you may be required to purchase a camp T-shirt this year (unless you have one from previous years). They are mandatory for all field trips and outings. Prices for the T-shirts are not available as of current. As always we try very hard to keep all costs to our families minimal.

Lost and Found: We do our best here at Crossroads to ensure that all campers leave at the end of each day with everything that they came with. It does happen that children lose their belongings. We do have a lost and found which is located near the sign in table. It is your responsibility to go through it and retrieve your child's items. We do go through it once a week with the campers and give back whichever items have names on them. At the end of the camp whatever remains in

Bullying and physical/verbal altercations

Here at Crossroads we have a zero tolerance for bullying and any physical or verbal confrontations between campers or campers towards staff. We do our very best to catch every little situation and address them as we see necessary. We reserve the right to send campers home if we are unable to work through their behavior. We encourage our campers to be vocal about anything that occurs at camp so that we can address it. It does happen that we may not see everything so if your child comes home and tells you about an incident but did not inform us please contact us via e-mail or by phone so that we may address the issue. We have a three strike policy, which means that a strike can be issued if a child is bullying others, being physical or verbally aggressive towards campers or staff. After three strikes we reserve the right to ask your child not to return to camp. Should this occur there are no refunds. Our priority is the safety and comfort of all our campers.

Mutual Respect and Safety

Here at Crossroads we love and respect all of our families, we do all that we can to help them throughout the summer. The one thing that we expect of our families is to respect us. We will not tolerate any disrespect towards our staff. Should this arise we reserve the right to ask you not to come into our camp. For the safety and security of our campers parents are not allowed beyond the sign in/out desk. If you would like to volunteer some time to help or assist us please give us your name and we will contact you.

Camp Activities

Kidz in the Kitchen: This summer campers will have the opportunity to prepare special snacks! Not only will we incorporate literacy but we will also ensure that campers have the opportunity to participate in a cooking activity. We will help release the little chef that is hiding in each of our campers. At Crossroads we know the importance of child development and are there every step of the way to ensure that we find new ways to do this all while having fun! (no additional cost)

Special Lunches: Special lunches (please see summer schedule) are provided to the campers by Crossroads free of charge. If your child does not like the lunches we will be providing they may bring in their lunch for that day. Campers will still need to have snacks and juices on these days.

Literacy: This year there is no theme based literacy. However we will be doing novels. Each group will be provided with a popular age appropriate novel to read followed by literacy activities that connect to their novels