

# Summer at Sacred Heart

## 2017 Camp Programs and Themes



### Day Camp Themes

Week 1 ♦ June 5 – 9

#### **Outdoor Summer Fun**

Everyone has their favorite thing they like to do outside in the summer. We are going to do as many of those things as we can this week. We'll be slip-n-sliding, taking hikes, playing sports, having picnics, cloud watching, painting, telling stories in the shade and so much more.

Week 2 ♦ June 12 – 16

#### **Outer Space is the Place**

From the first steps on the moon to the LEGO Movie's Benny, space has intrigued children for decades. Join us as we investigate outer space by making real rockets to launch into the sky, designing and creating new solar systems, playing electron tag and so much more. Be prepared to blast off each day on new adventures that will take you out of this world.

Week 3 ♦ June 19 – 23

#### **Games Extravaganza**

If you enjoy playing games, then this is the week for you. Campers will be working toward breaking our Summer at Sacred Heart games goal by playing every game we can think of - board games, outdoor games, physically and mentally challenging games, and games that have not even been invented yet. A good attitude and a thirst for FUN is all you need. Let's play!

Week 4 ♦ June 26 – 30

#### **Dirty, Gross and Messy**

Summer is about getting outside and getting dirty! This week campers will dig, slip and slide their way into some of the messiest, dirtiest and grossest camp activities imagined. They may go from investigating what lives in soil to making mud pies and then on to mud painting all in one day. There is also a good chance someone is going to get slimed and other yucky and AWESOME surprises. Wear old clothes and bring a spare each day.

Week 5 ♦ July 5 – 7

#### **Under the Sea**

Water galore! Millions of creatures inhabit our lakes, rivers, and oceans, from the microscopic to those as big as a car. Campers will spend this week finding out exactly who these creatures are, learning about fresh and salt water environments, and even having fun with those who sail just above the water! Expect a visit from Camp Director Mr. Bob's twin brother The Dreaded Pirate Bob! You'll have to set sail with us this week to find out how it all plays out. Arrrrgh, matey!

Week 6 ♦ July 10 – 14

### **Are you a Magizoologist?**

You read that correctly, Magizoologists wanted! Magizoology is the study of magical creatures and this week campers will transform into those who know the most about these mythical beings: Magizoologists! By tapping into their imaginations and unlocking their creativity, there is no limit to what can be discovered. Thestrals, and pixies, and dragons, OH MY!

Week 7 ♦ July 17 – 21

### **In the Land of the Dinosaurs**

Hop aboard the ASH time machine as we travel back a few million years to stalk, stomp, and romp our way through this week of prehistoric fun! Our junior archaeologists will dig up and learn about fossils, recreate the environment of the dinosaurs, play T-Rex tag, and much more.

Week 8 ♦ July 24 – 28

### **Symphony of Senses**

No need to bust out your tool box this week because you are already carrying all the tools we will need. It's time for our campers to reacquaint themselves with all of the amazing senses they possess. Beautiful sights and sounds, delicious tastes, ticklish textures, and scrumptious smells will all be a part of the experience. The week will culminate with teams acquiring "instruments" through successful senses challenges. It will then be up to the winners to create the sweetest symphony of senses!

Week 9 ♦ July 31 – August 4

### **The ASH Amazing Race**

Welcome to the intersection of fun and amazement – and there is no turning back now! Campers will spend the week racing through exciting challenges as they decipher clues and solve puzzles. There will be road blocks or detours along the way to the daily pit stops and final check-in, but win or lose, this week is sure to be "amazing!"

Week 10 ♦ August 7 – 11

### **Fairy Tales**

From solving the mystery of how Humpty Dumpty fell off the wall to joining the three pigs to see who can make the best shelter to following Hansel and Gretel's crumbs through the forest, fairy tales will come to life this week. Whether hearing them for the first time, or having heard them a thousand times, there is no way campers will look at these fairy tales the same way again!

Week 11 ♦ August 14 – 18

### **Mysteries, Riddles, Hunts and Searches**

This brain-busting week will keep your camper moving and using their thinking caps. Our camper sleuths will travel in large and small groups trying to decode riddles and solve mysteries while traveling around our beautiful campus. Strong bonds will be formed as our campers work together. Everyone has something to contribute!

## **Day Camp Overnight**

Week 4 ♦ June 26 – 30

Week 10 ♦ August 7 – 11

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Does your camper love camp so much they don't want to leave? You are in luck because we are offering for the first time the opportunity for your camper to spend the night. We will extend the camp day on Thursday with additional games, crafts, movie and flashlight tag to round out the evening before bed. During the overnight we will provide your camper with a hot dog picnic dinner and evening snack along with a bagel breakfast and pizza lunch on Friday. We will provide comfy sleeping mats, but campers will need to bring a sleeping bag and pillow along with pajamas and any other needed night items.

## **Special Interest Camps**

Week 3 ♦ June 19 – 23 ♦ Ages 6-12

### **Lego Robotics**

Novice and experienced builders will be guided as they explore their imaginations while honing their fine motor skills. Engineering concepts are covered in all of our daily challenges and students will be able to hook up their creations to computers to bring models to life.

Week 4 ♦ June 26 – 30 ♦ Ages 4-10

### **American Girl Doll**

This week campers will have the opportunity to participate in a host of activities, crafts, and events with their favorite doll! Participants will stay busy sewing accessories, creating jewelry, designing toys and MORE! Campers DO NOT need an American Girl Doll to participate, but should bring their own comparable doll.

Week 9 ♦ July 31 – August 4 ♦ Ages 5-12

### **ASH Super Hero Academy**

Creating a secret identity isn't easy, but it is step one in this inspiring camp. Identities, special skills, and powers will be determined before campers begin going through super hero training. To graduate ASH Super Hero Academy, campers will need to work together with their fellow super heroes to accomplish an urgent mission.

Week 10 ♦ August 7 – 11 ♦ Ages 6-12

### **Ms. Jen's Laboratory**

Summer at Sacred Heart's very own scientist extraordinaire Ms. Jen has agreed to open up her scientific laboratory for one week this summer and you're invited. Campers will join Ms. Jen in conducting a vast range of exciting experiments that will change the way they see the world around them. This is a fabulous experience that only "mad scientists" would miss!

## **Sports Camp**

Week 6 ♦ July 10 – 14

Week 7 ♦ July 17 – 21

### **Soccer Skills Camp**

**9:00 am – 11:30 for Ages 5-9 ♦ 12:30 pm – 3:00 pm for Ages 10-12 ♦ Full camp day option available**

Summer at Sacred Heart is excited to announce a partnership with United States Soccer Federation licensed coaches Mark Camaj and Jessica Lusardi. We are offering a week long half-day soccer camp focusing on building the foundation skills of dribbling, passing and shooting in a fun and laid back environment. Campers have the option of joining the Summer at Sacred Heart Day Camp for a full day experience if interested.

## **Preschool Adventure**

Week 3 ♦ June 19, 21, 23

Week 7 ♦ July 17, 19, 21

Week 11 ♦ August 14, 16, 18

### **Preschool Adventures + Adult Yoga 9:30 am – 11:00 am**

Announcing a special opportunity for our youngest campers AND their parents! On select weeks this summer our certified preschool teachers invite your child to come listen to a story, do a related craft and movement activity. In tandem with this 90-minute program we are offering an adult yoga session with our licensed instructor Ann Cupp. (You are also welcome to stay with your child or leave campus to run errands). Note: the Yoga session is only for our preschool story time parents and caregivers and will be 60 minutes. This gives you time to drop off your child and get them settled and ready to pick up when the program is finished.