



June 25th - August 21st 2009

Summer Enrichment Program

MIDDLESEX YMCA



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YMCA SUMMER FUN!

EXPLORING, CREATING, & LEARNING
AN EXPERIENCE THAT LASTS A LIFETIME!

The YMCA Summer Enrichment Program offers children entering grades 1 – 6 a chance to explore the mysteries of the deep, create crazy concoctions, be inspired by famous artists, visit exciting places, learn about different cultures, and most importantly — develop new friendships! Our summer program expands children's horizons, encourages critical thinking, and offers hands-on learning and fun. For one week or multiple weeks, this is a perfect option for children who are eager to explore various themes and who enjoy working and playing with other kids.

Summer 2009 Weekly Themes

| Date | Theme | Description | Fieldtrip or Special Event |
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| June 25th – 26th | Summer Fun | Schools out so let the games begin with a few days of active games, crafts, and time to relax and have some fun. | Movies (Friday) |
| June 29th – July 2nd | Mad Science | A week of serious science fun! Emerging chemist, environmentalist, and biologist will enjoy this week of hands on experiments, crafts, and investigation that will make every camper mad about science. | Camp Ingersoll Environmental Science Program (Thursday) |
| July 6th – July 10th | Crafting Through The Continents | Take a trip around the world to discover the art and crafts of different cultures. Create your own diverse collection during this busy week of crafting fun. | Pequot Museum and Pow Wow (Thursday) |
| July 13th – July 17th | Adventures in Food & Fitness | Lace up your sneakers and get out your cookbook! This week is all about fitness fun, cooking, and activities that encourage healthy lifestyles. | Roller Skating (Friday) |
| July 20th – July 24th | Mysteries of the Deep | Explore the exciting undersea world through games, crafts, and activities that encourage investigation & examination of the oceans habitat. | TBA |
| July 27th – July 31st | I Spy Detectives & Fun with Forensics | Younger campers test their skills as detectives by investigating crimes, solving puzzles, and finding missing gems. Older campers will become CSI agents and investigate mock crimes while learning about forensic science. | A Special Guest Detective |
| August 3rd – August 7th | Lights, Camera, Action | <i>Auditions will be held for the next YMCA superstar!</i> This "star spectacular week" will teach children the craft of dramatic arts. | Movies (Friday) and Walking Trip to Oddfellows Playhouse |
| August 10th – 14th | Summer Olympics 2009 | Campers will learn the thrill of victory and the agony of defeat as they participate in fun competitions, try their hand at different Olympic sports and learn about the value of good sportsmanship. | TBA |
| August 17th – 21st | Inspired by Art | Creative energy abounds this week as we study the works of famous artists while creating our own masterpieces. | Florence Griswold Museum Painting Program (Thursday) |