Washtenaw County Parks & Recreation

Meri Lou Murray Recreation Center
2960 Washtenaw Ave., Ypsilanti | 734-971-6355

Independence Lake County Park
3200 Jennings Rd., Whitmore Lake | 734-449-4437

Rolling Hills County Park
7660 Stony Creek Rd., Ypsilanti | 734-484-9676

washtenaw.org/528/Summer-Day-Camp

Washtenaw County Parks offers three camps featuring age-appropriate activities and exciting learning experiences. Your child will have the opportunity to participate in swimming, nature hikes, craft projects, games and more. The fee includes a t-shirt, park entrance, a Friday snack and hotdog lunch.

- Grade 1 – age 11
- $150 – $165 per-week, depending on camp location
- One week sessions start June 17 and run Monday-Friday, 9:15am-4:15pm
- One hour of pre-care and post-care are available for an additional fee

Camp DoYaWanna
Wild Swan Theater’s Studio
6175 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor | 734-995-0530

wildswantheater.org/classes-camps/

Wild Swan Theater drama camps are fun experiences where kids can feel safe and comfortable exploring the imaginative world of theater. Their main goal is that every camper has a great time cultivating their creativity and leaves camp feeling successful. With a new theme every week, activities will include warm-ups, theater games, and improvisations that bring people together in a nurturing, memorable way.

- Ages 4-12
- $125 – $175
- Week-long camps: June 17-21, June 24-28, July 8-12, July 15-19, July 22-26, July 29-August 2
Unity in Learning Camps
Leslie Science & Nature Center | 1831 Traver Rd., Ann Arbor
Yankee Air Museum | 47884 D St., Belleville
734-997-1553
lesliesnc.org/camps/summer-camps

Through the Unity in Learning partnership, Ann Arbor Hands-On Museum, Leslie Science & Nature Center, and Yankee Air Museum now offer families incredible day camps and drop off programs at two fantastic locations in Ann Arbor and Belleville. Adventure, friendship, and discovery await you! They even offer overnight camps for your older children. Post-care is available until 5:30 for an additional fee.

- Preschool – 8th grade
- Robust volunteer program for ages 13 and above
- $270 – $375
- Week-long camps run June 17-August 29

Ann Arbor/Ypsilanti YMCA Summer Camps
400 West Washington St., Ann Arbor | 734-996-9622
annarborymca.org/camps-and-childcare/camps/in-building-and-specialty-daycamps/

The Ann Arbor YMCA strives to foster kids’ curiosity. Rooted in caring, honesty, respect and responsibility, the Y’s holistic approach works wonders, preparing kids for life one fantastic summer at a time. The Y is a place where everyone belongs and can be themselves while engaging in new experiences, building new skills and making new friends. Camp Birkett provides a traditional camp experience (transportation to and from Ann Arbor available), and is the perfect place for your child to explore the summer outdoors. The Y also has a wide variety of sports and specialty camps from Physics to Fishing or Bowling to Basketball as well as service-learning opportunities for teens. Pre and post care is available.

- Ages 5-16
- Eleven weeks of full and half-day camps at the downtown Ann Arbor YMCA facility and at Camp Birkett on Silver Lake in Pinckney
- Weekly sessions of Camp Birkett run from June 17-August 30
- Camp Al-Gon-Quian has one and two-week sessions running from June 22-August 25, with a four day mini-camp for youth ages 6-10
- Scholarships available
Daycroft Discovery Days
Toddler & Preschool Campus
100 Oakbrook Dr., Ann Arbor | 734-930-0333
Young 5, Kindergarten & Elementary Campus
1095 N. Zeeb Rd., Ann Arbor | 734-662-3335

daycroft.org/programs/summer-camps.cfm

Daycroft Discovery Days camps offer a huge variety of summer fun. Creative exploration of art, clay, STEM, robotics, sharks, spies, mermaids, American Girl, martial arts, baking/cooking, chess, LEGO building, dance, world culture themes and sprinkler water fun, to name a few! Their elementary campus offers free pre-camp care from 8-9am and post-camp care until 5pm for a small fee.

- Ages 33 months – 8th grade
- $180 – $295, depending on the subject of the camp, half or full day
- Week-long camps June 10-August 16, 9am-4:30pm

Camp PAWS Jr. (Pets Are Worth Saving)
Humane Society of Huron Valley
3100 Cherry Hill Rd., Ann Arbor
humaneed@hshv.org

hshv.org/camppaws

Five fun-filled mornings that will surely make your tail wag! Young campers will enjoy stories, games and crafts focused on how to care for and respect our animal friends. And they’ll get to visit the adoptable animals, too—including kittens, dogs, rabbits and small mammals. HSHV will provide a small snack each day. Campers will receive a paw-tastic Camp PAWS T-shirt along with other animal-themed goodies throughout the week!

- Ages 4-5
- $115
- June 10-14 and July 22-26, 9am-noon
CampPAWS (Pets Are Worth Saving)
Humane Society of Huron Valley
3100 Cherry Hill Rd., Ann Arbor
humaneed@hshv.org

hshv.org/camppaws

Animals, animals, animals! This fun-filled camp includes visits from animal rescue groups and daily interactions with adoptable animals, games, humane education and more. Campers will need to bring a sack lunch and drink each day; HSHV will provide an afternoon snack and a “paw-tastic” T-shirt! Aftercare from 4-5pm is also available for an additional fee. Not only will you engage with animals through toys you make, treats you give and tricks you learn, but also you’ll prepare to become a responsible and compassionate future pet owner!

- Ages 6-11
- $285
- Different sessions from June through August, 9am-4pm

Ann Arbor Rec & Ed Camps
1515 S. Seventh St., Ann Arbor | 734-994-2300

aarecedcamps.com

At Rec & Ed camps, young people form friendships, explore, and learn together. Their summer camps are designed to give your child an exciting and enriching summer experience under the supervision of trained and experienced leadership. It is their goal to provide your child with a safe and fun summer with age-appropriate, enriching programs that include sports, creative arts, outdoor education, and much more.

- Ages 3-15
- $69 – $314, depending on session
- June 17-August 30, 9am-4pm (extended care available depending on camp)
- Scholarships available
Ann Arbor Civic Theatre 2019 Summer Camps
322 W. Ann St., Ann Arbor | 734-971-2228

a2ct.org/junior-theatre/2019-summer-camps

- **Technical Theatre Camp:** June 24-28, Monday-Friday 9am-4pm, Grades 4-12, $300 for non-members/$280 for members
- **GO! Theatre Camp:** June 8-12, Monday-Friday 9am-12pm, Ages 4-6, $150 before June 1st/$160 after June 1st
- **Global Spark Camp:** July 15-26, Monday-Friday 9am-12pm, Grades 2-6, $280 before June 1st/$300 after June 1st
- **Global + Theatre + Teens = G2T Camp:** July 15-26, Monday-Friday 1pm-4pm, Grades 7-12, $280 before June 1st/$300 after June 1st

Bemis Farms Summer Camp
77 W Bemis Rd., Saline | 734-944-1709
bemisfarmschildcare.com

The Bemis Farms Summer Camp is for school-age children 5-12 years old. Campers may register for the entire summer, for 2 week sessions, or a portion thereof. Daily activities are planned around their weekly field trips. Contact them for more information!

- Ages 5-12
- Contact for pricing information
- June 17-August 22
**Camp Westminster**  
116 Westminster Dr., Roscommon | 989-821-9474  
campwestminster.com

At Camp Westminster on Higgins Lake, they want to give your child the opportunity to try new and exciting activities, gain confidence, make real connections with new friends and positive role-models, spend valuable time splashing in crystal clear Higgins Lake, and grow in their faith in a safe and encouraging community. They are youth development specialists and that’s what they’ve been doing for 90 years.

- Ages 7-17  
- Contact for pricing information  
- One and two-week sessions offered June 16-August 3

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**Animal Care Residency**  
Humane Society of Huron Valley  
3100 Cherry Hill Rd., Ann Arbor  
humaneed@hshv.org  
hshv.org/camppaws

A brand new experience designed just for teens this year! HSHV’s Animal Care Residency is designed for youth ages 12-15 who want to delve deeper into the inner workings of HSHV and animal welfare education. Residents will learn more about understanding perspectives of animals and the science behind their behavior, the various departments at HSHV and the role humans as a species play in animal welfare. Residency will also include visits from guest speakers, hands-on activities, daily work with adoptable animals, humane education lessons and more! Youth will need to bring a sack lunch and drink each day; HSHV will provide an afternoon snack.

- Ages 12-15  
- $285  
- July 15-19, 9am-4pm
CampPurrs
Tiny Lions Lounge and Adoption Center Cat Café
5245 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor
humaneed@hshv.org
tinylions.org/camppurrs

Catastic fun! Camp PURRS takes place at the Tiny Lions Lounge and Adoption Center Cat Café, and includes interactions with the Humane Society of Huron Valley’s furry feline friends. Anywhere from 9-20 cats will be wandering around the “campsite.” The camp will provide a small snack and participants are encouraged to bring water bottles and any alternative snacks needed due to allergies or dietary restrictions.

- Ages 9-15
- $125
- July 8-12, August 5-9 (ages 12-15), July 22-26, August 26-30 (ages 9-11), 9am-12pm

Studio 3 Performing Arts Center Summer Camps
6885 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor | 734-424-9705

studio3arts.com/performing-arts/camps-workshops/

Our summer camps provide children with a full week of activities ranging from the performing arts, arts and crafts, outdoor games, and fostering creative and imaginative play! Before & After care is available for all camps!

- Ages 3-17
- See website for pricing information (depends on session)
- First sibling receives 10% off and additional siblings 20% off
Kids K.A.M.P. (Multi-Sport)
World Wide Sports Center
2140 Oak Valley Dr., Ann Arbor | 734-913-4625

wideworld-sports.com/kids-kamp/

Kids KAMP is held at Ann Arbor’s premier indoor sports facility, WideWorld Sports Center. WWSC has always been a go-to sports venue for kids during the summer. Campers are separated into teams and spend the week playing soccer, flag football, basketball, and more as they compete for team and individual prizes.

- Ages 4-14
- $225 per week (free before & after care)
- June 17 – August 30

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Ann Arbor Soccer Camp
World Wide Sports Center
2140 Oak Valley Dr., Ann Arbor | 734-913-4625

wideworld-sports.com/soccer-camp/

At Soccer Camp, they believe in creating a strong technical base for each player. The staff of professional coaches teach fundamental skills and their applications in game situations while creating a nurturing environment for the player to foster a love for the game. The primary goal is for the players to learn, build confidence and have fun!

- Ages 4-14
- $225 per week (free before & after care)
- June 17-August 30
Michigan Swim Camp
Canham Natatorium
500 E. Hoover Ave., Ypsilanti | 734-845-8596
umswim1@gmail.com
michiganswimcamp.com

Four sessions open to any and all entrants, limited to 195 campers per session at the University of Michigan. A staff of 60+ and three instructional sessions per day ensure the individual attention necessary for significant improvement. Choose the Intensive Training Track or the Technique Development Track.

- Ages 8-18
- $860 overnight; $690 commuter no meals; $720 commuter & lunch; $765 commuter lunch & dinner
- June 9-13, June 16-20, July 28-August 1, August 4-8
- Diving camp July 7-11

Summer Camp at Stone School Cooperative Preschool
2811 Stone School Rd., Ann Arbor | 734-971-4820
stoneschool.org/summer-camp-at-stone-school/

Stone School Cooperative Preschool is excited to offer summer camp at our historic Stone School House. Each week will feature a unique camp theme such as Creepy Crawlers, Water Exploration, Camping, Little Builders and more. Each session runs Monday-Friday and times vary. A snack is provided each day.

- Ages 3-6
- $150 per session for non-members/$135 per session for members
- 9 independent weeks, June 3-August 9
Champion Gymnastics Summer Camp
7240 Jackson Rd., Ann Arbor | 734-222-1810
champgymaa.com/camps

Your child will experience a variety of challenging and creative physical activities in a well-supervised, safe, gymnastics environment. Days consist of gymnastics, games, creative movement, arts & crafts that are geared towards the theme of fun camps, and much more! Week themes include ninja zone, science week and bugs and butterflies, gymnastics, super heroes, Disney, music and movement, and more.

- Ages 3 and up
- $265 full day/full week, $185 half day/full week, $70 daily/full day, $50 daily/half day
- Preschool camps $150 full week, $50 daily
- $10/per half-hour for early drop off or late pick up
- Week-long themed camps offered June 24-August 23

Varsity Day Camp
3420 Cordley Lake Rd., Pinckney | 734-879-3070
varsitydaycamp.com

Family owned and operated since 1950, this traditional day camp allows campers to choose their activities: fish all day, tie dye, and arts & crafts. They also have a full Red Cross swimming and boating program, sports and many other activities to choose from! Campers have also enjoyed catching (and releasing) Cordley Lake Turtles.

- Ages 6-12
- $45/day includes lunch and all fees
- $8/before Care session, $8/after Care Session – before Care is offered 7-8:10am, after Care is offered until 6pm
- June 10-August 9, 9am-4pm
Exciting half-day and full-day camps for all ages and all interests! Adventurous camps include aviation, Flipside Art, photography, volleyball, woodworking, dinosaurs, music, soccer, computer coding, Arbor Chess, German theater, and even Dr. Seuss! Camps are taught by energetic teachers, parents and professionals who are passionate about their programs. They also offer the flexibility of half- and full-day classes in a variety of areas like science, sports, technology and art.

- Completed Kindergarten – Grade 8
- $100 (half day) – $350 (full day)
- June 17-August 9

Days of Discovery at Foundations Preschool
3770 Packard St., Ann Arbor | 734-677-8130

foundations-preschool.org/summercamp2019/

With a focus on STEAM (Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts, and Math), your young child will learn all summer long. Large outdoor spaces, gardens, water play and on-site visits from Ann Arbor Hands On Museum, Ann Arbor Symphony, Exotic Animals and more!

- Ages 2 ½ - 6
- Cost is on a sliding scale, based on income
- DHHS child care subsidy accepted
- Special rates for GSRP families
- June 17-August 22
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The Toledo Zoo
2 Hippo Way, Toledo OH
419-385-5721

toledozoo.org/camps

If your kids love animals, check out the plethora of camps at the Toledo Zoo this summer. There are 20 different topics covered over nine weeks of camp. Summer Safari Camp is a great way for children to explore the zoo while learning about nature, animals and conservation. And with the Promedica Museum of Natural History opening, the zoo has special camps that explore venom, prehistoric animals, and the animals of Ohio.

- Half-day camps for ages 4-5; full-day camps for ages 6-15
- Half day: $135 members; $160 non-members
- Full day ranges: $185-$300 members; $235-$350 non-members
- June 3-June 28; July 8-August 9
- Monday-Friday 9am-12pm or 9am-3pm
- Bring a lunch, good walking shoes, and dress for the weather
- The zoo provides two camp shirts, daily snack, and a water bottle

Ann Arbor Art Center
117 W. Liberty St., Ann Arbor | 734-994-8004
jspindler@annarborartcenter.org

annarborartcenter.org/education/creativity-camps/

The Ann Arbor Art Center offers Art Camps designed to cultivate cognitive development through hands-on art projects that leverage collaboration, experimentation, critical thinking, and problem-solving. CREATIVITY CAMPS: AGES 5-12: Fun and challenging activities that balance learning and play; campers may experiment with a variety of mediums and are encouraged to take what they’ve learned and apply it to outside-the-box projects. CLAY CAMPS: AGES 9-12: Designed to teach the skills of pottery and to encourage the exploration of clay as a material for design, sculpture, and expression. Campers learn to throw on the wheel in the mornings; in the afternoons, campers learn a variety of hand-building techniques to create stunning sculptures, tiles, or functional items.

- Creativity Camp Tuition: $365
- Clay Camp Tuition: $385
  - Scholarships available
Girl Scouts Heart of Michigan – Summer Day Camps
444 James L Hart Pkwy., Ypsilanti | 734-791-8800
YpsilantiDayCamp@gshom.org

GirlScoutCamp.org

Girl Scout Day Camp is a great place for girls to spend the summer! Play, run, learn, laugh—try something new, make special friends, have an adventure—it’s all at day camp. When she comes home she’ll have so much to tell you. Things she learned and skills she developed, and definitely laughs that she shared. You’ll feel great knowing she’s getting a Girl Scout experience every day. That means she is gaining independence and leadership skills. Not bad for a day full of fun! It’s exciting, it’s affordable and it’s a great way to participate in Girl Scouts. What are you waiting for? Sign up for Girl Scout Day Camp today!

- Kindergarten – 8th grade
- $200-$250, depending on session
- Scholarships available

Honey Creek Community School Summer Program
1735 S. Wagner Rd., Ann Arbor | 734-994-2636 ext 2200
honeycreekschool.org/summer-program

Adventures abound for school-age children at theme-based Honey Creek Summer Camp. Spend your summer having outdoor adventures, saving the universe, defeating dark wizards, creating artistic masterpieces, searching for buried treasure, completing mythological quests, conducting crazy and cool science experiments, playing sports AND carnival, and making new friends! With forty acres, daily swimming in an indoor pool, and weekly field trips, adventures abound for school-age children at the theme-based Honey Creek Summer Camp.

- Entering Kindergarten – age 13
- 8am-6pm, no extra fees for before & after care
- Flexible scheduling
- $55/day includes daily swimming, weekly field trips, afternoon snack
Howell Nature Center Camp Wonder
1005 Triangle Lake Rd., Howell | 517-546-0249
info@howellnaturecenter.org

howellnaturecenter.org/camp-wonder/

Camp Wonder at the Howell Nature Center offers unique summer day, overnight and excursion camps to help children enjoy and connect with nature, while teaching many classic camp traditions, new skills and life lessons.

- Entering Kindergarten – Grade 12
- Day camp & overnight camp options available
- $105-$705, depending on session
  - Scholarship available

Pittsfield Township Montibeller Park Day Camp
4305 Ellsworth Rd., Ypsilanti | 734-822-2120
recreation@pittsfield-mi.gov

The Township Parks & Recreation Department will again be offering a wonderful day camp experience in the park for youth ages 5 – 12. Meet new friends! Have fun in active games, arts-n-crafts, swimming, water slides, theme weeks, and field trips. This is a State of Michigan Licensed Day Camp in a beautiful park setting. Sign up for any number of the 10 weeks. Limit 50 kids/week. Pre-registration is required!

- Ages 5-12
- 9am-4pm
- $125 for Township residents, $130 for non-residents
- Registration at this link
Saline Parks & Recreation Kids Camps
1866 Woodland Dr., Saline | 734-429-3502
slambert@cityofsaline.org
cityofsaline.org/parks

Each week we will explore a new theme through games, group challenges, crafts, special events, daily swimming and a weekly field trip. Campers have endless opportunities to have fun, meet new friends, try new activities and make memories that will last a lifetime! They are placed in group of 8-10 children of similar ages led by our enthusiastic and experienced staff. Make sure you bring a swim suit, towel, athletic shoes, lunch and a snack each day. Registration is affordable and flexible: register by the week or for individual days that you need.

- Ages 5-12
- 7am-6pm
- $195/week for Saline Rec Center members, $235 non-members
- $50/day for members, $65 non-members
- Save $15 on weekly rates by registering for camp 2 weeks or more in advance
- Pay full price for your first child and receive $15 off each additional sibling for the same week of camp