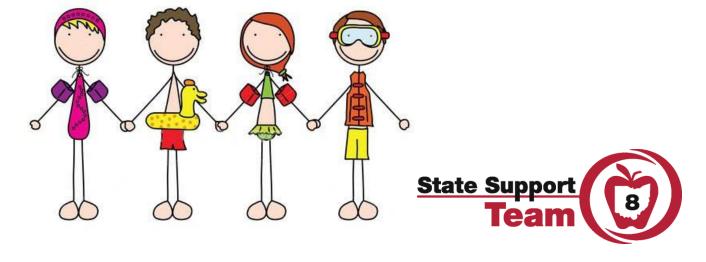
SST8 Summer Camps &



Other Fun Activities – 2017

State Support Team Region 8

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On-Line Camp Information

www.acacamps.org

The American Camp Association is a community of camp professionals who share their knowledge and experience to ensure the quality of camp programs. Because of their diverse, 9,000 plus membership and exceptional programs, children and adults have the opportunity to learn powerful lessons in community, character building, skill development and healthy living.

www.kidscamps.com

This website provides a Directory for finding summer camps and summer programs worldwide. Camps are broken down by Sports, Academics, Adventure, Arts, Teen, Special Interest, Religious, Special Needs and more.

www.mysummercamps.com

My Summer Camps is your Camp Resource Guide. Their goal is to connect parents with the camps they need. They work directly with each camp to ensure details are complete and up-to-date.

RedTreehouse.org

Ohio's online resource promoting and supporting physical, emotional, intellectual, and social development of children and young adults ages pre-natal to 25 years of age. Resources are always being updated specific to Summer 2017.



Camps & Fun Activities – 2017 Click on the Camp/Activity Hyperlink for a more detailed description.

A, B, C's Day Camp – Vision Impairment

Ages: 5 to 9 years (Kindergarten – 3rd Grade)ABCsDayCamp

Abilities First Fine Motor Fun – Fine Motor Skills

Ages: 4 to 6 years - Children who will not enter kindergarten in 2017 Abilities First Fine Motor Fun

Abilities First Write 4 U – Core/Hand Strength

Ages: 5 to 7 – Children who will be enter grade 1-3 in fall of 2017 Abilities First Write 4U

Abilities First Write-on into Kindergarten – *Writing/Sensory Motor*

Ages: 5 to 7 years – Children who will enter kindergarten in 2017 Abilities First Writeon

Academic Fun & Fitness Camp – Special Learning Needs in a structured setting

Ages: 6 to 19 years Academic Fun

Adapted Triple Threat Camp – *Programming Tailored to the individual needs of all participants*

Age: 6 to 14 years<u>AdaptedTripleThreatCamp</u>

Adaptive Golf Classes - Challenge Golf - Accessibility

Ages: 6 to AdultAdaptiveGolfClasses

Akron Rotary Camp – Day Camp – For Children and Adults with Disabilities

Ages: 6 to 21 yearsAkronRotaryCampDayCamp

Akron Rotary Camp - Overnight Camp - For Children and Adults with Disabilities

Ages: 6 to 17 years for kid's weeks and 18+ for adult weeks AkronRotary Camp Overnight Camp

Akron Rotary Camp - Portage Trail Blazers - For Children and Adults with Disabilities

Ages: 6 to 21 yearsAkronRotaryCampPortageTrailBlazers

Akron Rotary Camp Respite Weekends – For Children and Adults with Disabilities

Ages: 6 to AdultAkronRotaryCampRespiteWeekends

Akron Zoo – Fun Activity
Ages: AllAkronZoo

Akron Zoo Events – Special Events for 2017

Ages: AllAkronZooEvents

Braille Residential Camp – Students who are blind or visually impaired

Ages: Entering Grades 3-7 BrailleResidentialCamp

Bright Futures Summer Day Camp – Vision Impairment/Multiple Disabilities with Vision Impairment

Ages: 2 to 5 years – entering or returning to preschool BrightFuturesSummerDayCamp

Camps & Fun Activities – 2017 Click on the Camp/Activity Hyperlink for a more detailed description.

Camp A.B.C. (Always Be Communicating) – Preschoolers with Speech and Language Delays

Ages: 3 to 6 yearsCampABCAlwaysBeCommunicating

Camp Nuhop - Children with Disabilities

Ages: 6 to 18+ years CampNuhop

Camp Nuhop Respite Weeks - Children with Disabilities

Ages: 8 years and olderCampNuhopRespiteWeekends

Camp Paradise: Developmental Disabilities

Ages: Adults CampParadise

Camp Quality - Serving Children with Cancer

Ages: 4 to 18 years CampQuality

Camp Suntastic – Day camp for high-functioning children with various disabilities

Ages: 9 to 13 years CampSuntastic

Early Childhood Zoo Camp – with Caregiver **Ages:** 2 to 5 years<u>EarlyChildhoodZooCamp</u>

Educational Service Center of Medina County Summer Enrichment Program 2017 – Building personal and social confidence

Ages: Kindergarten - Grade 10<u>EducationalServiceCenterofMedinaCountySu</u>

Expanded Core Curriculum Residential Camp – Students who are blind or visually impaired

Ages: Entering Grades 8 -12 <u>ExpandedCoreCurriculumResidentialCamp</u>

Fine Motor Readiness Camp – Support developing fine motor skills

Ages: 3 to 5 years<u>FineMotorReadinessCamp</u> **Fundamentals for Success** – *Vision Impairment*

Ages: 16 to 21 yearsFundamentalsforSuccess

Highbrook Lodge Resident Camp – Vision Impairment, Multiple Disabilities, Vision Impairment including Blindness

Ages: All - infants, children, young adults, adults and families Highbrook Lodge Resident Camp

Joni and Friends – A Special Needs Family Retreat

Ages: AllJoniandFriends

Lil' Lighthouse Camp – For the little lighthouse in your family

Ages: 2 to 5 years<u>LilLighthouseCamp</u>

Little Astronauts Day Camp – *Students who are blind or visually impaired only*

Ages: Entering 1st or 2nd gradeLittleAstronautsDayCamp

LLA Explorers Camp – Camp to Focus on building communication and social skills

Ages: 5 to 9 years <u>LLAExplorersCamp</u>

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Math and Movement Residential Camp – Students who are blind or visually impaired

Ages: Entering Grades 3-7MathandMovementResidentialCamp

North Coast Tutoring Services – Multiple Disabilities

Ages: 5 to 22 years – Also AdultsNorthCoastTutoringServices

PASS Camp - Performing Arts Social Skills Camp

Ages: K to Grade 8PASSCamp

Rainbow Camp: The Colors of Music, Art & Dance – Teens and Adults with Special Needs

Ages: 15 years and upRainbowCamp

Richland Carrousel – Family Fun Activity – Accessibility

Ages: AllRichlandCarrousel

SAIL Summer Program - (Social, Academic, and Improving Life Summer Program)

Ages: 8 to 12 years<u>SAILSummerProgram</u>

S'Camp at Old Trail School – *Various camps led by LLA Therapy*

Ages: 3 to 14 years SCampatOldTrailSchool

S.M.I.L.E. Summer Camp – (Special Memories Include Laughter and Enrichment Day Camp)

Ages: 4 to 18 years SMILESummer Camp

Special Needs Day Camp – Students who are blind and visually impaired with additional disabilities (multiple disabilities)

Ages: Entering Grades 3-7SpecialNeedsDayCamp

Sports Residential Camp – Students who are blind or visually impaired

Ages: Entering Grades 8-12<u>SportsResidentialCamp</u>

Stan Hywet Hall and Gardens – Family Fun Activity

Ages: All<u>StanHywetHallandGardens</u>

Stars and Stripes – Increase Communication and Social Skills

Ages: Pre-K through High School<u>StarsandStripes</u>

STEM Residential Camp – *Students who are blind or visually impaired*

Ages: Entering grades 8-12<u>STEMResidentialCamp</u>

Stepping Stones for Success – Vision Impairment

Ages: 14 to 16 years Stepping Stones for Success

Triple Threat Summer Camp – Increase physical control, self-expression and self esteem

Ages: 6 to 18 years TripleThreatSummerCamp

Wiggly Writer – Camp to improve writing skills

Ages: 5 years to entering K-8 Wiggly Writer

A, B, C's Day Camp

• Disability: Vision Impairment

• Contact: Sylvia Snyder

Address: Cleveland Sight Center

1909 E. 101st St.

Cleveland, OH 44106

• Phone: 216 658-8777

Website: <u>www.clevelandsightcenter.org</u>
 E-mail: <u>ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org</u>

• Fees: \$450 + transportation

• Ages: 5-8 (kindergarten – 3rd grade)

• Dates: July 17, 2017 – August 3, 2017 (Monday-Thursday)

• Time: 9:00 am – Noon

ABC's Camp is a 3 week day camp for 5 to 8 year old children with vision impairment who are entering kindergarten to grade 3. This half day summer camp experience includes activities that are planned and implemented by professional staff to promote independence, mobility and literacy. Compensatory skills such as Braille, orientation & mobility, and daily living skills are emphasized. Camp is staffed by a team including Teacher, Occupational Therapist, Physical Therapist, Speech Pathologist, Orientation & Mobility Instructor and Teacher of the Visually Impaired. May serve as ESY option.

Abilities First Fine Motor Fun

• Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Multiple Disabilities, Hearing Impairment, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or

Language Impairment

• Contact: Bridget Coleman

• Address: Abilities First

20800 Westgate Suite 500 Fairview Park, OH 44126

Phone: 440 333-1880Website: <u>abilities1st.com</u>

• Fees: \$320.00

• Ages: 4-6 years – Children who will not enter kindergarten in 2017

• Dates: June 12, 2017 to July 29, 2017 – One day a week for six weeks with day to be determined.

This camp is for children ages 4 to 6 who will not enter kindergarten until the fall of 2017. Sessions will emphasize fine motor skills needed for pre-writing, grasp, introduction to upper case letters, writing name, attention to task, turn taking, and two hand use through a variety of sensory experiences and games. In addition to working on writing, each camp session will begin with sensory motor and Brain Gym activities that promote core strength, self-regulation, attention to task, and tactile/proprioceptive preparation for fine motor tasks. The small group experience will also provide opportunities for children to practice coping/self-regulation skills during activities where they will meet new friends, take turns/wait for a turn, share supplies and follow adult directions.

Abilities First Write 4 U

• Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Multiple Disabilities, Hearing Impairment, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or

Language Impairment

• Contact: Bridget Coleman

• Address: Abilities First

20800 Westgate Suite 500 Fairview Park, OH 44126

Phone: 440 333-1880Website: abilities1st.com

• Fees: \$320.00

• Ages: Grade 1-3 in 2017

• Dates: June 12, 2017 to July 29, 2017 – One day a week for six weeks with day to be determined.

This camp is for children ages 5 to 7 who will enter grades $1^{st} - 3^{rd}$ in the fall of 2017 who have already had initial instruction in upper case and lower case letters, but need further work on core/hand strength. Grasp, sizing, and spacing of letters, words and sentence writing.

In addition to working on writing, each camp session will begin with sensory motor and Brain Gym activities that promote core strength, self-regulation, attention to task, and tactile/proprioceptive preparation for fine motor tasks.

The small group experience will also provide opportunities for children to practice coping/self-regulation skills during activities where they will meet new friends, take turns/wait for a turn, share supplies and follow adult directions.

Abilities First Write-on into Kindergarten

• Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Multiple Disabilities, Hearing Impairment, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or

Language Impairment

• Contact: Bridget Coleman

Address: Abilities First

20800 Westgate Suite 500 Fairview Park, OH 44126

Phone: 440 333-1880Website: <u>abilities1st.com</u>

• Fees: \$320.00

• Ages: 5, 6, 7 years – children who will enter kindergarten in 2017

• Dates: June 12, 2017 to July 29, 2017 – One day a week for six weeks with day to be determined.

This camp is for children ages 5 to 7 who will enter kindergarten in the fall of 2017. Sessions will emphasize core strength, body awareness, right/left awareness and learn to write upper case letters and introduction to lower case letters and simple words with effective pencil grasp, praxis, sizing, and spacing through a variety of fun games and sensory experiences.

In addition to working on writing, each camp session will begin with sensory motor and Brain Gym activities that promote core strength, self-regulation, attention to task, and tactile/proprioceptive preparation for fine motor tasks. The small group experience will provide opportunities for children to practice coping/self-regulation skills during activities where they will meet new friends, take turns/wait for a turn, share supplies and follow adult directions.

Academic Fun & Fitness Camp

• Disability: Autism, Cognitive Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impaired, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or

Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury (Campers must have some verbal skills)

• Contact: Carole Richards, Executive Director

Nikki Locker, Assistant Camp Director

• Website: info@unschoolcamp.org.com

• Email: <u>www.unschoolcamp.org</u>

Address: Camp: Lakeland Community College Mailing: Creative Education Institute

7700 Clocktower Drive 120 North Main Street
Kirtland, OH 44094 Chagrin Falls, OH 44022

This camp is not affiliated with or sponsored by Lakeland Community College.

• Phone: 440 914-0200

• Fees: Full Day Camp \$2,500

Half Day Camp a.m. – Academics \$1,500 9:00 am – 12:00 pm

Half Day Camp p.m. - Social Skills, Recreational Activities \$1,500 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm

Before care 7:30 am – 8:45 am. After care 4:00-6:00 pm, snacks included for all campers. Lunch included for full day campers.

• Ages: 6-19 years

• Dates: June 12, 2017 – July 21, 2017

Academic Fun and Fitness Camp offers an exciting experience for campers with special learning needs in a structured setting. Campers gain new perspectives on learning while developing social skills, building self-esteem, playing non-competitive sports and improving basic reading and math skills. We encourage "kids to just be kids" during camp.

At this "un-school" camp, instructors and aides use systematic instruction and multi-sensory techniques (eyes, ears, touch and muscle movement) to improve campers' basic reading and math skills. Science, theater, music and art therapy, and martial arts, and other activities encourage campers to explore the world beyond the traditional classroom. One of the many highlights of camp is the special Parent Day presentation by our campers. *The camper to staff ratio is 5:1.*

Adapted Triple Threat Camp

• Contact: Beyond Words Center

• Address: Beyond Words

6048 Royalton Road North Royalton, OH

Registration and early-bird discounts available on-line at www.beyondwordscenter.org

• Website: <u>www.beyondwordscenter.org</u>

• Fees: One Camp

\$350 Third Party Funding \$325 Private Pay \$225 Peer Model

All Three Camps

\$1,000 Third Party Funding \$900 Private Pay \$650 Peer Model

• Ages: 6 to 14 years

• Dates: Camp #1: June 12-16, 2017 Camp #2: June 19-23, 2017 Camp #3: June 26-30, 2017

• Time: 9:00 am -12:00 pm

Campers (6-18) are introduced to the foundations of musical theatre through singing, dancing, and acting. Programming will be tailored to the individualized needs of all participants, allowing for self-expression and exploration into musical instruments, costumes, and fine and gross motor skills, ending with a final performance on the last day of camp!

Adaptive Golf Classes – Challenge Golf

• Disability: Accessibility

• Contact: Ron Tristano, Manager/PGA Professional

• Address: 1596 Flickinger Road

Akron, OH 44312

• Phone: 330 784-5400

• Fax: 330 784-7038

• Website: esr.challengegolf@gmail.com

• Fees: \$80.00/per session

• Ages: 6 - Adult

• Dates: **Session I:** April 15, 2017 – May 13, 2017

Session II: June 3, 2017 – July 1, 2017

Session I: Class curriculum: Fundamentals of Golf Swing, Chipping, Putting, Use of Woods, Strengthening/Flexibility

and Rules of Etiquette.

Session 2: Class Curriculum: On-course Instruction and Play.

We also offer 3 sessions of Junior Golf Lessons for ages 7 to 14. Time: 9:00 am - 11:45 am. Cost per session: \$95 per golfer

Session I is June 12-June 15, 2017

Session II is June 26-June 29, 2017

Session III is July 10-July 13, 2017

Akron Rotary Camp - Day Camp

• Disability: All

• Contact: J. D. Detsch

• Address: 4460 Rex Lake Drive, Akron, OH 44319

• Phone: 330 644-4512

• Website: www.akronymca.org/rotarycamp

• Fees: \$305/week

• Ages: 6 to 21 years

• Time: 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Monday - Friday

• Days: Week 1 (June 5-9, 2017) Week 5 (July 3-7, 2017) (no camp on the 4th)

Week 2 (June 12-16, 2017) Week 6 (July 10-14, 2017)

Week 3 (June 19-23, 2017) Week 7 (July 17-21, 2017)

Week 4 (June 26-30, 2017) Week 8 (July 24-28, 2017)

Summer Day Camps are one of the most popular programs that Akron Rotary Camp Offers. Campers enjoy traditional camp activities, while spending each night at home. Campers are organized into cabin groups according to age and ability. While at camp, campers enjoy crafts, games, nature activities, songs and so much more. Each day, weather permitting, campers will also have the opportunity to explore the excitement of Rex Lake, through activities including, swimming, canoeing, and other water games.

Day Camp includes two counselors for every six campers. Other staff include the directors, program coordinators, and nursing staff. The Akron Rotary strives to meet the individual needs of each of the campers. Staff will work with families, teachers, and other support services to help provide successful experiences. We cannot provide one on one attention to campers with additional needs without the financial support from the camper's family or other provider networks.

Akron Rotary Camp - Overnight Camp

• Disability: All

• Contact: J. D. Detsch

• Address: 4460 Rex Lake Drive

Akron, OH 44319

• Phone: 330 644-4512

• Website: www.akronymca.org/rotarycamp

• Fees: \$625/week

• Ages: 6 – 17 years for Kids Weeks and 18+ for Adult Weeks

• Days: Week 1 (June 4-9, 2017) Week 5 (July 2-7, 2017) (Adult Week)

Week 2 (June 11-16, 2017) Week 6 (July 9-14, 2017)

Week 3 (June 18-23, 2017) (Sibling week) Week 7 (July 16-21, 2017) (Adult Week)

Week 4 (June 25-30, 2017) Week 8 (July 23-28, 2017)

Overnight Camp is our flagship program. Children and adults with disabilities learn new skills, develop friendships, and gain independence through this one week overnight experience. While at camp, campers participate in traditional camping activities, which include swimming, kayaking, campfires, songs, crafts, games, and much, much more!

There are two counselors for every six campers. Other staff on site include the directors, program coordinators and nursing staff. The Akron Rotary Camp strives to meet the individual needs of each of the campers. Staff will work with families, teachers, and other support services to help provide successful experiences. The goals of overnight camp are to increase camper's independence and self-esteem; encourage campers to try new leisure activities and become more physically active; experience the natural world and develop social skills.

Akron Rotary Camp – Portage Trail Blazers

• Disability: All

• Contact: J. D. Detsch

• Address: Happy Day School

• Phone: 330 644-4512

• Website: www.akronymca.org/rotarycamp

• Fees: \$305/week

• Ages: 6 to 21 years

• Weeks: Week 1 – June 12-16, 2017 Week 2 – June 19-23, 2017

Week 3 – June 26-30, 2017 Week 4 – July 10-14, 2017 Week 5 – July 17-21, 2017 Week 6 – July 24-28, 2017

The Akron Area YMCA/Rotary Camp in collaboration with the Portage County DD (PCBDD) are offering six – one week day camp sessions at the beautiful Happy Day School Campus. Everyday campers will have a blast exploring the natural environment, enjoying crafts, games and other activities, singing camp songs, and developing friendships. The phenomenal Akron Rotary Camp staff will provide opportunities for campers to learn and grown in a safe environment.

Following American Camp Association standards and Akron Rotary guidelines, the staff are exceptionally trained to work with our campers. The camper to counselor ration is 2:6. Camp is open to individuals 6 to 21 years of age who are eligible for services from Portage County DD.

Akron Rotary Camp – Respite Weekends

• Disability: All

• Contact: J. D. Detsch

• Address: 4460 Rex Lake Drive

Akron, OH 44319

• Phone: 330 644-4512

• Website: www.akronymca.org/rotarycamp

• Fees: \$295 per weekend – Friday 6-7 pm Drop-off and Sunday 10-11 am Pick-up.

• Ages: 6 - Adult

• Dates: March 10-12, 2017, March 24-26, 2017, April 7-9, 2017, April 21-23, 2017, May 5-7, 2017,

Respite Weekends are fun-filled weekend camp-outs held throughout the year at Rotary Camp. Children and adults with disabilities are eligible to attend. Campers arrive on Friday evening and stay through Sunday morning. Throughout the weekend campers enjoy traditional camp activities, as well as special seasonal ones. These weekends are great opportunities for campers to see their old friends and make new ones as well. It is also a great way for a first-time camper to gain a short overnight experience.

Akron Zoo - Fun Activity

• Disability: Accessible

• Ages: All

• Address: 500 Edgewood Ave.

Akron, OH 44307

Phone: 330 375-2550Website: <u>akronzoo.org</u>

• Dates: Year-Round Programs

• Hours: April – October (Regular Season) 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

• Fees: Adults - \$12

Senior Citizens (62+) - \$10

Children (2-14) - \$9

Akron Zoo Members – Free

Non-Member Parking - \$3 Single Stroller - \$6 Electric Scooter - \$25 Double-Stroller - \$10 Wheelchair - Free

Extra fun: Train Rides - \$2 – open April through October, Farmland Animal Feed \$2 – open year round, Carousel \$2 – open April-November (will open in March dependent on weather), It's a Wild World Live Show \$2 – show times are 12:30 pm to 2:00 pm Tuesday-Saturday. Shows last 20 minutes.

Zoo Camp programs available throughout the summer at the Akron Zoo. Please refer to their website for information, dates, and prices. Zoo Camp for Grade K-9. Children must have completed kindergarten by June 2017 to participate in these camps. Camp activities include a tour of the zoo, a chance to meet zoo staff and animal keepers, animal encounters, a T-shirt, a daily snack, a photo of your Zoo Camper's experience and a take-home craft.

Akron Zoo – Upcoming Events for 2017

• Disability: Accessible

• Ages: All

• Address: 500 Edgewood Ave.

Akron, OH 44307

Phone: 330 375-2550Website: akronzoo.org

• Dates: Year-Round Programs

• Hours: April – October (Regular Season) 10:00 am – 5:00 pm

• Fees: Adults - \$12 Senior Citizens (62+) - \$10 Children (2-14) - \$9 Akron Zoo Members - Free

Non-Member Parking - \$3 Single Stroller - \$6 Electric Scooter - \$25 Double-Stroller - \$10 Wheelchair - Free

Zoothing Hour – March 11, August 8 and November 18 – Zoo opens hour early for people with special needs who prefer to avoid crowds.

College ID Days – March 27 – April 2, 2017 – 50% off admission fro college students with valide school ID

Breakfast with the Bunny – April 1, 2, 8, 9, & 15 – Breakfast, visit the bunny and an egg hunt.

Party for the Planet – April 22- Earth Day festivities. Wear superhero outfit and get 50% off admission.

Mother's Day – May 14 – Moms and grandmas get free admission

Curious Creatures – June 3 – New exhibit opens featuring strange animals of the world.

Father's Day – June 18 – Free admission for dad and grandpas

PJ Party – July 8 – Wear your favorite family-friendly pajamas and enjoy extended evening hours.

Boo at the Zoo – October 14, 15, 21, 22, 28 & 29 – Non-scary trick-or-treat event

Snack with Santa – December 2, 3, 9, 10, 16, & 17 – Appetizers, visits with Santa, crafts and more.

Wild Lights – November 24, 25, 26, December 1, 2, 3, 8, 9, 10, 15, 16, 17, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 28, 29, & 30 – holiday lighting event.

Braille Residential Camp

• Disability: Students who are blind or visually impaired

• Contact: Donna Trapani/Ohio State School for the Blind

• Address: 5220 N. High Street

Columbus, OH 43214

• Phone: 614 468-8869

• Website: <u>www.ossb.oh.gov</u>

• Fees: \$25

• Ages: Entering grades 3-7

• Dates: June 11, 2017 to June 16, 2017

This camp is for stuents with a visual impairment who currently use Braille as a means for written communication and accessing information, and need to improve their Braille Skills. (Students should be involved in statewide testing). Students will work to improve and enhance existing Braille skills through fun and educational science activities based on Ohio's Learning Standards. Activities will include instruction in Braille usage, science, letter writing, storytelling, and journal writing skills. Students will also be given assessments to identify and establish Braille proficiency skills. The Summer Braille Immersion Camp will be aligned with Ohio's Learning Standards in the areas of English Language Arts, which include reading, the writing process, and science.

Bright Futures Summer Day Camp

• Disability: Vision Impairment/Multiple Disabilities with Vision Impairment

• Contact: Sylvia Snyder

• Address: Cleveland Sight Center, 1909 E. 101st St. Cleveland, OH 44106

• Phone: 216 658-8777

• Website: www.clevelandsightcenter.org

• E-mail: ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org

• Fees: \$500.00 + transportation

• Ages: 2-5 years of age – entering or returning to preschool

• Dates: June 12, 2017 – July 13, 2017

• Time: 9:00 am – Noon

Bright Futures is a half day summer camp program for preschool aged children with primary or secondary vision impairments. The program includes pre-academic activities, outdoor play, therapies, socialization activities and fun. Compensatory skills, such as pre-Braille, pre-mobility, and daily living skills are emphasized. Camp is staffed by a team including a Pre-school Teacher, Teacher of the Visually Impaired, Occupational Therapist, Physical Therapist, Speech Pathologist and Orientation & Mobility Instructor. May serve as an ESY option.

Camp A.B.C. (Always Be Communicating)

• Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Hearing Impairment, Intellectual Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health

Impairments, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Visual

Impairment including Blindness, and Developmental Delay.

• Ages: 3-6 years

• Contact: Holly Reimann, MA, CCC-SLP, Speech Therapist, Camp Director

• Phone: 330 405-8776

• Email: contact@PeakPotentialTherapy.com • Website www.campabc.com

• Location: Peak Potential Therapy, 8848 Commons Blvd., Ste. 101, Twinsburg, OH 44087

• Dates: June – August 2017 weekly sessions, Tuesday-Thursday

• Time: 11:00 am – 1:00 pm

• Fees: \$280/week early registration by March 31st \$330/week

Therapeutic, center-based, day camp developed for preschoolers with speech and language delays. We want them to have a fun first-camp experience. Children with aggressive behaviors or with multiple disabilities can attend with support of an individual aide (additional fees apply). We want to provide a fun and interactive way to further develop their communication skills and have a better summer. Kids are engaged in a variety of activities to also improve their social, fine and gross motor skills, emotional regulation, eating, and play skills.

Camp is purposefully kept small so each child will get direct instruction from the therapist. Space is limited to a max of 6 kids per week. Staff includes: a therapist and aide to maintain ratio (3 kids to 1 adult). Reserve your child's place with a \$100 deposit and complete our easy online registration form. Camp tuition includes supplies, visual schedules, transition visual supports, and daily data collection on IEP goals. Optional services: progress report and photo album. We can bill for camp to County Boards of DD, Autism Scholarship Program, Jon Peterson Scholarship, school districts, Anthem, Aetna, SummaCare, and more. Camp Fills – Don't Delay – Register Today!!! If a third party is paying for camp and funds are confirmed, then no deposit is required.

Camp Nuhop - Residential Camp

Disability: ADD, ADHD, LD, Asperger's Syndrome, and other disabilities

• Phone: 419 289-2227

• Website: <u>nuhop.org</u>

• Email: info@nuhop.org

• Camp Office: 404 Hillcrest Drive, Ashland, OH 44805

• Summer Camp: 1077 Hanover Township Road 2916, Perrysville, OH 44864

• Fees: Fees and ages vary according to camp

• Ages: 6-18+ years

• Sessions: Session 1 – June 11-16, 2017

Session 2 – June 18-23, 2017 Session 3 – June 25-30, 2017 Session 4 – July 9-14, 2017 Session 5 – July 16-21, 2017 Session 6 – July 23-28, 2017

Camp Nuhop provides six week-long sessions and four two-week sessions. Each session offers programs that range from traditional activities to national trips. The programs focus on providing an experience that promotes personal growth through success and friendship. Campers in each program are placed in groups of seven with three counselors based on age and compatibility. Every program is offered at least one session during the summer.

Camp Nuhop offers different **On-Campus Based Programs:** Traditional Camp (Ages 8-18), Exploration Camp (Ages 6-7), Leadership Camp (Ages 16-18). **Specialty On-Campus Based Programs:** Art Camp (8-18), Science Camp (8-16), Sports Skills Camp (Ages 14-16). **Off-Campus Based Programs:** Aqua Camp (14-18), Bike Camp (Ages 12-14), Crusoe Camp (Ages 12-18), Western Cowboy/Cowgirl Camp (Ages 13-15), Lake Erie Islands Camp (Ages 13-18), Ohio Adventures Camp (Ages 14-17), Expedition Camp (18+, return Campers only). They also offer **Extended Camp Programs:** National Trip Camp (Ages 14-18, return campers only)-check website for this year's location and Walkabout Camp (Ages 13-15).

Camp Nuhop – Respite Weekends

• Disability: ADD, ADHD, LD, Asperger's Syndrome, and other Disabilities

• Phone: 419 289-2227

• Website: <u>nuhop.org</u>

• Email: info@nuhop.org

• Camp Office: 404 Hillcrest Drive, Ashland, OH 44805

• Summer Camp: 1077 Hanover Township Road 2916, Perrysville, OH 44864

• Fees: Fees and ages vary according to camp

• Ages: 8 and older

There are five Respite Weekends during the school year for return and prospective new campers to attend. Respite Weekends are a great way for return campers to connect with summer friends as well as participate in some of their favorite summer activities. For prospective campers, Respite Weekends give campers a taste of what summer camp would be like, and a chance to meet some new friends and become acquainted with our camp program. The focus of the weekend is to enjoy the outdoors in the company of friends.

Respite Weekends are usually scheduled on weekends in January, March, May, September and November.

Camp Paradise

• Disability: Developmental Disabilities

• Phone: 330 722-1900

• Address: The ARC of Medina County

4283 Paradise Road Seville, OH 44273

• Times: Overnight camp begins at 9:00 am on Mondays and ends at 5:00 pm on Fridays, pickup is between 4 pm – 5

pm on Friday. Day Camp is 9:00 am – 5:00 pm daily, and all facilities are accessible.

• Fees: Non-Waiver Funded Services - Overnight Camp: \$800/week Day Camp: \$400/week Non-refundable

application fee: \$75 per week

Waiver Funded Services – Call for waiver rates, (330) 722-1900 ext. 165. A copy of the ISP designating SHC as

the provider of service must be submitted with your application to reserve your space. Non-refundable

application fee: \$75 week.

• Ages: Adults

Our Summer camp empowers campers to develop independence, self-esteem and life-long friendships in a caring and nurturing environment. A program of SHC/The Arc of Medina County for 50 years, our camp engages campers in a variety of activities ranging from creative arts like music and art therapy to sports, outdoor adventures, swimming, wagon rides and bonfires. Campers from all over Ohio and surrounding states are welcome at Camp Paradise. We have a highly trained staff with a ratio of 1:4 during awake hours. The five weeks of camp are dedicated to adults with developmental disabilities and each as a theme of celebration for this historic event. Party in Paradise – June 19 to 23, 2017, Celebration USA – June 26 to 30, 2017, Summer Jubilee – July 10 to 14, 2017, 50th Festival – July 17 to 21, 2017, and Birthday Bash, July 24 to 28, 2017.

Camp Quality of Ohio – Residential Camp

• Disability: Serving children with cancer

• Ages: 4-18 years

• Contact: Kelly Krebs, Camp Registrar

• Address: Camp Otyokwah & Retreat Center, 3380 Tugend Rd., Butler, OH 44822

• Phone: 216 236-2400

• Website: www.campqualityusa.org/oh

• Email: <u>kelly.krebs@campqualityusa.org</u>

• Dates: July 30, 2017 – August 5, 2017

Our motto is "letting kids with cancer be kids again." Each child is paired with an adult companion who spends 24/7 through the week with the child as their cheerleader, friend, and mentor.

Companions go through a rigorous application process, background check, and training. Each of our fun activities at camp is carefully selected to ensure that the activity encourages group interaction amongst campers and companions, and/or offer a high impact of lasting memories.

Activities include a Prom, Talent Show, inflatable, karaoke, dances, games, etc. Children with cancer ages 4-18 are welcome to attend five camps within six years of diagnosis. Two siblings ages 6-16 are allowed for the first two years if space is available. We offer year round support and activities that are free.

Camp Suntastic - Day Camp

• Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Intellectual Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impairments, Orthopedic

Impairment, Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Developmental Delay

• Ages: 9 to 13 years

• Contact: Holly Reimann, MA, CCC-SLP, Speech Therapist, Camp Director

• Phone: 330 405-8776

• Email: contact@PeakPotentialTherapy.com

Website: www.CampSuntastic.com

• Address: Peak Potential Therapy, 8848 Commons Blvd., Ste. 101, Twinsburg, OH Weekly field trip locations change; see

website for details.

• Dates: June – August 2017, Fridays only

• Time: 11:30 am – 2:30 pm

• Fees: \$135/day early registration before March 31, 2017 after \$165/day

The "mini-SMILE Camp" for those who cannot attend a full week! Therapeutic, recreational, community-based, day camp developed for high-functioning children with various disabilities. Children with aggressive behaviors, non-verbal, or with multiple disabilities can attend with support of an individual aide (additional fees apply). We want to provide a fun and interactive way to further develop their social skills and have more summer fun. Kids are encouraged to use their skills in different settings with small group instruction. Plus they get to interact with typical peers naturally in a fun environment. A different field trip every week! Parents are responsible for dropping off and picking up their kids at the field trip locations, and packing a ready-to-eat lunch. This may include: Great Lakes Science Center, Cleveland Zoo, Fun-n-Stuff, Twinsburg Water Park, Waterworks, Jump Palace, Roseland Lanes, Zip City, and more. Camp is purposefully kept small so each child will get direct instruction from the therapist throughout the day plus has the opportunities to interact with peers.

Space is limited to a max of 6 kids per week. Staff includes: a therapist and aide to maintain ratio (3 kids to 1 adult). Reserve your child's place with a \$100 deposit and complete our easy online registration form. Camp tuition includes daily field trip costs, visual schedules, transition visual supports, social stories, and daily data collection on IEP goals. Optional services: progress report, bound social story book, and photo album. We can bill for camp to County Boards of DD, Autism Scholarship Program, Jon Peterson Scholarship, school districts, Anthem, Aetna, SummaCare, and more. If a third party is paying for camp, and funds are confirmed, then no deposit is required!

Early Childhood Zoo Camp with Caregiver

• Disability: Accessible

• Ages: 2 to 5 years who have not completed kindergarten by June 2017

• Address: 500 Edgewood Ave.

Akron, OH 44307

• Phone: 330 375-2550

• Website: <u>akronzoo.org</u>

• Fees: Akron Zoo Members - \$30 Non-Zoo Members - \$35

Ages: 2-5 years who have not completed kindergarten by June 2017
 Dates: June 12, 2017 through August 11, 2017 (Mondays and Fridays)

• Times: 9:30 am – 11:30 am

Camp activities include free play, stories, music, a take-home craft, a snack, an animal encounter, a T-shirt, and a short tour of the zoo.

Z is for Zookeeper (ZZ) – What does a zookeeper do all day? Find out in this fun camp!

ZZ1 – June 12 (ages 2-3) **ZZ2** – June 16 (ages 4-5) **ZZ3** – July 17 (ages 4-5) **ZZ4** – July 21 (ages 2-3)

I Spy (IS) – Use your little eyes to spot animals and shapes around the zoo!

IS1 – June 19 (ages 2-3) **IS2** – June 23 (ages 4-5) **IS3** – July 24 (ages 4-5) **IS4** – July 28 (ages 2-3)

Curious Creatures (CC) – Explore our new exhibit and learn about the animals that live there.

CC1 – June 26 (ages 2-3) **CC2** – June 30 (ages 4-5) **CC3** – July 31 (ages 4-5) **CC4** – August 4 (ages 2-3)

At the Zoo with You (AZ) – Rhyming games are fun to play. I wish we could stay at the zoo all day!

AZ1 – July 3 (ages 2-3) **AZ2** – July 7 (ages 4-5) **AZ3** – August 7 (ages 4-5) **AZ4** – August 11 (ages 2-3)

Family Ties (FT) – Learn about animal families and how animals do – or don't – take care of their offspring.

FT1 – July 10 (ages 2-3) **FT2** – July 14 (ages 4-5)

Educational Service Center of Medina County - Summer Enrichment Program

• Disability: Special Needs students who can benefit from a structured and relevant small group environment

• Ages: K-Grade 3, Grades 4-7, and Grades 8-10

• Address: 124 W. Washington Street

Medina, OH 44256

• Contact: Rachel Krauss, Director of Special Needs Initiatives

• Phone: 330 723-6393 ext. 116

• Fees: Tuition for program is \$1,250 per student – The program must have 9 students enrolled to run this summer.

• Time: 9:00 am – 1:00 pm

Dates: Week 1 – June 12-15, 2017 M/T/W/T Week 2 – June 19-22, 2017 M/T/W/T

Week 3 – June 26-29, 2017 M/T/W/T Week 4 – July 10-13, 2017 M/T/W/T (no class the week of July 4)

Week 5 – July 17-20, 2017 M/T/W/T Week 6 – July 24-27, 2017 M/T/W/T

This program is structured to provide students who struggle with social situations a vehicle to practice social skills within a small group setting and opportunities to generalize those skills in the community. Specific IEP goals can be addressed as well. This program is classroom based three days per week and community based one day per week. Students will receive direct instruction in appropriate social skills, time to practice skills in the classroom environment, and opportunities to demonstrate skills in the community. Instruction is focused on "learning and doing" and features real life social situations. Students will work with an Intervention Specialist and Board Certified Behavior Analyst (BCBA). Occupational therapy will be available through a partnership with ABC Therapy, and speech therapy will be available as well.

At the start of each week, the students will summarize, through group discussion, the events of the preceding week. The discussion will include identification of target skills, student perspective, teacher perspective, and other opportunities for application of skills. Throughout the week students will work cooperatively with each other through turn taking activities, small group projects, and preparation for planned outing.

Parent/Guardian involvement is crucial to the child's social skills development and improvement. The instructor will communicate with parents at the end of each session with a daily report on student participation and behavior through a checklist. At the end of the program the Parent/Guardians will be invited to a luncheon where the students will share the skills acquired and developed during the program.

Expanded Core Curriculum (ECC) Residential Camp

• Disability: Students who are blind or visually impaired

• Contact: Donna Trapani/Ohio State School for the Blind

• Address: 5220 N. High Street

Columbus, OH 43214

• Phone: 614 468-8869

• Website: www.ossb.oh.gov

• Fees: \$25

• Ages: Entering Grades 8-12

• Dates: July 9-14, 2017

ECC Camp will focus on various areas of the Expanded Core Curriculum. Campers will learn to prepare meals and sharpen independent living skills. Campers will learn about standard and accessible technology, and complete educational and fun projects related to all things technology. They will also participate in activities related to vocational skill development, leisure, orientation & mobility, social skills and communication.

Fine Motor Readiness Camp

• Purpose: Develop fine motor skills

• Address: LLA Therapy

33 Milford Drive, Hudson, OH 44236 or 150 N. Miller Road #150-A, Akron, OH 44333

• Phone: 330 867-2240

• Website: <u>www.LLATherapy.org</u>

• Fees: TBD

• Ages: 3 to 5 years

• Time: TBD

• Dates: Wednesday Afternoons – June 14th through August 9th – Fairlawn location

Friday Mornings – June 16th through August 11th – Hudson location

For Campers who need to support developing fine motor skills. Fun and creative multi-sensory and motor activities that include yoga and crafts will be used along with the program "Handwriting Without Tears." These will improve Campers independence with using writing utensils for pre-writing skills; self-help skills as buttons, zippers and snaps; and eye-hand coordination skills like cutting and catching a ball. Led by occupational therapy staff.

Fundamentals for Success (Summer Youth Work Experience) – Residential

• Disability: Vision Impairment

• Contact: Sylvia Snyder

• Address: Cleveland Sight Center

1909 E. 101st St.

Cleveland, OH 44106

• Phone: 216 658-8777

• Website: <u>www.clevelandsightcenter.org</u>

• E-mail: <u>ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org</u>

• Fees: \$8,900.00

• Ages: 16 to 21 years

• Dates: June 11, 2017 to July 14, 2017

Fundamentals for Success (FFS) is a 5 week residential program for 16-21 year olds providing a 20 hour a week work experience and training in activities of daily living, adaptive technology, orientation and mobility, and social skills to prepare the young adult for employment in a competitive integrated setting and teach vocational skills, appropriate work behaviors and basic skills to become independent. This is a "summer youth work experience" option through BSVI (OOD).

Highbrook Lodge Residential Camp

• Disability: Vision Impairment, Multiple Disabilities, Vision Impairment including Blindness

• Contact: Lindsay Lowe-Svarovsky

• Address: 12944 Aquilla Road, Chardon, OH 44024

• Phone: 216 658-8777

• Website: <u>www.clevelandsightcenter.org</u>

• Fees: \$130-\$585 (varies by session)

• Ages: All – infants, children, young adults, adults and families

• Dates: June 19, 2017 to August 6, 2017

Good things are happening at Highbrook Lodge! Cleveland Sight Center Highbrook Lodge welcomes campers of all ages who are visually impaired or blind. Bright Futures is a family camp for children 0-6 years with a disability and their families. Sleep away camp begins with concurrent sessions for children 8-11 years and 12-14 years (who may, if they prefer, be accompanied by sighted siblings), Teen Rule for 15-18 years, and family sessions. Sessions vary in length from weekends to 9 or 10 days.

You will enjoy our maintained facilities, registered nurse on site, well trained staff, beautiful mix of nature, resort, and camping, busy and active program, emphasis on skill development and friendship. Located nearby in historic Geauga County. Highbrook may be your best value for summer camp, for kids, and family.

Joni and Friends - Shawnee Family Retreat

• Disability: All

• Ages: All

• Contact: Joni and Friends, Ohio

• Address: 1181 Noe Bixby Road

Columbus, Ohio 43213

• Phone: 614 861-8920

• Website: <u>joniandfriends.org/Ohio</u>

• Fees: Price varies based on family size. Family of 4 - \$1170. Scholarships are available.

• Dates: Shawnee I – June 26, 2017 to June 30, 2017

Shawnee II – July 24, 2017 to July 28, 2017

At Family Retreat special-needs families receive encouragement and care in the comfort of a safe and accessible family camp environment. They enjoy fun and fully-accessible, age-appropriate activities, along with meaningful conversations with families who understand the challenges of life with disability

Lil' Lighthouse Camps

• Purpose: Promote language, socialization, play and motor skills

• Address: LLA Therapy

150 N. Miller Road Akron, OH 44333

• Phone: 330 867-2240

• Website: <u>www.LLATherapy.org</u>

• Fees: TBD

• Ages: 2 to 5 years

• Time: TBD

• Dates: June 13th through August 10th T,W,Th mornings

For the little lighthouse in your family! Aimed at promoting language, socialization, play and motor skills, this camp was developed by a multidisciplinary team of professionals including speech, occupational, and behavioral (ABA) therapists. Specialized centers will focus on sensory, cognition, fine and gross motor and pre-speech/oral motor skills. Children will participate in circle time, educational play, crafts and snack each day under the supervision of ST and OT staff members.

Little Astronauts Day Camp

• Disability: Students who are blind or visually impaired only

• Contact: Donna Trapani/Ohio State School for the Blind

• Address: 5220 N. High Street

Columbus, OH 43214

• Phone: 614 468-8869

• Website: <u>www.ossb.oh.gov</u>

• Fees: \$25

• Ages: Entering 1st or 2nd grade

• Dates: June 12, 2017 to June 16, 2017

Join us for an exciting week exploring outer space during our Little Astronauts **Day Camp!** We will learn about the earth and its rotation, sun, moon, stars, and planets. Students will learn what it is like to be an astronaut. There will be a field trip to COSI and to the Perkins Observatory in Delaware. There will be hands on activities such as cooking, art projects, music, reading, writing and many fun meaningful experiences for students to participate in.

LLA Explorers Camp

• Purpose: Focus on building communication and social skills

• Address: LLA Therapy

150 N. Miller Road Akron, OH 44333

• Phone: 330 867-2240

• Website: <u>www.LLATherapy.org</u>

• Fees: TBD

• Ages: 5 to 9 years

• Time: TBD

• Dates: June 13th through August 10th T,W,Th mornings

This camp will focus on building communication and social skills while addressing sensory processing and motor planning through play. Children will develop an understanding of appropriate social behaviors through fun activities and learning opportunities, including our daily lunch bunch. Led by speech and occupational therapy staff.

Math and Movement Residential Camp

• Disability: Students who are blind or visually impaired only

• Contact: Donna Trapani/Ohio State School for the Blind

• Address: 5220 N. High Street

Columbus, OH 43214

• Phone: 614 468-8869

• Website: <u>www.ossb.oh.gov</u>

• Fees: \$25

• Ages: Entering grades 3-7

• Dates: July 9, 2017 - July 14, 2017

This program will focus on learning through movement and student involvement. The curriculum for the camp will be based on Ohio's Learning Standards for mathematics, language arts, and physical education. Students will participate in learning activities, which will be reinforced through the concept of total body movement and active participation in the learning process. Camp will include both individual and group activities, featuring aquatic and track and field events.

North Coast Tutoring Services: "The Education Problem Solvers"

• Disability: Autism, Cognitive Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impaired, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or

Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury.

• Contact: Carole Richards, Executive Director - Nikki Locker, Director of Student Services

Address: 31300 Solon Rd., Suite 1, Solon, OH 44139

• Phone: 440 914-0200

• Website: www.northcoasted.com • E-mail: info@northcoasted.com

• Fees: \$50.00/hr. one-on-one (in home or a nearby public location)

• Ages: 5-22 years – also adults

• Dates: Year round, available seven days a week, conveniently scheduled with client and tutor throughout NE Ohio.

Our specialty is helping children in all grades when they get stuck in a subject or course. We have skilled tutors for all subjects and all grades.

We also specialize in basic skills – reading and math. Our curriculum is multi-sensory and systematic. And we are known for working with children with learning differences: learning disabilities, dyslexia, ADHD, cognitive delay, Autism Asperger's Syndrome, PDD and other struggling learners.

When students fall behind, schools and parents sometime find themselves in bitter meetings point fingers and blaming one another. Often we can help resolve these "sticky" situations with our neutral understanding of both sides of the issues. Our goal is to turn these challenges into academic successes.

Why bring North Coast Tutoring into the picture? Because we can provide answers, solutions, and tutors. We provide customized learning plans for each student.

All tutoring is done in your home or a nearby public location. We serve seven northeast Ohio counties. We are an Autism and Jon Peterson Scholarship approved Provider. And, we have many private pay clients.

PASS Camp - Performing Arts Social Skills Camp

• Contact: Beyond Words Center

• Locations: East: Julie Billiart, 4982 Clubside Road, Cleveland, OH

West: Building Blocks, 38530 Chester Road, Avon, OH

South: Beyond Words, 6048 Royalton Road, North Royalton, OH

• Website: <u>www.beyondwordscenter.org</u>

• Fees: Registration and tuition cost for each location available at www.beyondwordscenter.org

• Ages: Kindergarten through Grade 8

• Times: Half Day Camp (K-Grade 3) – meets 9:00 am to noon; Full Day Camp (Grades 4-8) – meets 9:00 am to 3:00 pm

• Dates: Session #1: June 5-9, 2017 Session #2: June 12-16, 2017 Session #3: June 19-23, 2017

Session #4: June 26-30, 2017 Session #5: August 7-11, 2017* *South and West Locations only

Led by board-certified music therapist, PASS Camp offers children Grades K-8 a chance to engage together socially through structured musical experiences. Each week, a different musical project will be developed and completed, with the opportunity to create an overall cumulative project if campers participate in all three weeks. Campers will be organized into groups based on age and ability level, and will engage in fine arts experiences, including social skill opportunities as well as focus on increasing musical awareness.

Rainbow Camp: The Colors of Music, Art & Dance

• Disability: Teens and Adults with Special Needs

• Contact: The Groovy Garfoose Music Therapy Services

• Address: Reinecker's Bakery and Party Center

8585 S. Freeway Dr. Macedonia, OH

• Phone: 440 252-2822

• Website: www.groovygarfoose.com/camp

• Fees: \$100 per camper

Ages: 15 and up

• Dates: June 26-30, 2017 from 4-6 pm daily

The Groovy Garfoose is thrilled to invite you to our 6th annual Summer Camp! Join us as we celebrate the colors of the rainbow creating vibrant music, art, and dance experiences that will immerse campers in color! Campers ages 15 and up of all abilities will explore the beauty, sound and movement of color with music therapists Ellen Antes and Bonnie Hayhurst. Each day's color theme will serve as preparation for a prismatic performance for friends and family on the last day of camp! Learn more and register at www.groovygarfoose.com/camp or call Bonnie at 440 252-2822 with questions.

Richland Carrousel – Fun Activity

• Disability: Accessibility

• Contact: Willie Hunn, Sharon Bishop, or staff

• Address: 75 North Main Street

Mansfield, OH 44902

• Phone: 419 522-4223

• Website: <u>www.RichlandCarrousel.com</u>

• Fees: Admittance is free. Ride tickets start at \$1.00

• Ages: All

• Dates: Open year-round, seven days a week.

This is the first hand-carved carrousel to be built and operated in the U.S. since the 1930's. Our figures are carved in the style of G.A. Dentzel, revered carver of the early 1900's. Open seven days a week. See our gift shop for Ohio and U.S. made products. Ladies Boutique, water globes, carrousels, children's toys starting at 50 cents.

Call our friendly staff for information on birthday parties, weddings, receptions, class and family reunions, home school programs, mother's get-togethers, pot luck luncheons, and celebration of life. Our parties and private rentals are the most economical in the area. Contact us for information on School Group Programs and Scout Patch Program. We do these programs for any group.

SAIL Summer Program (Social, Academic, and Improving Life Summer Program)

• Disability: Mild Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Mild Intellectual Disability, Other Health Impairments, Specific Learning

Disability, Mild Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury, ADHD/ADD, and Mild Developmental Delays

Address: 8848 Commons Blvd., Suite 101, Twinsburg, OH 44087

• Phone: 330 405-8776

• Email: hreiman@peakpotentialtherapy.com

• Website: www.peakpotentialtherapy.com

• Fees: \$2,000 for a 5-week session

• Ages: 8 to 12 years

• Dates: Session 1: May 30 – July 7, 2017 (no camp on June 15-16 and July 3-4)

Session 2: July 10-August 11, 2017

5 weeks/session. Weekdays 8:30 am - 11:30 am

Your child can benefit!

- Learn Life Skills chores, food prep, daily routines, money management, problem solving, shopping, planning, and preparing/using visual schedules.
- Improve Foundational Education Skills organization, study skills, test prep strategies, project planning, using checklists, and time management.
- Increase Social Skills compromise, initiation, conversation, self-advocacy, social media and internet safety, texting safety, and standing up to bullying online and in life.
- Positive Parent Partnership 1 hour a week commitment to carryover your child's skills into the home, and where life happens.

Small group and individualized instruction directed by a certified behavior consultant (BCBA, COBA) utilizing an ABA teaching methodology to meet your child's and family's needs. Plus, you will receive a working binder to facilitate carryover to other settings. This complete 25-day program with parental involvement at home is what every child needs to minimize social, academic, and family life stress and gain more independence. This custom program has limited spots. A maximum of 4 kids are accepted per session. A behavior and skills assessment will be completed to determine qualification.

Funding options include County Boards of DD, Autism Scholarship Program, John Peterson Scholarship, School Districts, and more! Complete our easy, online registration today before it fills!

S'Camp at Old Trail School

• Purpose: Various Programs

• Address: LLA Therapy, 150 North Miller Rd., Akron, OH 44333

• Phone: 330 867-2240

• Website: Go to <u>www.oldtrail.org</u> to register

• Fees: check with LLA Therapy

Led by LLA Therapy Speech-Language Therapy Staff:

Fairytale FantasiesJune 19-23, 2017(ages 4-7)Story tellers SummitJune 26-30, 2017(ages 10-14)Magic School Bus AdventuresJuly 10-14, 2017(ages 6-10)Monkey Around with Curious GeorgeJuly 17-21, 2017(ages 4-6)Seuss SeriesJuly 24-28, 2017(ages 4-7)

Led by LLA Therapy Occupational Therapy staff:

Fine Motor Readiness June 12-16 am (ages 3-5)

Wiggly Writers June26-30 am (ages 5/entering K-8)

The Lost Art of Cursive Handwriting June 26-30 pm (ages 8-11)

S.M.I.L.E. Summer Camp (10th Year; Special Memories Include Laughter and Enrichment Day Camp)

• Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Intellectual Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impairments, Orthopedic

Impairment, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Developmental

Delays.

• Ages: 4-8 years, 9-13 years, and 13-18 years (alternating weekly sessions)

• Contact: Holly Reimann, MA, CCC-SLP, Speech Therapist, Camp Director

• Phone: 330 405-8776

• Email: contact@PeakPotentialTherapy.com

• Website: <u>www.SMILESummerCamp.com</u>

• Address: Peak Potential Therapy, 8848 Commons Blvd., Ste. 101, Twinsburg, OH 44087

• Dates: June-August 2017 (Monday-Friday, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm)

• Fees: \$599/week early registration by March 31st with \$100 deposit then \$699/week.

Therapeutic, community-based, day camp developed for high-functioning children with various disabilities. Children with aggressive behaviors, non-verbal, or with multiple disabilities can attend with support of an individual aide. We want to provide a fun and interactive way to further develop their social skills and have a better summer. Kids are encouraged to use their skills in different settings with small group instruction. Plus they get to interact with typical peers naturally in a fun environment. A different field trip every day! We begin our day at the therapy center then we transport the kids to the field trips, and come back to the center at the end of the day. This may include: Great Lakes Science Center, Cleveland Zoo, Fun-n-Stuff, Twinsburg Water Park, Waterworks, Jump Palace, horseback riding, Roseland Lanes, Zip City, and more. Camp is purposefully kept small so each child will get direct instruction from the speech therapist throughout the day plus have the opportunities to interact with peers. If you cannot attend a full week, then "Camp Suntastic" is good fit for you.

Space is limited to a max of 6 kids per week. Staff includes: a full-time speech-language therapist and camp assistant. Reserve your child's place with a \$100 deposit and complete our easy online registration form. Weekly camp tuition includes daily field trip costs, visual schedules, transition visual supports, social stories, daily data collection on IEP goals, daily communication log, and daily kid's journal. Optional services: progress report, bound social story book, and photo album. We can bill for camp to County Boards of DD, Autism Scholarship Program, Jon Peterson Scholarship, school districts, Anthem, Aetna, SummaCare, and more. Camp Fills – Don't Delay – Register Today!!! If a 3rd party is paying for camp, and funds are confirmed, then no deposit is required.

Special Needs Day Camp

• Disability: Students who are blind or visually impaired with additional disabilities (multiple disabilities)

• Contact: Donna Trapani/Ohio State School for the Blind

• Address: 5220 N. High Street

Columbus, OH 43214

• Phone: 614 468-8869

• Website: <u>www.ossb.oh.gov</u>

• Fees: \$25

• Ages: Entering grades 3-7

• Dates: June 26, 2017 to June 30, 2017

This camp will have hands on activities to work on appropriate social skills for children with multiple disabilities. Children attending this **day camp** will focus on increasing self-esteem, developing appropriate social skills, and engaging academic work. Activities will include music, movement activities, cooking, and lots of fun! Academic and expanded core curriculum for the visually impaired will be addressed through socialization, games, and art. This week will provide opportunities to make new friends and learn new skills!

Sports Residential Camp

• Disability: Students who are blind or visually impaired

• Contact: Donna Trapani/Ohio State School for the Blind

• Address: 5220 N. High Street

Columbus, OH 43214

• Phone: 614 468-8869

• Website: <u>www.ossb.oh.gov</u>

• Fees: \$25

• Ages: Entering grades 8-12

• Dates: June 16, 2017 - June 21, 2017

This camp is designed to provide instructional and recreational opportunities for youth who are blind or visually impaired. Whether they are beginners or working on personal goals, athletes participate at their own level. We provide adaptive equipment to participate in specialized sports, such as a goalball and other types of recreational activities. We instruct campers on the importance of active and healthy living while fostering a team motivational approach to encourage and support! Your child will have fun while staying fit!

Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens – Fun Activity

• Ages: All

• Contact: info@stanhywet.org

• Address: 714 N. Portage Path Akron, OH 44303

• Phone: 330 836-5532 local

888-836-5532 toll free

Website: <u>www.stanhywet.org</u>

• Fees: check website for pricing and details

• Accessibility: Yes

Each year guests visit historic Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens to enjoy the beautiful landscaped gardens and grounds. Many activities appeal to children of all ages and all abilities, including our very popular Play garden (open April-October) and our Butterfly Habitat (open late June-early September) both part of a gardens and grounds admission. Family-friendly special events include the Easter Egg Hunt (0-9years), Father's Day Car Show, Vintage Baseball and our holiday event, Deck the Hall, featuring the Dazzle light show and Gingerbread Land. Visit www.stanhywet.org for pricing and details.

Stars and Stripes Camp

• Purpose: Increase overall communication and social skills

• Address: LLA Therapy

150 N. Miller Road Akron, OH 44333

• Phone: 330 867-2240

• Website: <u>www.LLATherapy.org</u>

• Fees: \$300/week. Buy 5 weeks and get the 6th week for FREE (\$1500 max.)

• Ages: Pre-K through High School

• Dates: Medina location – weeks of: 6/6/, 6/13, 6/27, 7/11, 7/25, and 8/1/17.

Copley location – weeks of: 6/20, 6/27, 7/11, 7/18, 8/1, and 8/8/17.

• Time/Days: 9:00 am - 12:00 pm T,W,Th

This 6-week long camp extends throughout the summer for students to have a place to participate in structured activities in a fun and educational camp-like atmosphere. The main goals are to increase overall communication and social skills. The camp has a 2:1 staff to student ratio which is led by certified educators, speech language pathologists, occupational therapists, physical therapists, and students in training. Each week there is a different theme so campers can participate in any or all 6 weeks of camp. The structure of the camp provides consistent expectations each week.

STEM Residential Camp

• Disability: Students who are blind or visually impaired

• Contact: Donna Trapani/Ohio State School for the Blind

• Address: 5220 N. High Street

Columbus, OH 43214

• Phone: 614 468-8869

• Website: <u>www.ossb.oh.gov</u>

• Fees: \$25

• Ages: Entering grade 8-12

• Dates: June 18-23, 2017

If Science and Math are your thing, come join us at The Ohio State School for the Blind for the 2017 STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math) Camp. This year's camp will focus on Life Science, Ecology, and Biodiversity and will include a multitude of activities related to those fields of Science. Math and Technology will be integrated into the study of Ecology of Ohio. Some of the activities will include an exploration of animals and plants common to Ohio, a study of Ohio's wide variety of ecosystems, hands on activities on the OSSB campus, field trips and much more!

Stepping Stones for Success (Career Exploration) - Day

• Disability: Vision Impairment

• Contact: Sylvia Snyder

• Address: Cleveland Sight Center

1909 E. 101st St.

Cleveland, OH 44106

• Phone: 216 658-8777

• Website: www.clevelandsightcenter.org

• E-mail: <u>ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org</u>

• Fees: \$1,150

• Ages: 14 – 16 years

• Dates: July 17, 2017 – August 4, 2017

Stepping Stones for Success (SSS) is a 3 week commuter Career exploration program designed for the 14 to 16 year olds. Program aspects include: a career interest survey, determination of strengths and needs, job shadowing, tours of businesses, discussions and presentations from employers while learning work related "soft skills." Disclosure of disability to a potential employer, time and money management, problem solving on the job and workplace ethics and behavior are also covered. May serve as an ESY option. This is a "career exploration" option through BSVI (OOD).

Triple Threat Summer Camp

• Contact: Beyond Words Center

• Address: Beyond Words

6048 Royalton Road North Royalton, OH

Registration and early-bird discounts available online at www.beyondwordscenter.org

Website: www.beyondwordscenter.org
 Fees: Tuition is \$750 for all three weeks

• Ages: 6 to 18 years

• Dates: July 17 to August 4, 2017 Monday through Friday

• Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Campers (ages 6-18) rock the fundamentals of musical theater through singing, dancing and acting while focusing on stage direction, character development, improvisation, vocal technique, choreography and PERFORMING! Campers increase their physical control, self-expression and self-esteem, ending with a final performance on the last day of camp!

Wiggly Writers Camp

• Purpose: Improve printing skills

• Address: LLA Therapy

33 Milford Drive, Hudson, OH 44236 or 150 N. Miller Road #150-A, Akron, OH 44333

• Phone: 330 867-2240

• Website: <u>www.LLATherapy.org</u>

• Fees: TBD

• Ages: 5 years/entering K-8

• Time: TBD

• Dates: Wednesday – June 14th through August 9th – Fairlawn location

Friday – June 16th through August 11th – Hudson location

For Campers who need to improve printing skills. Fun and creative multi-sensory and motor activities that include yoga and crafts will be used along with the program "Handwriting Without Tears." Campers will address letter formation, spacing, and line placement while working on improved posture and core strength necessary for good printing. Led by occupational therapy staff.