KIDDIE KAMP



For children ages 3-4 (Child ages 3 by 6/1/2023; pre-K 5 year olds are eligible). **Children must also be toilet trained**.

Program meets Monday-Friday 9:00-11:30 a.m. at The Kangaroo Kids Preschool, 35 Bell Street.

THE PROGRAM

From animals to bugs, to leaves on the trees, we'll create and investigate nature and summer themed activities using books, crafts, songs and games! The program will mainly meet outdoors but have the option to go into the classroom during rain or excessive heath.

THE STAFF

Program is staffed by the Parks & Recreation Department Preschool Director and 2 program staff.

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE

Arrival time is 9:00 a.m. Parent/Guardian will drop-off and pick-up their child at classroom door or designate spot outdoors. You will need to check your child in/out. Not only does this ensure your child will be properly supervised, but Staff look forward to daily contact with each Parent/Guardian. Never drop your child off and leave before greeting a Staff member.

Your child will have had a busy day and be ready to leave promptly at 11:30 a.m. A \$15 late fee will be charged for every 15 minutes your child is picked up late after 11:40 p.m. Written notification is required if someone other than the parent/guardian will pick up the child or if you plan to pick up or drop off at a time other than 9:00 a.m. or 11:30 a.m.

SNACK

A nut-free snack is provided. If your child has a food allergy, you may need to send one with him/her. Because of food allergies, Staff will enforce strict "No food trading/sharing" rules. Instruct your child not to touch trade or share food with anyone else. Please also send a water bottle labeled with your child's first and last name.

WATER FUN DAY

Water Fun Day is always weather permitting. Please send your child to Kiddie Camp that day in their bathing suit. They should also bring a towel and have water shoes (or shoes that are allowed to get wet). We are not able to change children into/out of bathing suits.



WEATHER

Program meets rain or shine! During periods of excessive heat/humidity, send your child with plenty of liquids (water or juice), dressed in appropriate light weight, light color, loose fitting clothing. We will limit strenuous activity, take frequent breaks and do our best to stay indoors or in shaded areas. If you have concerns about your child, please consider keeping them home with high heat/humidity advisories are in effect.

PROTECTION/SAFETY REMINDERS

Proper clothing is important. We request parents send children comfortable shoes or sneakers - no sandals, flip-flops or dress shoes please!

Staff is not responsible for applying sunscreen! Be sure your child comes with long lasting sunscreen already on.

Send a light jacket and rain hats when showers are predicted. In case of rain, we might have rainy day walks and splash crafts!

HEALTH/MEDICAL CONCERNS

If your child has food allergies or medical conditions we should be aware of please be sure you listed it on the form when you registered or email liz.gambacorta@glastonburyct.gov.

If your child is not feeling well we ask that you keep them home. If your child is exhibiting symptoms or diagnosed with COVID 19 or has been in contact with anyone who is exhibiting symptoms of or who has COVID 19, you must contact us immediately so that we may consult with the Glastonbury Health Department on an appropriate protocol.

If your child is on medication, or requires medication in the event of an emergency (diabetic, food allergy, asthma etc.) you must complete and submit an Authorization for Administration of Medication Form to Parks & Recreation prior to the start of Kiddie Kamp. You may also be required to provide a written Treatment Form from your Physician with specific instructions of how and when medication is to be given.

Forms are available at the Parks & Recreation Office or from our website www.glastonbury-ct.gov.

SPECIAL NEEDS

Please make us aware <u>in writing</u>, <u>prior to the start of the program</u> of any other special needs that your child might have.

For more information, contact the Parks & Recreation Office at 860-652-7679.