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- **Online registration starts at 12:00 am on the morning of Saturday, March 7, 2026.**
- Register online at familymuseum.org/registration.
- Registration form is on pages 14-15.
- Children must be age required by June 1, 2026.
- All children must be potty trained. No pull-ups.

For questions call Julie at (563) 344-4170 or email jklein@bettendorf.org



Camps Age 3

- Children must have reached age noted by June 1, 2026.
- Must be potty trained- NO Pull-ups.

Dinosaurs Rock

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 15-19

Time: 9:00-10:30 a.m.

Fee: \$100

How big is a T-Rex? What do they eat? Come explore all things dinosaur! Science and art projects every day!



Dirt Diggers

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 8-12

Time: 9:00-10:30 a.m.

Fee: \$100

Bring your green thumbs and get ready to dig in the dirt! Germinate seeds, grow your own silly grass man, and decorate your own flowerpots too!



Color My World

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 13-17

Time: 9:00-10:30 a.m.

Fee: \$100

Come have some colorful fun and explore the different colors of the rainbow! We will read stories, play with many different sensory materials, mix colors, paint, and go on a color scavenger hunt.



Storytime Adventures! New!

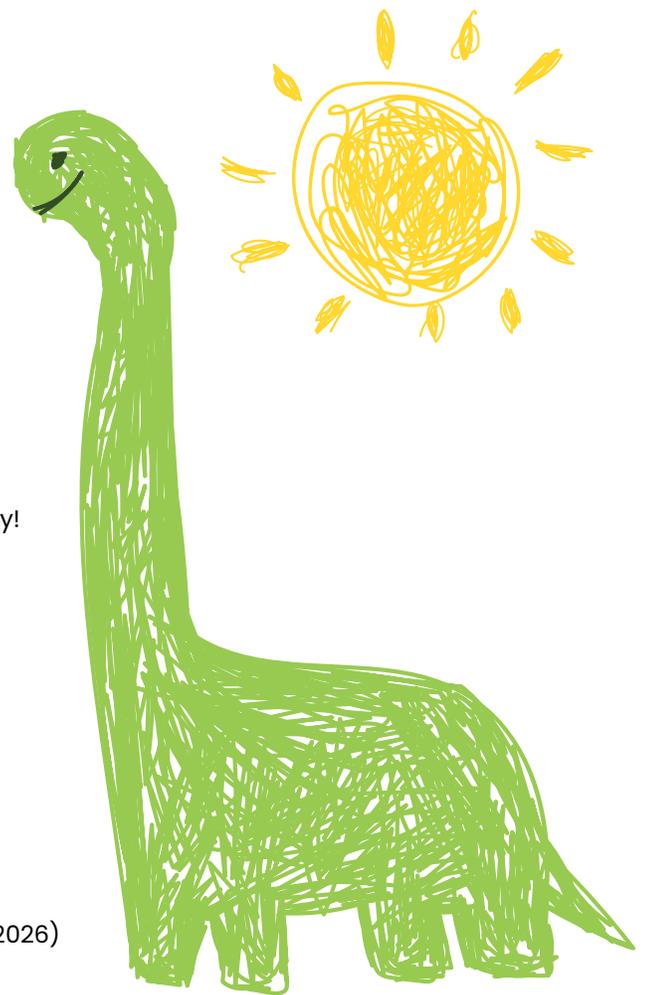
Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 22-26

Time: 9:00-10:30 a.m.

Fee: \$100

Dive into your favorite stories such as *Not a Box*, *Starry the Giraffe*, *The Very Hungry Caterpillar* and more! We will bring these stories to life through art, music, play, and simple retellings. Campers will build creativity, early language skills, and a love of books during this fun filled week!



Dance Camps Age 3

Dance Like the Animals!

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 29–July 2 (Camp runs Monday–Thursday)

Time: 9:15–10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$50

Get ready to roar and practice moving and dancing like the animals! Perfect for littles who love to pretend!

Dress Up & Dance

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 6–10

Time: 9:15–10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

We'll let our imaginations take the lead as we dress up and dance, bringing storybook characters to life! Dancers should wear tights, a leotard or fitted activewear so we can dress up each day!

Boppin' with Bluey

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: Section A: June 8–12

Section B: July 13–17

Time: 9:15–10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Who likes to dance? Bring your favorite stuffed animal friend to dance along with Bluey! Please wear activewear and get ready for lots of movin' and groovin'!

Dynamic Duos New!

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 20–24

Time: 9:15–10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Step into stories of some famous duos as we explore storytelling, music, and teamwork through movement!



Explore Dance: Summer Series!

Mondays, June 15 – July 20 (6 weeks)

Section A: Age 3–4 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Time: 4:00–4:45 p.m.

Fee: \$80

Let your little one twirl into imagination! In this joyful movement class, dancers explore rhythm, coordination, and expression through playful themes that change each week—like animals, seasons, or under the sea. While using their imagination, dancers will develop gross motor skills, musicality, and body awareness. Perfect for first-time dancers who love to move, pretend, and explore!



Creative Movement New!

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 22–26

Time: 9:15–10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Children are invited to move, imagine, and explore through playful stories and engaging activities that build motor skills in a fun age-appropriate way. A great first experience for kids who love to dance!

Sunny Days New!

Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 15–19

Time: 9:15–10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Can you tell me how to get to Sesame Street? Little dancers are invited to wiggle, giggle, and groove with their favorite furry monster friends!



Bunny Ballet New!

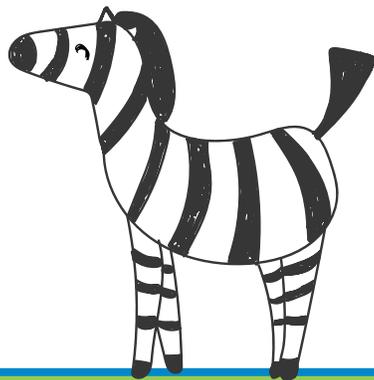
Age: 3 (Must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: August 3–7

Time: 9:15–10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Calling all bunny ballerinas! Let's hop to the beat, wiggle our tails, and show off our best twirls together!



Camps Age 4-5

Let's get Crafty!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 27-31

Time: Section A: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Calling all crafters! Campers will cut, glue, color, and create their way through this week of crafting. They will create special projects each day to bring home.

S'Winter

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 13-17

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

What if Summer and Winter happened at the same time? It would be S'winter! In this camp we will explore summer activities and winter activities, and we'll even try them together!

Bugs and Backyard Animals

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 20-24

Time: Section A: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Do you love bugs and animals you see in your own backyard? Explore various types of creatures, learn how they live, where they live, and why they are important to our environment.

Mix and Make

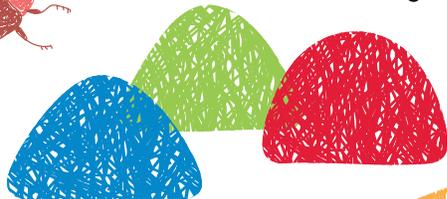
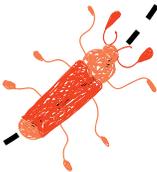
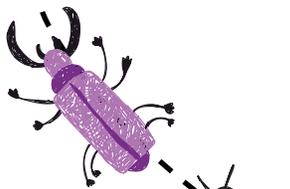
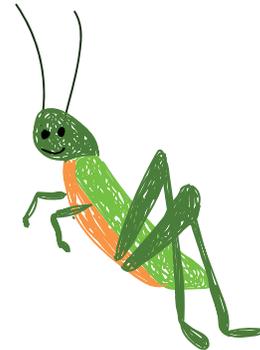
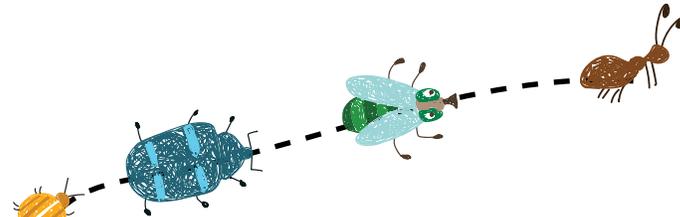
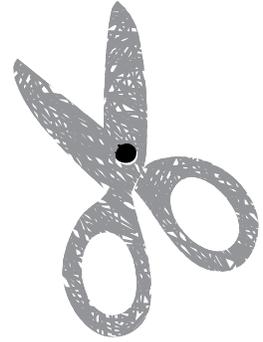
Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: Section A: July 6-10, 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: August 3-7, 9:30 - 11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Mix, mash, roll, pat, mold, sculpt, and more! This tactile adventure is for young scientists and artists who like to get their hands a little messy. Mix your play dough and discover what sticky slimes can be made from ingredients in your kitchen.



Dance Camps Age 4-5

Dress Up & Dance

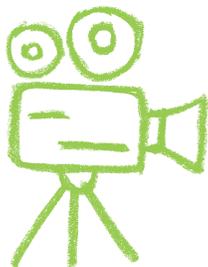
Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 6-10

Time: 10:15-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

We'll let our imaginations take the lead as we dress up and dance, bringing storybook characters to life! Dancers should wear tights, a leotard or fitted active wear so we can dress up each day!



At the Movies New!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 27-31

Time: 9:15-10:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Lights, camera, dance! Let's bring the movies to the dance floor with our imagination, storytelling and movement!

Inside Out

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 22-26

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Let's get in touch with our emotions through dancing! We will spend the week in the world of *Inside Out* and learn about characters like Joy and Sadness as we express ourselves through dance and crafts!



Explore Dance Summer Series!

Classes take place on Mondays for 6 weeks

June 15-20

Section A: Age 3 & 4 (must be 3 by June 1, 2026)

Time: 4:00-4:45 p.m.

Fee: \$80 (for 6 weeks)

Section B: Ages 5 & 6 (must be 5 by June 1, 2026)

Time: 5:00-5:45 p.m.

Fee: \$80 (for 6 weeks)

Let your little one twirl into imagination! In this joyful movement class, dancers explore rhythm, coordination, and expression through playful themes that change each week—like animals, seasons, or under the sea. While using their imagination, dancers will develop gross motor skills, musicality, and body awareness. Perfect for first-time dancers who love to move, pretend, and explore!

MOANA



Moana Dance Camp

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 27-31

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Set sail on an unforgettable ocean adventure with Moana! Join us as we explore the seas, craft your very own flower crown, and dance to the lively island beats. What else can we say except, "You're welcome!"

Boppin' with Bluey

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

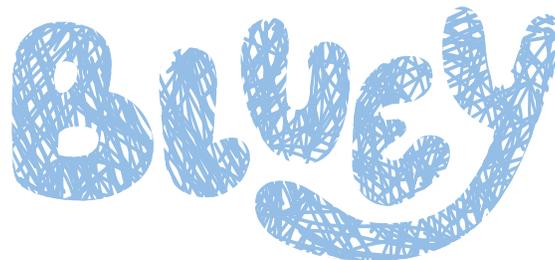
Dates: Section A: June 8-12

Section B: July 13-17

Time: 10:15-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Who likes to dance? Bring your favorite stuffed animal friend to dance along with Bluey! Please wear active wear and get ready for lots of movin' and groovin'!



Fancy Nancy Dance Camp!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 20-24

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Ooh-la-la! Pirouette (that's fancy for spin!) your way into the world of Fancy Nancy as she tries ballet for the first time and goes on a quest for a unicorn! Dress up in your fanciest outfit on the last day of camp for a delicious (that's fancy for yummy!) tea party!

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Dance Camps Age 4-5



Princess Camp

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 15-19

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Enter an enchanted world as we dance to the music and stories of some of your favorite princesses! Design your own crown and wand and finish the week with a Royal Ball! This camp is fit for a princess!

Zootopia New!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 6-10

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Join us in Zootopia- where every little mover can be anything they want to be! This playful dance camp invites young dancers into the vibrant world of Zootopia. Hop like Judy Hopps, groove with cool confidence like Nick Wilde, kids will show off their best animal moves!



Super Mario! New!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 6-10

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Join us for a summer dance camp designed for adventurous 4- and 5-year-olds! Train like Super Mario! Each day kids will jump, crawl, and climb through a fun age-appropriate Super Mario themed obstacle course inspired by their favorite game and movie. Through imaginative play and creative movement, children will build confidence, coordination, and teamwork skills.



Bunny Ballet New!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: August 3-7

Time: 10:15-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Calling all bunny ballerinas! Let's hop to the beat, wiggle our tails, and show off our best twirls together!

Creative Movement New!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 22-26

Time: 10:15-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Children are invited to move, imagine, and explore through playful stories and engaging activities that build motor skills in a fun age-appropriate way. A great first experience for kids who love to dance!

Dynamic Duos New!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 20-24

Time: 10:15-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Step into stories of some famous duos as we explore storytelling, music, and teamwork through movement!

Dance Like the Animals!

Age: 4-5 (Must be 4 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 29-July 2 (**Camp runs Monday-Thursday**)

Time: 10:15-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$50

Get ready to roar and practice moving and dancing like the animals! Perfect for littles who love to pretend!



Camps Age 6-8



Blooming Buddies!

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 29-July 2 (**Camp runs Monday-Thursday**)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$100

Do you have a budding gardener? Grab your trowel and come ready to get dirty! We will learn about planting and harvesting and create unique garden crafts. ***Please wear clothes and shoes that can get dirty.**

Teaching Kitchen

Age: 6-8 years (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

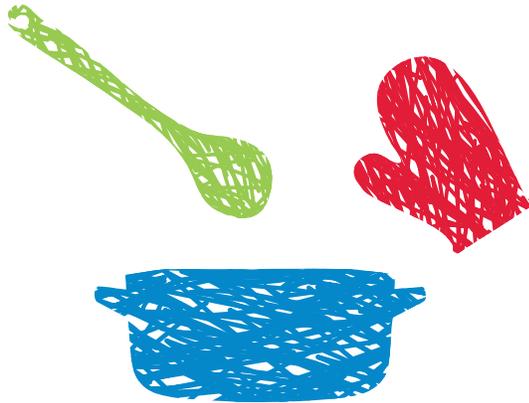
Dates: July 20-24

Time: Section A: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$135

Come cook with us! Measure, slice, cut, mix, taste and learn how to make simple recipes you can do at home with your family! ***Please advise of any food allergies.**



Fairy-topia

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: August 10-14

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Let's create garden fairy houses! Bring magic to your backyard this summer by creating your very own fairy-topia! Bring your imagination to life! We'll use natural resources and recycled items to make your very own fairy masterpiece.

Camp Cupcake

Age: 6-8 years (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

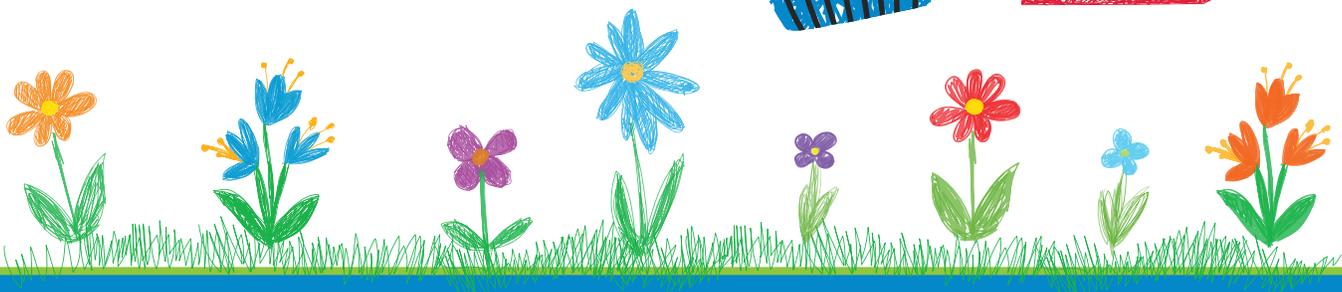
Dates: June 15-19

Time: Section A: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$135

On your mark, get set, Bake! Come bake and decorate cupcakes of all kinds! Campers will even get to plan and design their very own cupcake flavor at the end of the week! ***Please advise of any food allergies.**



Dance Camps Age 6-8

K-Pop Demon Hunters **New!**

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 8-12

Time: **Section A:** 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Dates: August 3-7

Section C: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Join the ranks of Huntrix in this high energy dance camp! Young dancers will move, groove, and shine like K-Pop stars! Campers will learn beginner dance techniques and fun K-Pop-style choreography while exploring rhythm, coordination, and performance skills. Each day will include dancing and themed activities as we build confidence through teamwork in a creative, supportive environment. Be ready to dance in active wear and jazz shoes, or clean tennis shoes.

Wicked For Good

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 29-July 2 (**Camp runs Monday-Thursday**)

Section A: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$100

Step into the magical world of Oz and join us for a week of soaring dance moves and spellbinding fun! We'll explore the unforgettable story of Elphaba and Glinda by creating enchanting crafts and learning dance routines inspired by songs from the hit movie musical. Be ready to dance in active wear and jazz shoes or clean tennis shoes!



Irish Dance Camp **New!**

Age: 6-8 years (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 13-17

Time: 1:30-2:30 p.m.

Fee: \$75

Get your feet moving and your toes tapping as we learn traditional Irish steps, dance to lively music and even explore some Irish culture! No experience necessary, just bring your enthusiasm and get ready to dance like a leprechaun!

Mindfulness Meditation

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 20-24

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Namaste! Campers will learn relaxation and calming techniques using a combination of yoga, meditation and mindfulness. Please come ready to relax in activewear and comfortable shoes!

Ella Bella Ballerina **New!**

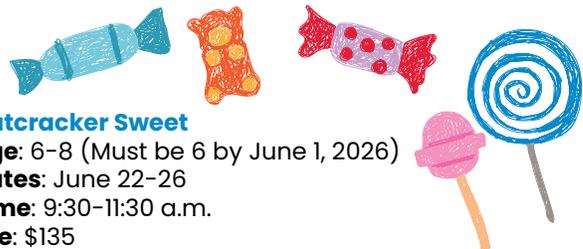
Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 13-17

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Enter the enchanting world of the Ella Bella Ballerina book series! Transport into the classic ballets of Swan Lake, Sleeping Beauty, and The Magic Toyshop! Just like Ella Bella, we will dance like the characters from famous ballets, try on tutus, and create our own props and accessories for a mini performance on the last day of camp!



Nutcracker Sweet

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 22-26

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$135

Join Clara and the Sugar Plum Fairy for a magical ballet journey through the Land of Sweets! We'll dance to the music of The Nutcracker, try on costumes, create props, and make a sweet treat each day! Families are invited to a mini performance on the last day of camp! *** Please advise of any food allergies**

At the Movies **New!**

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 27-31

Time: 10:15-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$65

Lights, camera, dance! Let's bring the movies to the dance floor with our imagination, storytelling and movement!

Explore Dance: Summer Series!

Mondays, June 15 - July 20 (6 weeks)

Section B: Age 5-6 (Must be 5 by June 1, 2026)

Time: 5:00-5:45 p.m.

Fee: \$80

Let your little one twirl into imagination! In this joyful movement class, dancers explore rhythm, coordination, and expression through playful themes that change each week—like animals, seasons, or under the sea. While using their imagination, dancers will develop gross motor skills, musicality, and body awareness. Perfect for first-time dancers who love to move, pretend, and explore!

Camps Age 7+

Sew Fun!

Age: 8-10 (Must be 8 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 8-12

Time: **Section A:** 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Hand sewing is an old and universal art form practiced all over the world. Kids will learn to work with a needle, learn basic stitches, practice sewing a button, be introduced to embroidery with simple designs, and work on an individual creation of their own.

Science: Potions

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

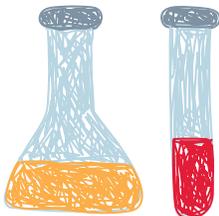
Dates: June 22-26

Time: **Section A:** 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Let's talk potions! What is the difference between a chemical and physical reaction? Mix colors, form crystals, and more! Channel your inner scientist and mix up some inventive potions in this fun and interactive science camp!



Pokémon Power!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Date:s July 27-31

Time: **Section A:** 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Love Pokémon? Then this is the camp for you! Spend the week among other Pokémon enthusiasts as you sculpt, illustrate, play games and be inspired by the creation of some of your favorite Pokémon!

It's Shocking!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 6-10

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

How can your hair stand on end? Perform static stunts, learn about electricity, circuits, currents, switches, and get the low-down on the atom. Science is FUN!



Around the World

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

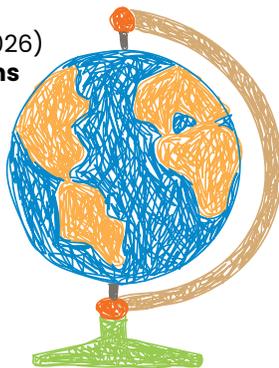
Dates: June 29-July 2 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: **Section A:** 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Section B: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$100

You don't need to get on a plane to travel the world! Campers will explore different countries through cooking, art, music, and more! Learn about the various climates, geography and some history about each country. See how similar and different other cultures are to our own. ***Please advise of any food allergies.**



Take Flight!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: August 3-7

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Discover a flight concept each day. Hot air balloons, helicopters, parachutes, kites boomerangs and much more! Learn about gravity, air pressure, drag, lift and thrust.

Optical Illusions New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 13-17

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Fee: \$125

Seeing is believing... or is it? What is an optical illusion? Campers will experiment with various optical illusions and learn how their eyes work and see images differently. Using color, light and patterns, learn how images can be deceptive or misleading to our brains.

Home Grown Kids! New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: August 10-14

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Fee: \$125

Homegrown Kids is a camp that uses hands-on, nature-based learning where children will explore the joys of simple living, and self-sufficiency through play, creativity, and discovery. Campers will dig into gardening, make homemade goods, and experience good old-fashioned fun! Curiosity and a sense of adventure awaits!

Good Sports New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: August 3-7

Time: 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$100

Let's go TEAM! This camp will focus on teamwork, fun, and playing fair! Campers will enjoy a variety of team building activities, active games, classic games, and more! If you like competition and cooperative challenges, this camp is for you! Kids will learn the value of good sportsmanship, respect, and having a positive attitude!

Unplugged Fun! New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 15-19

Time: 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$100

Step away from those screens and jump into some hands-on fun! Play games, participate in relay races, plus try your wits at a variety of board games that promote teamwork and creativity. We will also have themed activities to bring out your creative juices! This camp is full of energy with movement, imagination and classic summertime fun!

Dance Camps Age 7+



In Our Dancing Era: Taylor Swift Dance Camp

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 15-19

Time: 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$100

Explore the Eras of Taylor Swift through dance! Each day we will complete a thorough warm-up, learn technique, and dance routines based on a different Era. Dancers are encouraged to dress to theme and to wear jazz shoes and/or clean sneakers.



Irish Dance Camp **New!**

Age: 9-12 years (Must be 9 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 13-17

Time: 2:45-3:45 p.m.

Fee: \$75

Get your feet moving and your toes tapping as we learn traditional Irish steps, dance to lively music and even explore some Irish culture! No experience necessary, just bring your enthusiasm and get ready to dance like a leprechaun!

Broadway Dance Camp

Age: 9-12 (Must be 9 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 27-31

Time: 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$100

Learn choreography of some of Broadway's most exciting shows! We'll tap dance about tomorrow like Annie, chase into the savannah of the Lion King, and seize the day like the Newsies! Campers should wear active wear, clean tennis shoes, or jazz shoes.

Hip Hop Dance Camp! **New!**

Age: 12-16 (Must be 12 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 22-26

Time: 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$100

Are you interested in trying hip-hop, or building your skills? In this camp, older dancers have the opportunity to drill foundational hip hop grooves, basic footwork, and practice learning choreography. Whether you're new to dance or just looking to try a new style, this camp is a great way to get started! **Please wear clean sneakers.**

Fancy Feet: Ballet & Tap! **New!**

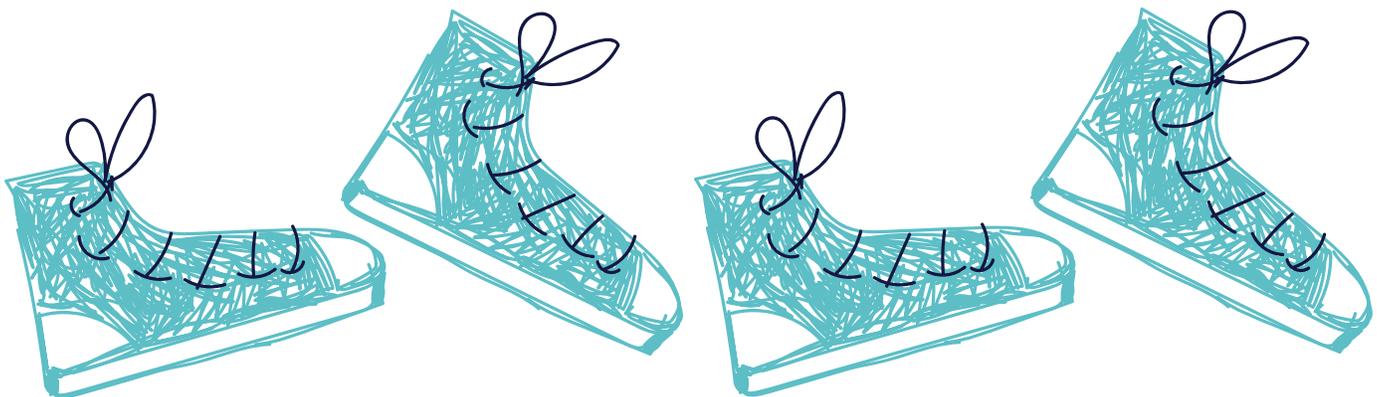
Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 20-24

Time: 1:30-3:00 p.m.

Fee: \$100

Begin ballet and try tap! We will learn ballet basics and functional tap skills, perfect for beginners who want to experience what dance classes are like! Wear active wear or tights and a leotard, dancers will also need ballet and tap shoes.



ART ACADEMY at the FAMILY MUSEUM

Age 6-8

Intro to Drawing & Sketching

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: July 6-9 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Challenge your inner artist to put the world around you to paper. Gain confidence in your sketching and shading skills and learn how to make drawings that come to life.

Painting 101

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: June 8-11 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

There are so many wonderful ways to create with paint! Artists will learn new painting techniques with watercolor and acrylic. These techniques will be used to paint landscapes, animals, flowers, and more.

Pet Lovers

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: July 27-30 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Love your pet(s)? Create all sorts of fun artwork to celebrate them in this class. Projects will include drawing your pet's portrait, sculpting them in miniature, and designing accessories for them.

Jewelry Making - New!

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: August 10-13 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Design and create a variety of bracelets, necklaces, earrings, and keychains to make some stunning wearable and fun pieces. Let your imagination shine.

Under the Sea - New!

Age: 6-8 (Must be 6 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: August 10-13 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

The ocean is full of surprising and interesting creatures! In this camp, artists will explore some of the wonders of the ocean through various art projects. Join us to print, paint, and sculpt creations inspired by creatures of the sea.

Age 7-10

Intro to Drawing & Sketching

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: June 8-11 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Challenge your inner artist to put the world around you to paper. Gain confidence in your sketching and shading skills and learn how to make drawings that come to life.

Plein Air Painting

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: June 15-18 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Combine a love of nature and art by painting in the great outdoors. We will step outside with our easels and learn how to paint the landscape in front of us!

Cartooning & Illustration

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: June 29-July 2 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Bring your own cartoon character to life in your very own comic. Cartoonists will learn the basics of character design, practice storytelling, and experiment with cartoon lettering.

Food & Art

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: July 20-23 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Bon Appetit! A camp for artists who are inspired by delicious foods and snacks. We will cook up projects like clay food magnets, donut painting masterpieces, and crafty cookie decorating.

Squishmallow 101

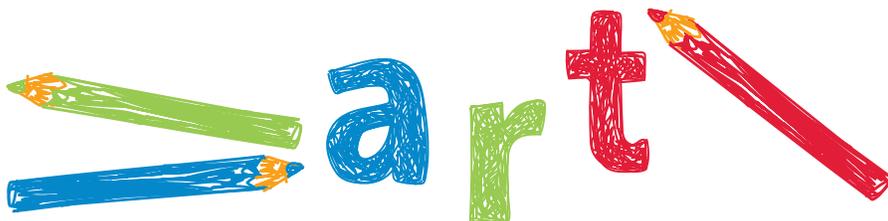
Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: June 15-18 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Have your favorite Squishmallow tag along to camp as we use these loveable plushies as the subject of drawings, sculptures, and paintings. We'll also learn some basic sewing techniques to design and sew our very own Squishmallows.



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ART ACADEMY

at the FAMILY MUSEUM

Age 7-10

Age 9-12

Interior Design - New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: August 3-6 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Live the week as an interior decorator! Artists will learn how to design a room layout, plan color schemes, and then, create miniature models of their dream rooms. A variety of sculpting materials will be used to make mini furniture, artwork, and more!

Beginner Crochet - New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: June 22-25 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Pick up a new hobby this summer by learning to crochet. We'll start by learning how to hold a hook and yarn and create small projects to understand basic crochet language and skills. No experience needed, just a willingness to try something new and get creative with yarn!

Create Your Own Board Game - New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: July 20-23 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Turn your board game idea into a playable reality. Determine a theme, design a game board and pieces, and develop rules to make a one-of-a-kind game ready for family game night!

Homes, Buildings, & Skylines - New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: July 13-16 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Have you ever wondered how to draw 3D? We will learn how to draw in perspective and how to make our drawings of homes, buildings, and skylines look real! Inspired by architecture, we will create a variety of projects.

Patterns & Prints - New!

Age: 7-10 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: June 22-25 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

There are so many fun and interesting ways to create colorful art through printmaking! In this class we will make our own carved stamps, design a custom t-shirt, and transform items collected from nature into beautiful prints.

Squishmallow 102 - New!

Age: 9-12 (Must be 9 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: July 6-9 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Take your love of Squishmallows to the next level! Bring your favorite Squishmallow to camp as we use these loveable plushies as our inspiration. We'll learn sewing techniques to design and sew our very own Squishmallows and new accessories for our fuzzy friends. **(For any artist who is 9-12 years old or those who took Squishmallow 101 last summer.)**

Junk Journaling - New!

Age: 9-12 (Must be 9 by June 1, 2026)

Fee: \$135

Dates: July 27-30 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Try out one of the most popular, new craft trends in junk journaling. It combines scrapbooking and recycling to create unique and sentimental journal spreads. Journal will be provided along with all other camp supplies.

Designing Denim - New!

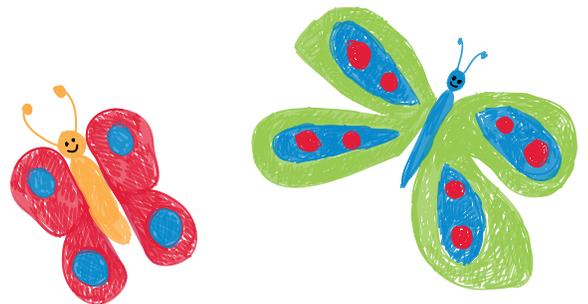
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Fee: \$135

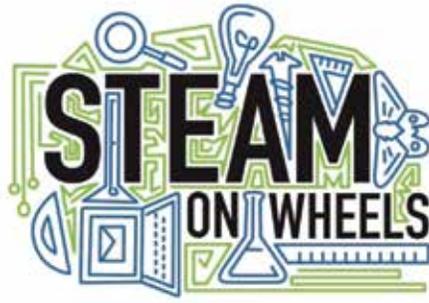
Dates: July 13-16 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 1:30-3:30 p.m.

Re-imagine denim as wearable art. In this camp, artists will use denim fabric to create something new. We'll finish up the week by designing and painting custom jeans. **Required - A pair of jeans must be brought on the first day.**



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Minecraft Engineering Challenges

Age: 7-12 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 8-11 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Students learn how to 3D model a Minecraft Creeper in Tinkercad, build Minecraft themed minifigure kits, and complete engineering challenges inside Minecraft on tablets. Students also work through simple Minecraft themed math problems.

3D Pen Design Lab

Age: 7-12 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 15-18 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Grab a 3D pen and bring ideas to life in three dimensions. Students sketch, build, and create hands on projects while learning how 3D design works.

Virtual Reality Camp

Age: 8-12 (Must be 8 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 22-25 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Students explore virtual worlds, create digital spaces, and solve interactive challenges using VR technology while blending art, science, and problem solving.

Mini STEAM Adventure

Age: 7-12 (Must be 7 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 29 - July 2 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Students design, build, and decorate hands on projects using 3D pens and eco friendly crafts that connect creativity with real world STEAM ideas.

Animation Exploration Camp

Age: 10-14 (Must be 10 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 6-9 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Students create their own animations and try a new style each day including frame by frame, pixel art, 2D digital, and video animation. Students go home with multiple finished animations.

Virtual Reality Camp

Age: 8-12 (Must be 8 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 13-16 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Students explore virtual environments, complete digital challenges, and build problem solving skills using hands on VR activities.

Hands On Build and Puzzle Studio

Age: 8-12 (Must be 8 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: June 20-23 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Students design large scale buildings and mechanical style puzzles using laser cut components. Activities include pentomino puzzles, Tetris style building blocks, and VR puzzle challenges to build spatial reasoning, logic, and problem solving skills.

Among Us STEAM Camp

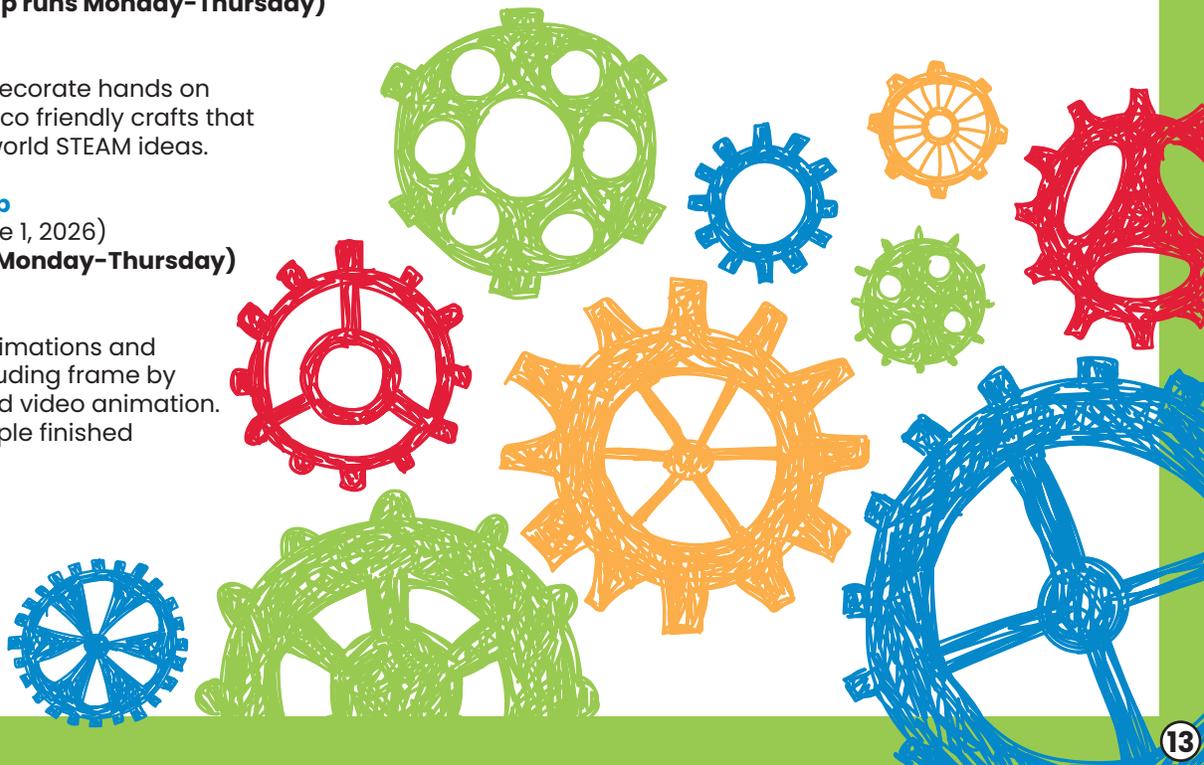
Age: 8-12 (Must be 8 by June 1, 2026)

Dates: July 27-30 (Camp runs Monday-Thursday)

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Fee: \$130

Students work together to solve space themed missions and puzzles inspired by Among Us. This camp builds teamwork, logic, collaboration, and critical thinking through hands on STEAM challenges.



Registration Form 2026

Adult's Name: _____ Primary Phone: _____ Secondary Phone: _____

Address: _____ City/State/Zip: _____ Email: _____

Student's Name	Gender	Age	Birth Date	Class Name	Section	Fee

Please note here if there is anything you would like us to know about your child. This might include special needs, allergies, dietary restrictions, medications, etc.

Please read the waiver which accompanies this form. The City of Bettendorf requires this waiver be signed before participation in a City sponsored activity. If the waiver is not signed, your child will not be allowed to participate. If you are signing for a minor, both parents must sign. In case of a single parent home, the custodial parent must sign. Please include signed waiver with registration.

Registration starts Saturday, March 8, 2025

Two Easy Ways to Register

1. Register Online

Visit familymuseum.org/registration and search for the camp you want to sign your child up for. **Registration for camps will begin at 12:00 am on the morning of March 7.** Full payment is due at time of registration.

Camps are registered through the City of Bettendorf.

2. Mail It In

Mail-in registration must be postmarked no earlier than Saturday, March 7, 2026.

Family Museum ATTN: Registration
2900 Learning Campus Drive
Bettendorf, Iowa 52722

Please sign me up for the Family Museum e-news weekly newsletter for the most up-to-date Museum information. I have included my email above.

For class cancellations, families may choose to either have class credit applied to their account or receive a refund minus 10% processing fee. Cancellation by parents for classes must take place by noon on the Friday prior to the first day of class. For cancellations made by the Family Museum, families may choose to have class credit applied or to receive a full refund.

Classes at the Family Museum may be suspended immediately without notice because of unforeseen events such as closure due to weather, teacher illness, government action, epidemic or pandemic, fire, or any other event beyond the Family Museum's control. These events will not entitle the parent(s) or guardian to a tuition refund or class credit.

We do not keep credit cards on file; please fill out completely even if previously enrolled.

FOR CREDIT CARD USE Circle one: Mastercard Visa Discover AmEx

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Expiration Date _____ / _____ **CVV:** _____

Cardholder name (print) _____

Release, Waiver, and Hold Harmless Permission to Participate

THE CITY OF BETTENDORF REQUIRES THIS FORM BE SIGNED BEFORE PARTICIPATION IN A CITY SPONSORED ACTIVITY. IF THIS FORM IS NOT SIGNED, YOU OR YOUR CHILD WILL NOT BE ALLOWED TO PARTICIPATE. IT IS A WAIVER OF RIGHTS. **DO NOT SIGN IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS. If you are signing on behalf of a minor, both parents must sign. In the case of a single parent home, the custodial parent must sign. If you are registering your child for class electronically, completion of the registration will be considered your consent and agreement with this document.**

1. You, for yourself and as appropriate on behalf of your child hereby agree to release, waive, and hold harmless the City of Bettendorf, the Bettendorf Community School District, agents, employees, volunteers, and contractors of either entity (Collectively referred to as "RELEASEES") from any and all liability arising from participation in the following activity:

2. This release waives all claims whatsoever, known or unknown, which may arise by virtue of participation in the activity, including injury or death to self, and damage to property, however such claim may arise, including but not limited to breaches of duty (such as breach of the duty of care) and acts of current or future negligence by Releasees, their respective officers, employees, or agents (nonexclusive examples are negligent care, supervision, or control). This release waives any claims whatsoever against the Releasees arising from the actions of any other participant in the activity or any other third party. Further, this release covers all activities immediately before and after participation, including transportation to or from the event, and waiting for rides from City or School facilities after the event.

3. The undersigned further agrees to defend and hold harmless releases, their respective officers, employees, or agents against any claim, cause, loss, cost, or damage whatsoever, including attorney fees, that arises from the above-described activity. This release is specifically intended to indemnify the Releasees from any act of negligence of the undersigned.

4. Participation involves a risk of injury. By signing this form, you represent that you have considered the risks of participation in the activity, have obtained any medical clearance necessary to participate, and are able to participate without harm to yourself or others. You represent you will use any program equipment with care for yourself, other participants, and your surroundings.

5. In the event of injury, program supervisors shall administer basic first aid, and shall summon emergency services via 911. Supervisors are not trained to provide detailed medical care, and shall not, without prior agreement, provide medications. All costs of emergency care are the responsibility of the participant/participant's legal guardian(s). NO INSURANCE IS PROVIDED BY THE CITY FOR INJURY TO PARTICIPANTS. All claims for reimbursement of medical care costs, including emergency transportation, are hereby waived.

6. Parents or others may take audio or video recordings of the participants. The City does not supervise or restrict recordings of public activities by third parties. You agree that photos or videos may be used in promotional materials produced by the City to encourage participation in the activity.

7. You agree to follow all rules of conduct established in conjunction with the activity. Failure to follow the rules will result in your removal from the activity, and you agree that any program fees paid will be kept and not refunded. In the event of a problem while engaged in the activity, notify the activity manager/supervisor.

8. This Release and Hold Harmless is given in partial consideration of your being allowed to participate in the activity described, and binds yourself, your personal representatives, and any heirs or assigns.

I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT CAREFULLY, AND UNDERSTAND IT.
I AM SIGNING THIS FREELY AND WITHOUT RESERVATION OR CONDITION.

(IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS ABOUT THIS DOCUMENT DO NOT SIGN IT. CONTACT AN ATTORNEY TO ASSIST YOU.)

Dated this _____ day of _____, 20_____

_____(signature) _____(print name)
Program Participant

_____(signature) _____(print name)
Parent (if required)

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