

Great Times Day Camp



"A Quality Day Camp for Quality Children"

SWIMMING LESSONS



SWIM INSTRUCTIONS

Each camper receives **three** 45 minute swim periods weekly. All lessons are conducted by our certified instructors in our 2 inground pools. After each child is tested for their swimming ability, small group instruction is provided so that each child learns as much as possible during their time at camp.

RECREATIONAL



RECREATIONAL SWIM

Our **daily** recreational swim time is designated to give the campers the chance to cool off during their stay at camp. All campers have 'free swim' with their age group daily. A strict "buddy check" system is used during recreational swim to ensure camper safety.

Lessons • Swimming • Recreational

NATURE

Nature studies provide our campers with an opportunity to learn more about the environment around them. We use our unique **Tree House** to heighten the experience.



HOCKEY,



BOATING

Boating instruction is done on a weekly basis for children aged 7 and up. Children are taught how to enter and exit a rowboat properly. All participants wear a safety jacket at all times. Lifeguards and instructors are on duty at all times.



SPORTS

All of our sports are handled by our *Sports Specialists!* Our goal is to build confidence in each camper. We offer a non-competitive atmosphere where each child can learn the rules and fundamental skills of each sport.

Campers participate in these activities with their age group. Children have two sports periods each day. Fifteen minutes of each period is spent learning the rules and skills as a group. This offers both the novice and experienced the opportunity to strengthen their knowledge and confidence in a particular sport.

- Soccer
- Volleyball
- Newcomb
- Football
- Ropes Challenge
- Gymnastics
- Dodgeball
- Track
- Street Hockey
- Karate
- Softball
- Kickball
- Archery
- Tennis
- Basketball
- Field Hockey
- Baseball
- Miniature Golf
- Ga Ga



Nature • Sports • Boating

ARTS-n-CRAFTS



Children have **Arts-n-Crafts** each day with their age group. All projects are 'hands on' activities where the children learn about numerous materials and mediums.



COOKING

This activity gives children the opportunity to **cooperate** in the making and eating of many fun filled snacks.

CREATIVITY

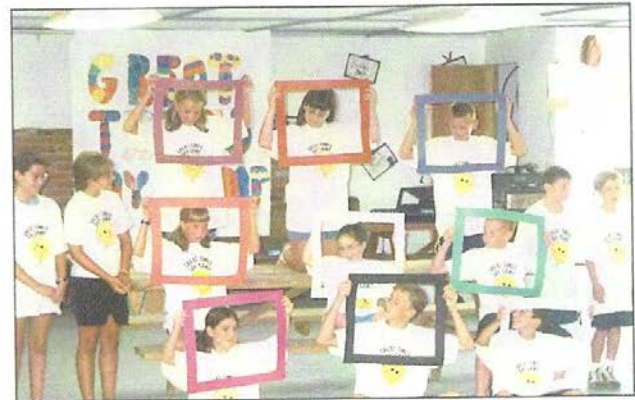


Through the use of Plays and other Creative Activities we help the children to explore and expand their own personalities. Each camper gains the invaluable experience of participating in these non-competitive activities.



TALENT SHOWS

Our Talent Shows vary from large group activities to individual performances. The show gives each camper the opportunity to Shine!



Arts-n-Crafts • Creativity • Talent Shows • Cooking • Woodworking

TRANSPORTATION

Door to door transportation at *No Extra Charge!!* Great Times Day Camp will provide door to door transportation for each camper whenever possible. Our transportation system consists of both large school buses and mini-vans. All of our vehicles have seat belts available for every camper.

BUS COUNSELORS

Bus Counselors will be provided on all large school buses. Their duties will be to assist the children in finding and maintaining their seats during the ride to and from camp.

OPEN DOOR POLICY

Our policy is to extend to our campers' parents an invitation to visit camp any day that camp is in session. We have an open door policy for every day of operation. So, please stop in anytime and watch us having a **Great Time!**

FREE LUNCH

All children attending camp will have a nutritional lunch available to them daily. Our menu will include pasta, hotdogs, pizza slices, chicken nuggets, fruit, vegetables and juice. Children may bring lunch if you choose. Either way, drinks will be provided free.

CAMP BAG & CAMP SHIRT

Each camper will receive a **Great Times Day Camp** tote bag free of charge his/her 1st year in camp. Camp Shirts are given to each child free of charge on their 1st day of camp each summer. **Camp shirts must be worn on trip days.** Extra bags and shirts may be purchased for \$10.00 each.

CHANGE FEE:

Schedule changes may be made whenever possible. Such changes must be confirmed in writing. There will be a \$50.00 charge for any adjustments made after June 1st. This charge will apply to daily attendance, transportation, and week changes.

SNACK

Children receive snacks free of charge at the end of each camp day. Snacks vary daily from fruits, pretzels, cookies, ice pops, ice cream, and more...

EXTENDED HOURS PROGRAM

Great Times Day Camp offers extended care at no charge! Parents may drop off their children as early as 7:30 a.m. and/or pick them up as late as 6:00 p.m. at the Winslow Campus. This extended Hours program is open to all children who attend Great Times. *For pick-ups after 6:00 p.m.* there will be a \$20.00^{1/2} hour charge per child.

OPTIONAL ACTIVITY: OVERNIGHTERS

Each session, children (6 yrs. old and older) are invited to spend an exciting evening camping out with their friends and counselors. Activities include: hiking, fishing, games, campfire cooking and much more!!! There is an additional charge for this evening.

MEDICAL FORMS

Will be required of all campers prior to their start at **G.T.D.C.** Forms will be issued upon receive of deposit and enrollment form.

AGE GROUPS:

Children are grouped according to age and grade level. All activities are structured within each age group.

RETURNED CHECKS:

There will be a charge of \$20.00 for each check returned by the bank.

REFUNDS:

No refunds can be made in case of absences. Prior to May 15th, 100% of tuition (minus deposit) will be refunded upon written request. After May 15th no refunds/credits will be issued.

GREAT TIMES DAY CAMP



You might like to know:

Can I visit camp?

Yes, you may visit any day that camp is in session. If you would like to visit before camp begins we have two Open Houses each spring. Call the office for the exact dates.

What if my child won't eat the lunch being served?

Peanut butter and jelly sandwiches are offered as a substitute every day.

Is there a nurse at the camp?

Great Times has a camp nurse on duty at all times.

How do I find out how my child is doing at camp?

You can call the office and request to have your child's counselor call you during the evening or you can visit camp to speak with him/her in person.

Is my child's camp tuition due all at once?

No, a deposit (\$200.00) is required to reserve a space for each child. The remaining tuition is spread out in three payments over the course of the spring. All tuition must be paid prior to June 15th.

Does my child have to attend all the trips?

If for some reason you would like your child to miss a trip, you may do so by submitting a letter or by calling the office. He/she can still attend camp on that day and spend the day with another group.

Should I send spending money to camp?

You may want to send some money to the trips for snacks or souvenirs, however, all entrance fees, etc. are paid for through your tuition. We do have a snack bar at camp for children who would like to purchase an additional snack during the course of a typical day.

How are the activities handled for shy or non-interested campers?

All children are encouraged to participate in all camp activities. One of the major benefits in having mature and professional staff is that through their encouragement and nurturing, most campers learn to participate in part of each activity.

What are the camp hours?

Camp is in operation 9:15 A.M. to 3:30 P.M. Times for pick-up and drop off vary according to your location.

Transportation • Lunch • Policies

TYPICAL DAY

Lower Camp

(Preschool thru 1st)*

- Swimming — 3 lessons per week (pool)
 - Daily free swim
- Sports — Daily
- Arts-n-Crafts — 2 lessons per week
- Nature Studies — 2 times per week
- Rest/Storytime — Daily
- Cooking — 2 times per week
- Playground — Daily
- Music — 2 times per week
- Snacks — 2 times per day
- Horsemanship — 2 times per week
- Trip — Weekly

Middle Camp

(2nd, 3rd and 4th Grades)*

- Swimming — 3 lessons per week (pool)
 - Daily free swim
- Sports — Twice per day
 - (Instructional as well as recreational)
- Arts-n-Crafts — 2 lessons per week
- Nature Studies — Weekly
- Boating — Twice per week
- Archery — Weekly (3rd grade and up)
- Cooking — Weekly
- Creativity — Weekly
- Tennis — Weekly
- Trip — Weekly
- Ropes Course — Weekly

Upper Camp

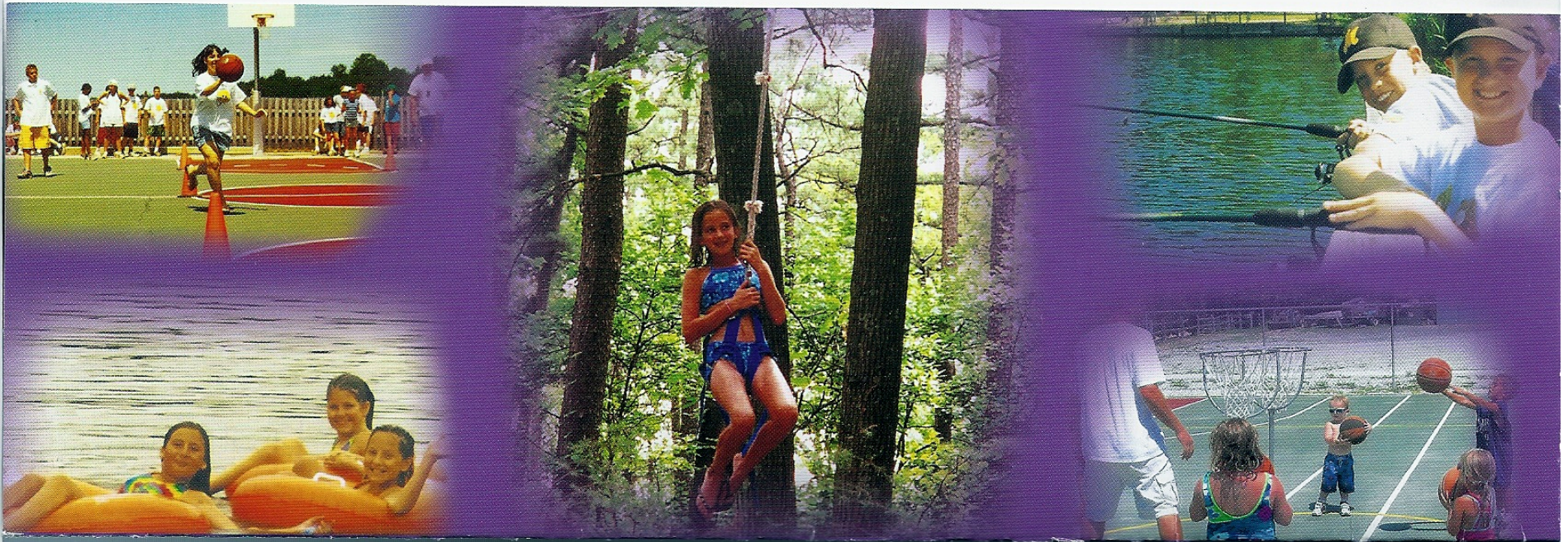
(5th Grade and up)*

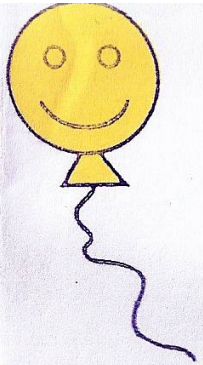
- AM Only
 - Swimming
 - Sports
 - Arts-n-Crafts

PM (Choice)

Each camper entering 5th grade and up has the opportunity to choose his/her activities for each PM. Choices include: Boating, Fishing, Competitive Sports, Tennis, Archery, Cheerleading, Aquatic Sports, Journalism, Woodworking, Cooking, Creativity, Music, Nature, Talent Shows, Ropes Course, Zip Line...

*Campers are placed in groups with children of the same grade level. Within each section of camp there are numerous groups for each age group.





GREAT TIMES DAY CAMP

55 Acres of Fun!

- Ages 3 to 15
- Arts and Crafts
- Archery
- Baseball
- Basketball
- Boating
- Craft Barns
- Climbing Wall
- Fishing
- Hiking Trails
- Lacrosse
- Lake Front
- Music and Drama
- Overnight
- Playgrounds
- Pony Rides
- Pools
- Riding Trails
- Rope Course
- Soccer
- Swimming
- Tree House
- Tubing
- Volleyball
- Water Park
- Woodworking

Corporate Picnics
Ample Parking!

