



# Summer Day Camp 2010

## Passport to Fun!



Weekly Theme	Specialty Weeks: Explorer Camp & Voyager Camp	Specialty Weeks: Camp Safari & Camp Quest	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>June 1-4</b> <i>South Africa</i>			(closed)	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	Tiger Safari
<b>June 7-11</b> <i>Italy</i>	Sports World Wearable Art	ARTrageous Mini Chefs	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Hilarious Hair Day</b>	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	Martin Nature Park
<b>June 14-18</b> <i>Mexico</i>			Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Wacky Water Day</b>	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	OKC Zoo
<b>June 21-25</b> <i>Scotland</i>	Mini Chefs Martial Arts - \$5	Wearable Art Martial Arts - \$5	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	USA Screen Printing
<b>June 28 – July 2</b> <i>USA</i>	Cheer/Dance Ooey Gooley	CSI Kids Playground Sports	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Crazy Hat Day</b>	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	Frontier City \$7 fee
<b>July 5-9</b> <i>Japan</i>			Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Wacky Water Day</b>	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	Science Museum
<b>July 12-16</b> <i>Australia</i>	Playground Sports ARTrageous	Star Struck Ooey Gooley	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	Reno Swim & Slide
<b>July 19-23</b> <i>Antarctica</i>			Swim at YMCA <b>*Ice Cream Eating Contest</b>	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	Arctic Edge Ice Skating
<b>July 26-30</b> <i>Romania</i>	Mini Chefs Ooey Gooley	Sports World Mini Chefs	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Color Wars</b>	Bart Conner Gymnastics
<b>August 2-6</b> <i>Parade of Nations</i>			Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA	Swim at YMCA <b>*Wacky Water Day</b>	Swim at YMCA <b>*Talent Show</b>	Carnival at YMCA

**\*Please note that all campers must be present by 9:00 each day. After that time, campers will not be permitted to stay.**



Vacation Camp days available May 27-28 and August 9-13.

See reverse side for more information.



## Special Notes

(for frequently asked questions!)

**Group Activities** – Campers will spend most of each day with their specific camp, rotating between activities that include arts and crafts, new and exciting games, nature activities, small group discussions/activities related to our character values (caring, honesty, respect, responsibility) and much more. All-camp activities are for everyone at the same time and include water days, camp opening/closing, camp songs and stories, awards, and special events. New for this year will be **Color Wars!** Each week campers will participate in friendly, fun-spirited competitions. Teams will earn points for everything from showing camp spirit and enthusiasm to sports and fun challenges.

**Field Trips** – We utilize Oklahoma City school buses for all field trip transportation. Staff are not permitted to transport campers in personal vehicles. We encourage parents to accompany their children at any time and/or help to chaperone on our field trips. An OSBI background check will be required for anyone that wishes to chaperone a group of campers other than their own children.

**Attire** – Campers should be dressed in cool clothing with closed-toe shoes. No flip-flops or open-toe sandals are permitted other than during water activities. Many camp activities have the potential to be messy, so new clothing and shoes are not recommended. We want campers to experience all that camp has to offer, and that often means having the freedom to get dirty. Camp t-shirts will be required on all field trip days. If your child is not wearing the current camp shirt on field trip days, we will provide a new one and charge your account.

**Sunscreen and Water** – All campers will be outside each day. Please apply sunscreen before bringing your child to camp. We take time during the day to re-apply sunscreen, so please pack a small bottle with your child's belongings. Please refer to the parent handbook for our sunscreen policies. Because most days are hot, we highly recommend sending a water bottle with your child that can be refilled throughout the day. Carbonated drinks can dehydrate the body. We will encourage drinking water instead of sodas and other sugary drinks.

**Swimming at the YMCA** – Campers have the opportunity to swim at the YMCA every Monday through Thursday at designated times. Campers wishing to swim in the deep end must pass a swim test and receive a special wristband. Only those wearing the swim band are allowed in the deep end of the pool. Campers that do not pass the swim test, and cannot reach the bottom of the shallow end, will be required to wear a lifejacket (provided by the YMCA). Certified lifeguards will be guarding the pool, while camp staff will be in the water. Everyone will be required to take a quick shower before entering the pool area. This helps us to keep the water clean and at the proper chemical balance. Please send a swimsuit and towel each swim day. Campers that do not wish to swim will have alternate activities provided.

**Swimming at Reno Swim and Slide** – During the field trip to the Reno Swim and Slide, only campers who have previously passed a swim test in camp will be allowed in the deep end. YMCA staff will be in the water and walking around all swim areas. Please send a swimsuit, towel and sunscreen.