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# 2019 Camp Information Compiled by: Sooner SUCCESS Tulsa/Rogers Counties

Note: This document is for informational purposes only. Please check with each camp to verify information, costs, requirements and dates.

Caregivers may be eligible to help offset costs for camp if they qualify for the Lifespan Respite Voucher program. For more information about the respite voucher visit: <a href="https://soonersuccess.ouhsc.edu/Services-Programs/Respite">https://soonersuccess.ouhsc.edu/Services-Programs/Respite</a> or call:

405-271-5700 ext, 47801

# **Able Kids Therapy Summer Camps and Day Camps**

(918) 622-6599

ablekidstherapy@yahoo.com

http://www.ablekidstherapy.com/

Please see website for specific info

Able Kids Therapy a small pediatric therapy clinic that specializes in working with children who have problems with sensory information processing, gross and fine motor coordination, handwriting, communication (verbal and non-verbal) social and emotional abilities. They work primarily with autism spectrum disorders but have a wide variety of experience.

# **ACI Summer Day Camp**

(405) 513-8000

http://www.autism-concepts.com

Please see website for specific dates

Vocal kindergarten through middle school children with emerging play and social skills are welcome. Trained ABA therapists will be working with small groups of children, including typical peers. Daily activities include evidence-based age appropriate play skills with visual supports, modeling pro-social skills with peers, daily take home journal, games with rules play, camp crafts, camps snacks, board games, scavenger hunt, and Friday field trips.

**Adaptive Sports Center** 

(970) 349-5075 ext: 108

larissa@adaptivesports.org

http://www.adaptivesports.org/

Please see website for specific dates

Adaptive Sports Center (ASC) is a non-profit organization located in Crested Butte, CO that provides life-enhancing year-round recreational activities for people with disabilities and their families.

### **Bridges Summer Camp**

(918)592-3333

tsummers@thebridgesfound.org

Please see website for specific dates

Bridges Summer Camp is designed for children and young adults, ages 10-21, with moderate to mild developmental disabilities. The camp is held in Lacy Park in Tulsa.

### **Camp Aldersgate**

(501) 225-1444

info@campaldersgate.net

https://www.campaldersgate.net/Programs/summer-camps

Please see website for specific dates

Camp Aldersgate this camp is the only place to really get to know the great outdoors with the latest facilities and as few barriers as possible. They offer camps for children and youth who have conditions such as autism, cancer, muscular dystrophy, spina bifida, cerebral palsy, diabetes, arthritis, asthma, epilepsy, kidney disorders, Down Syndrome, and intellectual disabilities. Hundreds of campers come each year from across Arkansas and surrounding states to enjoy the experience of a lifetime.

### **Camp Barnabas**

(471) 476-8565

http://www.campbarnabas.org/

Please see website for specific dates

For children and teens, ages 7 and up. Camp Barnabas offers acceptance and love to more than 1,500 campers with special needs and chronic diseases. Through adaptive activities, people with physical, intellectual, and/or medical challenges become participants, not observers, in the world around them. They leave Camp Barnabas knowing that they are uniquely created to live lives of ability.

### **Camp Benedictine's Overnight Camp**

(405) 878-5289

 $\underline{http://www.okdrs.org/guide/camp-benedictine}$ 

nidd@nidd.org

Please see website for specific dates

Camp Benedictine's Overnight Camp accepts persons with or without disabilities. Camps are held monthly. Three-day camps, held monthly, provide an opportunity for individuals with developmental delays to engage in recreational, educational, and pre-vocational activities along with other community members. Swimming, basketball, aerobics, volleyball, bingo, drama, arts

and crafts, cultural activities, and concept building activities are offered. Call for camp dates, fees, and application information

# **Camp Blue Hawk**

405-271-2824

CampBlueHawk@ouhsc.edu

Camp Dates: May 31-June 4. Registration opens January 15.

A program of Harold Hamm Diabetes Center, Camp Blue Hawk is a residential camp for children and teens, ages 9-17, with type 1 diabetes. Camp focuses on increasing campers' confidence and diabetes self-management skills, facilitating the development of friendships, and providing respite for families.

# **Camp Cavett**

(405) 271 - 2271

https://www.cavettkids.org/camps

info@cavettkids.org

Please see website for specific dates

Camp Cavett invites any child between the ages of 10-18 that has been diagnosed with a life-threatening or chronic illness to enjoy the free camp each July at Lake Texoma. Though they may have many different illnesses---cancer, heart disease, kidney disease, GI disorders, sickle cell, and lung disease among the most common---together they learn coping skills due to the education process entwined in camp activities. Camp Cavett is a place where these chil-dren can come together and have fun while learning crucial life lessons from one another.

# **Camp ClapHans**

(405) 307-2800

Please see website for specific dates

https://jdmc.org/events.shtml

Camp ClapHans is a new residential summer camp for children with disabilities in Norman. Along with 2 cabins, it has an activity center and an 11-acre lake. There are weekly sessions throughout the summer.

# Camp DaKaNi

(405) 254-2080

Please see website for specific dates

http://www.campdakani.org

info@campfireusa-ok.org

Camp DaKaNi is a life-changing experience for all children. Camp DaKaNi is open to boys and girls (Kindergarten thru 6th grades) and teen and adult volunteers regardless of race, gender, creed, religion, national origin, disabilities, or economic status.

# **Camps Endres and Nohilo**

(405) 843-4386

http://dsok.net/camp-endres/

info@dsok.net

Please see website for specific dates

Camp Endres and Nohilo summer camps for children and teens with diabetes. We know that kids like to come to Camp Endres because of all the fun activities such as swimming, horseback riding, archery, boating, hiking, fishing, climbing The Wall, and Capture the Flag to name a few.

# **Camp Grey Squirrel**

www.campgreysquirrel.org

Please see website for specific dates

Oklahoma's Camp for Kids with Autism Spectrum Disorders, including Asperger's

# **Camp Loughridge Autism Inclusion Program**

(918) 446-4194

registrar@camploughridge.org.

http://camploughridge.org/wedding-venues-tulsa-camp-programs/

Please see website for specific dates

Camp Loughridge this Christian-based summer camp program is designed to give children with autism between the ages of 6-13 a typical outdoor camp experience in an inclusion environment. Camp counselors are trained to assist campers with autism and help them integrate into the general camp population. Camp activities may include swimming, hiking, chapel, team sports, and crafts. There are 8 one-week sessions beginning in June. Each session is limited to 4 campers with autism per session and is filled on a first come first served basis. Scholarships are available.

# **Camp Perfect Wings**

(405) 942-3800

www.bgco.org/campperfectwings

May 30-June 1, 2019

Perfect Wings is a camp created specifically for children ages 8-17 and adults 18 & up with special needs. This camp experiences is largely patterned by Cross Timbers Children's Missions Camp with schedule adjustments to allow time for each child to successfully complete each activities. The children will enjoy archery, BB gun range, crafts, climbing wall, zip line, low ropes challenges, paddle boats, canoeing, and pool games (pool lift is available). Activities will be broken up into 2 larger groups, young campers will be with younger campers and 18 & up will be together.

# **Champion's Special Ministries**

(918)-638-6823 (Broken Arrow)

www.championsspecialministries.org

info@championsspecialministries.org

July 23-27, 2019: M-Th: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m./ Friday: 12:30-8 p.m.

Join Champion's Special Ministries for a fun-filled summer day camp for kids (ages 6+) and adults with intellectual, developmental, or physical disabilities. Day camp activities include: sports & recreation, arts & crafts, dance classes, worship, prayer, Bible studies, family cookouts, themed parties, Water Day, and more!

### **Camp Tumbleweed**

(405) 946-4489

dalerogers@drtc.org

https://www.drtc.org/camp-tumbleweed-2018/

Please see website for specific dates

Camp Tumbleweed is a top quality summer day camp for teenagers and young adults with disabilities in the Oklahoma City area. The camp is located at the Dale Rogers Training Center, lnc.'s main campus in Oklahoma City and has an outside camp area nestled in the trees complete with teepee and a mock campfire!

# **Camp Wildfire**

(405) 271-2271

https://www.cavettkids.org/camps

info@cavettkids.org

Please see website for specific dates

Camp Wildfire is a weekend retreat for children with Spina Bifida. Over 30 campers and 40 volunteers attend the Camp Wildfire each year.

# **City Arts Center**

(405) 951-0000

http://www.cityartscenter.org/

Please see website for specific dates

There are 12 day camps that run from 9am to 4pm over the summer in which kids get hands on experience in nearly every medium of art including clay, acting, painting, puppetry, video production, photography and more.

# **Edmond's Pelican Bay Aquatic Center**

(405) 216 7655

https://www.pelicanbayaquatics.com

Please see website for specific dates

Four swim camps this at Edmond's Pelican Bay Aquatic Center run from 8am to 4:30pm daily, giving kids of various skill levels a chance to learn to swim or improve their technique. Call for dates.

### **Camp Erin**

(918) 587-1200

hello@thegriefcenter.org

https://www.thegriefcenter.org/services/camp-erin/

June 1-3, 2019

Camp Loughridge Tulsa, OK

One in seven children will lose a parent or sibling before they are 20.

Research links untreated grief with depression, struggles in school, drug and alcohol abuse, and death by suicide. Camp Erin is a free, weekend camp for children ages 6 to 17 who are grieving the death of someone close to them. It is a traditional, fun, high-energy camp combined with grief education, peer bonding, and emotional support led by grief support professionals and trained volunteers. Camp Erin Tulsa is part of The Moyer Foundation's national Camp Erin program.

# First Presbyterian Church of Edmond

(405) 341-3602 ext. 333

childcare@fpcedmond.org

www.fpcedmond.org

The First Presbyterian Church of Edmond will be hosting JAM (Jesus and Me) for ages 3-5 on Wednesday nights in June from 6pm to 7pm on the playground of the church. At 7pm parents and siblings are invited to join us for fun and fellowship. We will have singing, activity time, snacks and plenty of play time. Reservations are requested by emailing or by calling. Please let us know if your child is on the spectrum so we can have special helpers on hand.

# Gaylord-Pickens Oklahoma Heritage Museum

(405) 235-4458

https://oklahomahof.com

Please see website for specific dates

Three half day "This is MY Oklahoma" camps from 8:30am to 12:30pm give kids ages 5-11 a chance to do artwork and dig for crystals from the Great Salt Plains. Older kids 12-15 can be "Junior Ambassadors", giving tours and assisting teachers while learning about Oklahoma Heritage.

# Harns Homestead's Territorial Fun Day Camp

(405) 235-4058

https://www.harnhomestead.com/about/

Please see website for specific dates

From 9am to 3:30pm each day of the session, kids in grades 1st through 5the can make arts and crafts, get hands on lessons about agriculture and play games.

Offers events throughout the year for children, young adults, and adults with disabilities.

### **Heart Camp**

(405) 271 - 2271

https://www.cavettkids.org/camps

info@cavettkids.org

Please see website for specific dates

Heart Camp is held in June in the beautiful mountains of northern New Mexico. Each year, 15-20 campers who either have a congenital heart disease or are the recipient of a heart transplant travel to Angel Fire, New Mexico to stay in two gorgeous cabins.

### **Kamp Kidney**

(405) 271 - 2271

https://www.cavettkids.org/camps

info@cavettkids.org

Please see website for specific dates

Kamp Kidney is a 5 day camp for Kidney patients that provides each child the opportunity to meet others who share the problems of diet and fluid restriction and other aspects of a chronic kidney disease.

# **Leadership Camp**

(405) 271 - 2271

https://www.cavettkids.org/camps

info@cavettkids.org

Please see website for specific dates

During Leadership Camp, campers learn how they can use their disease or illness as a positive tool in their lives. Communication and public speaking skills are em-phasized because we feel that it is imperative that campers feel comfortable with sharing their amazing stories.

### **Make Promises Happen**

(405) 282-2811

Please see website for specific dates

http://www.centralokcamp.org/make-promises-happen

heather@centralokcamp.org

Make Promises Happen (MPH), a program of Central Oklahoma Camp & Conference Center, is dedicated to providing outdoor recreational opportunities for individuals with special needs. The program serves individuals, ages 6 and older, with any physical or intellectual disability. Through the support of volunteer counselors, campers leave limitations behind and enjoy fishing, boating, arts & crafts, swimming, archery, dances, talent shows and much more during MPH camp events

# Oklahoma City Museum of Art

(405) 236-3100 ext.

#213

http://www.okcmoa.com

Please see website for specific dates

There will be art camps for ages 5 to 16. Each camp is thematic based on the museum's collection and special exhibitions.

### **Oklahoma City Parks Department**

https://www.okc.gov/departments/parks-recreation

Please see website for specific dates

Summer camps for kids ages 6-12 at three locations.

Sellers Community Center, 8301 S. Villa, (405) 685-3311

Southern Oaks Community Center, 400 S.W. 66, (405) 631-5441

Northwest Optimist Center, 3301 N.W. Grand, (405) 297-3386

### Oklahoma City Zoo

(405) 425-0218

https://www.okczoo.org

Please see website for specific dates

Kids ages 4-11 can take part in different 8am to 12 noon, 4 day camp sessions at the OKC Zoo. The first, "Something's Fishy" lets them discover underwater wonders while the "Peter Rabbit Romp" heads to the woods. Finally, "Heroes in Half Shell" takes a look at the hidden life of turtles.

### Oklahoma Foundation for the Disabled

405-842-6636

http://www.okfd.org

Please see website for specific dates

For adults who have disabilities, the Foundation offers summer field trips, campouts and community outings.

### The Oklahoma School for the Blind (OSB)

(918)-781-8200

http://www.okrehab.org

Please see website for specific dates

The OSB has a summer camp for students who attend public schools during the regular school year. OSB is the resource center for students who are blind or visually impaired in Oklahoma. This camp is offered at no cost to the parent. Specific instruction and activities will be based on the ages and needs of the students who are enrolled. Students will gain new experiences, learn and apply social skills, meet other students with visual impairments.

### Science Museum Oklahoma

(405) 602-6664

http://www.sciencemuseum.ok.org/

Please see website for specific dates

Two educational summer camps from Science Museum Oklahoma run daily from 9am to 4pm during the session. "Pilot's Pursuit" lets kids experiment with parachutes and practice pilot skills while "Science Challenge" involves an in-depth look at how things work.

### **Summer Camp Resources**

(918) 832-8742

http://www.metrofamilymagazine.com/2010-summer-camps-and-activities-guide

Please see websites for specific information

Tulsa Speech and Hearing Association (Tulsa)

### **YLF - Youth Leadership Forum**

(405)521-4984

Please see website for specific dates

staff@okddc.ok.gov

http://okddc.ok.gov/youth-leadership-forum

Spend a week on a college campus with other students from Oklahoma. Attendees will participate in activities to improve leadership and advocacy skills, explore career options, meet with state legislators, create a leadership plan and so much more.

# **Social Programs:**

**Metro Tulsa Soccer** has a program for children with developmental disabilities. 918-298-0190

**Miss Shelly's School of Dance** has a 45 minute class the 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month at 11:00am for children with special needs and there is no tuition. 918-496-9549

**Springtown Trampoline Park** opens on Mondays at 3:00 for special needs children only and then the general public can come in at 4:00. Children with special needs get a free 30 minute jump any time between 3:00pm-8:00pm. (918) 505-4453

Able Kids Therapy has social groups. (918) 622-6209

Tulsa Gymnastics offers a class for children with special needs. 918-664-8683