



## CAMP BLUE SKY 2022

Dear parents,

I am so glad that you are considering Camp Blue Sky for your child's summer camp needs. If you have never joined us during the summer you may have many questions. My hope is that this packet will answer most if not all of those questions. In the event that you have additional questions, feel free to reach out to me at [mmilgram@leafspringcharlotte.com](mailto:mmilgram@leafspringcharlotte.com).

When looking over the parent agreement, parents can select the weeks they need over the course of the summer. We suggest using us as your "base camp", other weeks can be specialty camps and/or vacation weeks. Parents also have the option to choose 5 days or 3 days, if you choose 3 days a week, you can choose any 3-days. Lastly, your camper will fall into one of these division, this will depend on the age of your child at the beginning of camp. Your camper will be either a Junior, Middle OR Senior. Your camper cannot move divisions once camp has started.

Make sure to follow our Facebook page and Instagram page [@CampBlueSkyMatthews](https://www.instagram.com/CampBlueSkyMatthews).



Sincerely,

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## **FIELD TRIPS**

One of the most fun aspects of summer camp are the weekly field trips. Each division has a designated day of the week that is scheduled for them. Below is that schedule:

Tuesday – Junior Boys (6-7 years old)

Wednesday – Junior Girls (6-7 year olds)

Thursday – Middles (8-9 year olds) and Seniors (10-12 year olds)

Field Trips will take place in the afternoon typically between 1pm – 4pm. Please make plans accordingly for doctor's appointments or early pick-up as they may not have returned from a field trip yet. We will provide a field trip shirt that we keep on campus and wash between uses. Some field trips, like Discovery Place on week 7, are running longer. We will communicate this in the Week-at-a-Glance email that is sent out weekly.

## **POOL**

We attend the pool 3 times per week. The pool we have used in the past is the Matthews Tennis and Swim Club just about 3 minutes down Pleasant Plains Rd. The pool is a smaller more reserved pool that ranges in depth beginning at 3ft and gradually moving towards 6ft. We have the pool divided into 3 sections and classify them to match the color of their swim band. The 3 swim categories:

**Red** – Beginning Swimmer or New Swimmer, must stay in the 3ft section.

**Yellow** – Intermediate Swimmer, must stay in the 3ft & 4ft section.

**Green** – Good swimmer, can use the 3ft, 4ft & 5ft sections.

Each camper must complete a swim test before entering the pool. This swim test consist of the distance that the camper can tread water. I will then categorize each camper into one of the 3 categories listed above. Campers attend the pool on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday in the mornings beginning at 9:30am. Each group will go in 40 minutes increments with the final group returning just before lunch time.

Is your child a beginner swimmer? Are you nervous about your child swimming? These are questions that are very important for me to answer for you. I want to give you all peace of mind and let you know that you can bring in a Coast Guard Approved PFD (Personal Floatation Device). We recommend the vest as they keep the kids in a more stable position in the water. Either way make sure that the PFD you choose has the USCG Approval stamp or tag on it. If you are not comfortable with your child swimming at all, the child will sit out. They will still have to remain with the group for accountability purposes.

## **WEEK SELECTION**

During the 11 weeks of summer parents are able to choose which weeks they want to attend and are only financially responsible for the weeks they attend. Please keep in mind that if something your schedule changes and you need to switch, cancel or add a weeks, you MUST give a weeks' notice. If there is a change and there is no notice prior to close of business on the Friday before, a \$50 Cancellation fee will be added to the account.

## **SENIORS DIVISION (only 10 and older)**

This division is specifically for our 10 and older campers. On the Summer-At-A-Glance you will note that on Tuesdays and some Thursdays in Red lettering Seniors get to go on adventures that are just for them.

- Carowinds – Every Tuesday we plan on going to Carowinds. Campers will need to pack a lunch and bring water for that day. We will explore the rides and even venture into the water park. This field trip is typically from 9am – 4pm. The parents will have to make sure that an annual pass is purchased separately in order to attend.
- Special Trips – This includes the special trips to the White Water Center and the Mountains. Typically campers pack a lunch and we are out of the building from about 8am – 5pm. An info sheet is given to campers prior to the trip with specific content for the destination. The trip to the White Water Center is at an additional cost, this is billed to the account.

I hope this helps with some of your questions, remember to reach out if you have any more questions.

**\*\* Pool and Field Trip Locations are subject to change based on availability.**



# Camp Blue Sky 2022 Parent Agreement

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Division  Junior (6-7)  Middle (8-9)  Senior (10-12)

5 Day Tuition: \$310

3 Day Tuition: \$240

Registration Fee: \$50

Tuition includes lunch, 2 snacks, t-shirt, field trip\* and all in-house activities.

| Week                         | Dates  | Weekly Theme                      |
|------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| Week 1<br>June 6 - June 10   | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Luau Party</b>                 |
| Week 2<br>June 13 - 17       | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>House of Wizards Week</b>      |
| Week 3<br>June 20 - 24       | *Closed June 20<br><input type="checkbox"/> 4 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____ | <b>Super Heroes</b>               |
| Week 4<br>June 27 - July 1   | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Decades Week</b>               |
| Week 5<br>July 5 - July 8    | *Closed July 4<br><input type="checkbox"/> 4 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____  | <b>Red, White and Blue Spirit</b> |
| Week 6<br>July 11 - July 15  | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Pirates and Mermaids</b>       |
| Week 7<br>July 18 - July 22  | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Out of this World</b>          |
| Week 8<br>July 25 - July 29  | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Survivor Week</b>              |
| Week 9<br>Aug 1 - Aug 5      | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Game On Week</b>               |
| Week 10<br>Aug 8 - Aug 12    | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Sports Week</b>                |
| Week 11<br>Aug 15 - Aug 19   | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Days <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                    | <b>Rainbow Power</b>              |
| Post-Camp<br>Aug 22 - Aug 24 | We are only open M - W <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Days _____                             | <b>Little Chefs Week</b>          |

I AGREE TO PAY CAMP TUITION WEEKLY BY AUTODRAFT

I hereby represent that I am the legal guardian of the child enrolled. I acknowledge that it is my responsibility to keep all information and authorizations pertaining to my child up to date. I have read and understand the fee arrangements, the Parent Handbook, and the policy statements on this form. I am in agreement with these policies and will abide by them as well as any addendums that may arise after enrollment. I further acknowledge that my **Camp Blue Sky registration fee of \$75.00 must be paid on the day of registration and is non-refundable. If debt collection services become necessary, Camp Blue Sky and LeafSpring School reserve the right to charge a \$250.00 administrative debt collection fee, for which I will be responsible.**

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PARENT/LEGAL GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

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DATE



|  | Water Mania Monday   | Wacky Tuesday  | Water Mania Wednesday                     | Tasty-Treat Thursday  | Camp Fire Friday   |
|---|--|--|---|---|--|
| <b>Week 1</b><br><b>Urban Air</b><br>Luau Party                                 | Camp Circle<br><b>Water in the Hole</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Hawaiian Luau Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds        | <b>Water in the Hole</b>                  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Snow Cones</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Annual GaGa Tournament</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>         |
| <b>Week 2</b><br><b>Crooked Creek Park</b><br>Fantasy Week                      | Camp Circle<br><b>Water Jousting</b>   | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Fairy Tale Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds           | <b>Water Jousting</b>                     | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Popsicles</b><br>Seniors: Water Fall Tour                                   | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Dragon Egg Hunt</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                |
| <b>Week 3</b><br><b>Laser Quest</b><br>Super Heroes                             | <b>CAMP CLOSED</b><br><b>HAPPY Juneteenth</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Super Hero Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds           | <b>Bucket Dump</b>                        | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Cotton Candy</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Camp Detective</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                 |
| <b>Week 4</b><br><b>Kate's Skate</b><br>Decades                                 | Camp Circle<br><b>Water Piñata</b>   | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Decades Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds              | <b>Water Piñata</b>                       | <b>Pool</b><br><b>BONUS: LIVE-ACTION Campers Land Game</b><br><b>Snow Cones</b>               | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Camp Jeopardy</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                  |
| <b>Week 5</b><br><b>Squirrel Lake</b><br>Red, White and Blue Week               | <b>CAMP CLOSED</b><br><b>HAPPY 4th OF JULY</b>   | <b>Pool</b><br><b>TEAM USA DAY</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds             | <b>Water Dodgeball</b>                    | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Popsicles</b><br>Seniors: Adventure Air                                     | <b>Pool</b><br><b>9 Square Tourny</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                |
| <b>Week 6</b><br><b>Reeds Gold Mine</b><br>Pirates and Mermaids                 | Camp Circle<br><b>Color Wars Slip and Slide Kickball</b><br><b>Color Wars Kicks OFF!</b> | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Pirates and Mermaids Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds | <b>Color Wars Slip and Slide Kickball</b> | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Popsicles</b><br>Seniors: Stone Mountain                                    | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Gold Rush</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                      |
| <b>Week 7</b><br><b>Discovery Place</b><br>Out of the World Week                | Camp Circle<br><b>Bottle Fill</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Galaxy Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds               | <b>Bottle Fill</b>                        | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Snow Cones</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Counselor Hunt</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                 |
| <b>Week 8</b><br><b>SkyZones</b><br>Survivor                                    | Camp Circle<br><b>Ring the Sponge Relay</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Backwards Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds            | <b>Ring the Sponge Relay</b>              | <b>Pool</b><br><b>BONUS: Hungry Hippos</b><br><b>Popsicles</b><br>Seniors: White Water Center | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Camper VS Counselors Dodgeball</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b> |
| <b>Week 9</b><br><b>Roll-N-Play</b><br>Game On                                  | Camp Circle<br><b>Water Bomb Target</b>  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Video Game Character Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds | <b>Water Bomb Target</b>                  | <b>Pool</b><br><b>BONUS: LIVE-ACTION Among Us Game</b><br><b>Cotton Candy</b>                 | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Mario Cart Race</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                |
| <b>Week 10</b><br><b>Freedom Park</b><br>Sports Week                            | Camp Circle<br><b>Water Painting</b>   | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Sport Team Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds           | <b>Water Painting</b>                     | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Popsicles</b><br>Seniors: Sliding Rock                                      | <b>Pool</b><br><b>9 Square Tourny</b><br><b>Camp Fire</b>                |
| <b>Week 11</b><br><b>Rainbow Power</b>  | Camp Circle<br><b>Water Painting</b>   | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Tie Dye Day</b><br>Seniors: Carowinds              | <b>Water Painting</b>                     | <b>Pool</b><br><b>Popsicles</b>   | <b>Color RUN!</b><br><b>Closing Camp Fire</b>                            |