

An overview of KIDZ CAMP is below with topics listed in alphabetical order. Please read thoroughly as you will learn a lot about our camp as you do so. ☺

ACTIVITIES:

All activities are on-site at Heritage Hills Athletic Club/Golf Resort (2810 East Prospect Road, York, PA 17402) unless otherwise noted.

AGES:

(5-12 years) Children must be at least 5 years of age by September 1 of the previous calendar year and have completed a minimum of one year of school.

BALLYHOO CLUB SPORTS at Heritage Hills Athletic Center:

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BACKYARD UNIVERSITY:

Kidz Camp at Heritage Hills is affiliated with Backyard University. Please refer to their website at www.backyard-university.com to see the summer camp offerings for Backyard University.

CAMP DATES:

Refer to the CALENDAR header on our website at www.kidzcampyork.com for a listing of our camp dates and inclusions.

BOGEY MACAW'S FEC (FAMILY ENTERTAINMENT CENTER):

Just in time for our 2018 summer camp season, we are happy to announce that Bogey Macaw's FEC ballocity and arcade, formerly located at Springwood Golf Club, will be located on our premises.☺ The restaurant will be counter service and include pizza, sandwiches, salads and other American cuisine.

CAMP PHONE:

Parents/Guardians of our campers will be given the number for our camp phone to be used in the case of emergencies only.

CAMPER PARTICIPATION:

By signing my child up for this camp, I understand and acknowledge that my child is expected to participate in planned activities.



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CAMPER TO COUNSELOR RATIO:

Kidz Camp stays below the state required minimums.

CODE OF CONDUCT / DISCIPLINE:

Each camper and parent/guardian are required to sign a *Code of Conduct* as a pre-requisite to camp attendance. Bullying and other adverse behaviors are not tolerated. We ask that campers as well as parents/guardians let us know of situations that occur as they become aware of them so that they can be handled immediately. For further information, please refer to the *Code of Conduct* section under the header "POLICIES AND PROCEDURES".

COUNSELORS:

All counselors/staff have criminal background checks and clearances (PA Criminal History/Act34, PA Child Abuse/Act 151), and FBI Criminal History Report. We prefer Certified Teachers, Education Majors or five plus years working with children.

DATES, IMPORTANT:

Early bird Discount period: March 15th through May 1st.

Saturday prior to the start of camp: Parent/Camper Meeting and Orientation

**By invitation for registered and paid campers/parents ONLY!*

DIRECTOR CONTACT INFO:

Rhoda DeRose, 717.324.0709; rhoda_derose@comcast.net (please note that there is an "_" between the "a" and the "d").

DISCOUNTS:

Our Discount Concept: Kidz Camp is an all-inclusive program whose goal is to keep campers minds and bodies active throughout the summer months. We offer daily Thematic Activities/Science Experiments, daily Kidz with Character segments, group training for our Enrichment Program that encompasses a variety of sports as well as optional Individual Academic Supplement Programs. Traditionally, we have supplied all of the supplies for these activities and didn't ask for parent/guardian contributions. Despite our high cost in supplies and staff, we make a concentrated effort to keep the price of our camp as low as we can in an effort to be affordable so that many families can partake in our services. We offer an Early Bird Discount (EBD) at a greatly reduced price that includes camper's choice of complementary B-4 or @ Care and is good for those campers whom we consider to be "full time" status and attend our camp for 8 or more weeks.

Sibling Discounts: In lieu of sibling discounts and in an attempt to make our camp more affordable for all, we have again this year chosen to keep our EBD **lower** than any 10 percent discount off of the standard weekly rate that we have offered in the past.



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ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES:

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FIELD TRIPS:

Kidz Camp has the privilege of taking advantage of the many in house activities and "field trips" that our resort has to offer. We integrate Miniature Golf, Driving Range, Black Rhino Laser Tag, Louie G's Ice Cream, Group Fitness Classes, Enrichments taught by our professionals and we also incorporate various activities in one of our many event rooms. For 2018, we also have the privilege of Bogey Macaw's FEC (ballocity and arcade), formerly housed at Springwood Golf Club on Springwood Road, joining us on the premises in our HHAC building. What fun!!! Depending upon our themes and science topics, outside field trips may be integrated into our camp curriculum.

FLEXIBLE SCHEDULING:

Campers may select the summer long program, individual weeks, 5 day pass or single days. We ask that campers are signed up at least one week prior to attending in order for us to properly plan for staffing and supplies and to have time to review the REQUIRED FORMS.

GROUPS:

Integrated ages: Our experience has shown that, on the whole, mixed ages within our small groups work best! The younger kids love hanging with the older kids and the older kids love hanging with the younger kids. There are many times during the day when campers are not in their small groups such as lunch, free play and waterslide where campers have the opportunity to mingle with campers from other groups and of their same age if desired. We will also be separating the campers for activities that work best by age group like certain Enrichment activities and Science.

Small groups within a large group: Our philosophy is to work in a small group within a large group mentality. This means that while the whole camp may receive instructions for the same project, each counselor is responsible for keeping track of and working within a small group of campers for the activity or project. Certain activities may call for a variation in this format.

HOURS OF OPERATION:

7:30 a.m. – 9:00 a.m. = B-4 Care Program
9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. = Main Camp Hours
4:00 p.m. – 5:30 p.m. = @ Care Program

INDOOR / OUTDOOR FACILITY:

While we play a lot of our games and activities outside, we use a permanent indoor space for inclement weather, down time and other various activities. ☺

KIDZ WITH CHARACTER/KC KIDZ:

Campers who attend our camp have an opportunity to grow in personal character and maturity as they learn more about themselves and others around them through our daily Kidz with Character segments. We love the community and comradery of teaming up with area professionals as well as in-house staff. These individuals will lead our campers through a variety of group activities and interactive games specifically designed for this program! ☺

LOCATION:

Kidz Camp at Heritage Hills is located at Heritage Hills Athletic Club/Ballyhoo Club Sports with an address of 2810 East Prospect Road. Phone: 717.757.4833 x1

LUNCH OPTIONS:

Campers may pack a lunch in a lunchbox as they would for school or they can opt to buy a Brown Bag Lunch for \$5.00.

OVERVIEW:

As a pre-requisite to attending Kidz Camp, parents/guardians are REQUIRED to READ AND AGREE to our camp **OVERVIEW**, **POLICIES AND PROCEDURES**, and **RELEASE OF LIABILITY**. Our Registration and Payment processing system is on line at our website www.kidzcampyork.com. Parents are walked through the registration process and given the opportunity to read both our camp **OVERVIEW**, **POLICIES AND PROCEDURES** and **RELEASE OF LIABILITY** during that process so that they can be sure that our camp is a good fit for them and their camper(s). We also have our camp **OVERVIEW** and **POLICIES AND PROCEDURES** on the website as individual headers.

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PARENT/CAMPER MEETING & ORIENTATION:

This is for those parents/guardians and campers who have registered and paid for our camp! Detailed information will be sent out to all those who have registered and paid. We are not advertising the time to the public. If someone wants a personal tour, please contact the Director at 717.324.0709 or at rhoda_derose@comcast.net (please note that there is an “_” between the “a” and the “d”. Upon registering, if you don’t receive a response email inviting you to our open house please check your spam/junk folder. The email will come from

From: KidzCampXcart=hhgr.com@mailgun.org [<mailto:KidzCampXcart=hhgr.com@mailgun.org>] **On Behalf Of** WordPress

PAYMENT:

Full payment must be made at the time the parent/guardian chooses the programming they desire and register their camper(s) on-line.

PHOTOGRAPHS:

I understand that participants of KIDZ CAMP AT HERITAGE HILLS have individual and group photographs taken during the various activities and programs. By signing my child up for this camp and thus being a participant, I acknowledge that I am consenting for my child to have his/her photograph taken and used for various purposes.

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PROGRAM:

KIDZ CAMP AT HERITAGE HILLS MAKES LEARNING FUN! 😊

Daily Thematic Activities, Science Experiments, Integrated Writing Labs, Character Education, Small Group Instruction and Enrichment Activities that will be offered in a concentrated 5-day format by individual sport/activity are all included in our standard camp program.

- THEME Weeks with Daily Thematic Activities
- Discovery SCIENCE Labs/Experiments and Demonstrations
- Intro to LANGUAGE (Each year we choose a different language.)
- Daily KIDZ WITH CHARACTER Program (Character Education)
- Daily ENRICHMENT sports/activities
- Integrated Writing Labs
- Small Group Instruction
- Arts and Crafts
- Integrated Ages
- Bogey Macaw's Family Entertainment Center (Ballocity and Arcade)
- Turf Time
- Sports Court Time
- Retro Games
- Putting Green
- Four Square
- Bocce Ball
- Shuffleboard
- Laser Tag
- Tetherball
- **Enrichment activities:** Concentrated 5-Day Format. Our summer calendar will reflect the weekly individual sport/activity offerings. Enrichments are taught by the qualified trainers/staff at Ballyhoo Sports and Fitness, Kidz Camp and other local professionals. 😊

RATE OVERVIEW:

Refer to the PRICING header on our website at www.kidzcampyork.com for a listing of our current camp rates.

REGISTRATION:

Camp registration is on-line at our website, www.KidzCampYork.com under the header "REGISTRATION". Specific dates/weeks must be chosen and full payment made at the time parents/guardians register their child for camp.



OVERVIEW

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REQUIRED FORMS:

Camper(s) will be unable to attend camp until all forms are completed. The forms are included in the on-line registration process. We ask that parents complete the forms electronically, print and then sign them so that we will be able to clearly decipher the writing.

SAFETY:

Safety is something we don't take lightly. We provide first aid training and ongoing staff development throughout the season. Background checks are done on all Kidz Camp staff. For further information, please refer to the Safety Section under Policies and Procedures.

SCIENCE PROJECTS / EXPERIMENTS:

We have daily science projects/experiments for our campers that are often integrated into our weekly themes. We link science projects/experiments back to a weekly concept so the concept can be fully grasped and understood. This allows time for our campers to have the concept reinforced in their minds.

SCHEDULE, DAILY (Sample):

7:30-9:00 a.m. B-4 CARE PROGRAM

7:30-8:15 a.m.	Games/Crafts
8:15-8:50 a.m.	ARENA TIME: Turf/Sports Court
8:50-9:00 a.m.	Main Camp Drop Off



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***9:00 a.m. – START OF MAIN CAMP**

9:00-9:30 a.m.	Camp Meeting/KC KIDZ
9:30-9:50 a.m.	Snack Shack
9:50-10:10 a.m.	Language
10:10-11:00 a.m.	Science/Thematic Intro
11:00 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	Enrichment
12-12:15 p.m.	Gather Lunches
12:15-12:45 p.m.	LUNCH
12:45-1:15 p.m.	Retro Games
1:15-2:00 p.m.	Game Time
2:00-2:30 p.m.	Snack Shack
2:30-3:30 p.m.	Thematic Activity
3:30-4:00 p.m.	Clean Up

***4:00 p.m. – END OF MAIN CAMP**

4:00-5:30 p.m. – AFTER-CARE PROGRAM

4:10-4:40 p.m.	ARENA TIME: Turf/Sports Court
4:40-5:30 p.m.	Games/Crafts

**The above schedule and programs are tentative and subject to change.*

STAFF:

All counselors/staff have criminal background checks and clearances (PA Criminal History/Act34, PA Child Abuse/Act 151), and FBI Criminal History Report. We prefer Certified Teachers, Education Majors or five plus years working with children.

SWIMMING POOL:

We do lots of interactive and old fashioned water play in lieu of a swimming pool.

THEMES, WEEKLY:

View our upcoming summer calendar under the header "CALENDAR".

**Weekly Themes and Enrichments are Subject to Change.*

SIBLING DISCOUNTS:

Please refer to the section entitled "DISCOUNTS".

WATER ACTIVITIES / INFLATABLES:

We do not choose to include swimming into our curriculum. We have found that our campers love our interactive water play activities. Depending upon the weather and our themes, we include an inflatable water slide and other amenities into our curriculum as well.

WEBSITE ADDRESS: www.KidzCampYork.com