



Enfield Community Council Summer Day Camp
July 6, 2021 to August 13, 2021

The Enfield Community Council Summer Day Camp offers a camp program which will enhance the children's growth, well-being, and social development by incorporating one or more of the following components into all camp activities and projects: educational and/or recreational objectives, physical fitness and cultural studies including art and music. The Enfield Community Council Summer Day Camp serves children ages 4–13 and will be held at the Enfield Community Center, 162 Enfield Main Rd, Ithaca with the following programs and activities:

- Sports
 - Arts & crafts
 - Science
 - Stream exploration
 - An outdoor education program
 - Literacy activities
 - A chance to make new friends & strengthen existing friendships
 - Day themes
 - A library for daily reading
- Breakfast & lunch provided by the ICSD Food Service program (Campers can also bring their lunch)

Your child should bring daily:

- Swimsuit
- Towel
- Shoes appropriate for sports & walks in the woods
- Filled plastic water bottle
- Extra change of clothes

Due to COVID Summer Camp will follow CDC/TC Health Dept guidelines with masks, distancing, pods, sanitizing and hand washing. Daily health screening assessments are mandatory.
6 Week Program Cost (This is the TOTAL cost fee, not weekly)

Program	Hours	Residents Fee	Non-Resident Fee
Base Summer Camp Program	8:00 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.	\$900.00	\$1200.00

Fee needs to be paid by the first day of camp

The Community Council is offering a prepay reduced rate of \$15.00/child if you pay by May 31, 2021.
The Enfield Community Council strives to provide activities that are free or low cost. It is our goal that no one is turned away because of the inability to pay. Please contact the Camp Director if there are any issues regarding income and/or ability to pay.

Summer Camp Applications

- Are available at the Enfield Elementary School office, the Enfield Town Clerk's Office, through the Town of Enfield website: townofenfield.org, the Enfield Community Council website enfieldcommunitycouncil.org
- Are accepted on a first come, first serve basis; Enfield residents are given preference.
- Are due by **June 15th** to ensure a space for your child(ren) at camp.
- **Must be completely filled out and include all payments to be accepted.**
- Should be mailed with payment to:

Enfield Community Council: 162 Enfield Main Road, Ithaca, NY 14850
Checks or money orders payable to Enfield Community Council; no cash payments accepted

Notes:

- If you currently receive temporary assistance or need help with the cost of camp, you may be eligible for assistance through DSS for the Summer Day Camp. Please follow the steps below to apply for assistance and secure space for your child in our summer day camp program:
 1. If you don't have an open case with DSS please call them to complete an eligibility pre-screening. Contact Carrie Baylor at 274-5221, Robin Collins at 274-5237 or main desk at 274-5612.
 2. If you already have an open case please contact your caseworker.
 3. If you are deemed eligible you should complete the DSS application. DSS staff can help.
 4. You should submit a completed registration form to DSS that indicates which day camp you are interested in for your child(ren).

5. You must also submit enrollment packets to the Child Development Council – one that is pre-filled by Enfield Summer Day Camp (Vera Howe-Strait) and a short family enrollment packet. Those packets are available through Vera Howe-Strait. Original signatures from you and Vera are required on the enrollment packets.

6. After the DSS application is completed and the registration information is processed an authorization for payment will be issued to you that indicates the amount of assistance that you will receive and the parent share due, if any.

To officially register your child complete the steps above and present your completed program registration form and be authorized for payments to Enfield Community Council Summer Camp and/or Vera Howe-Strait.

Going through this process takes time. Please start as early as possible, say by April/May, to give yourself adequate time to complete all the necessary steps and secure space in camp. The ECC Summer Camp will work with you to ensure that spaces are secured.

For Older Youth

There is a Counselor-In-Training (CIT) program for teens 14-15 year old interested in summer employment/ opportunities to work with youth and gain work experience. Contact Vera Howe-Strait for more information.

QUESTIONS? Contact Vera Howe-Strait: 280-2317 or by email, howestraitv@gmail.com



