Dreams With Wings Summer Camp FAQ 2024

Process

- We have limited spots based upon facility space, transportation, and staffing.
- We review all applications for returning campers first and then identify available spots for new campers.
- Each application is reviewed along with all required documentation during the admissions process.
- We review all applications to ensure that we have adequate camper to counselor ratios because safety is our top priority during both onsite and offsite community based activities
- An application is considered complete when all required fields and documentation has been sent in. These items are the application, behavior plan if applicable, camp policy, camp consents, and current photo.
- Communication is sent to each family about whether or not a camper has been enrolled in camp this year.

Timeline

- 1/31/24 applications sent to returning campers.
- 3/1/24 summer camp applications will go live on our website, https://www.dreamswithwings.org/services.
- 3/1/24 New campers can apply.
- 3/22/24 returning camper applications are due.
- 4/22/24 New camper applications are due.
- 5/10/24 Notifications sent confirming whether or not a camper has been accepted in camp this year.
- 6/4/24 Tentative Parent Orientation for all Dreams In Motion camper families.
- 6/6/24 Tentative Parent Orientation for all Achieving Dreams camper families.
- 6/10/24 Achieving Dreams Start Date
- 6/11/24 Dreams In Motion Start Date
- 7/26/24 Both camps end date

Fees

- Camper application fee is \$215 and is due when confirmation of acceptance has been sent
 - o Payment can be made by PayPal or check
- Private Pav options are available
 - o Debit/Credit Card kept on file and run every Monday based upon your enrollment selection
 - Full-time weekly rate is \$280 (4 or 5 days)
 - o Part-time weekly rate is \$230 (2 or 3 days)
 - O Please note: We don't offer half-days since we go offsite at various times in the day and do not have staff that stay onsite when we are offsite.
- Michelle P Waiver Respite Units can be used to pay for camp.
 - Coordination with your Case Manager is needed to allocate funds based upon your full-time or parttime selection
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Quick facts about summer camp

- This is a day camp and not an overnight camp
- We are staffed to have a ratio of 3 campers to 1 counselor and are not able to provide one-on-one supports
- Summer camp is not structured like school:
 - o There is a calendar of events for each day with onsite and offsite activities planned
 - o Campers cannot elect to stay onsite if offsite activities are planned
 - o There is planned downtime to allow campers to have breaks during the day
 - o All camp activities begin at 9:00 A unless otherwise noted in the schedule.
 - o All Camp activities end at 3:00 P unless otherwise noted in the schedule.
 - Examples of past year's events include:
 - Week 1 -



- First day of camp meet and greets, Kona Ice visits
- Drumming circle
- Bowling
- Free Movie at Xscape Theaters
- Beckley Creek Splash Park
- Fire Truck visits camp
- Horseback Riding
- Boot Camp
- Week 2
 - KY Science Center
 - Rise Fitness
 - Water Company presentation
 - Yoga
 - Barn Theater
 - Free Movie at Xscape Theaters
 - Clarksville Cove Swimming
 - Horseback Riding
 - Bowling

Please send all questions to summercamp@dreamswithwings.org. Thank you!