



A Weekly Newsletter for Campers and Parents

Hello Silver Camp Parents/Guardians! We welcome you to Silver Bay YMCA's Summer Camp Program. As campers, your kids will be offered swim lessons every morning as weather allows. They will have the chance to engage in games, sports, arts and crafts, and even try out some of the program opportunities our campus offers. Each camp day will include a combination of passive and active elements inspired by the weekly theme and tailored to each age group. Please view your camper(s) main activities for the week to know what to expect and ensure that your camper comes prepared.

Reminders

Campers have water activities every day; please have them arrive wearing a bathing suit. Proper footwear is essential for hiking and rock climbing. They should always be prepared to get messy. All activities are subject to change.

Silver Camp Reference Guide

CHILD WATCH:

- Ages 3-4 (AM session)

WEE WOZLES: Age 5

WOZLES: Ages 6-7

CHIPPIES: Ages 8-9

RAVENS: Ages 10-11

EAGLES: Ages 12-15

Theme of the Week:

Wild West Carnival



CHILD WATCH**Weekly Morning Activities:**

Monday:

- Kids will kick off the week with a bucket game "strong kid" competition!

Tuesday:

- Who likes to ride a Merry go Round? Kids will do a carousel horse craft.

Wednesday:

- Gold rush! There will be a search for gold nuggets hidden around the Child Watch yard!

Thursday:

- Clown Down! Child Watch will try their hands at a classic carnival game and aim for clown targets with water squirters!

Friday:

- Yee haw! It's time to color cowboy and cowgirl hats!



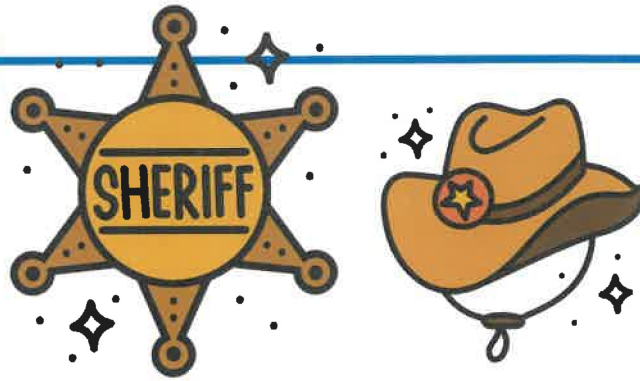
Evening Child Watch:

- Board Games and free playground time are on offer at the Children's Pavillion 6-9pm for those registered.

Reminders

Child watch does not participate in swim lessons, but campers should always be prepared to get wet or messy. Parents are welcome to pack a snack for their child. Child Watch is a drop-in program and children may be picked up and/or dropped off at any time during operating hours. Drop-Off and Pick Up are done at the Children's Pavilion; This will be our Home Base.



WEE WOZLES**Weekly Activities:****Monday:**

- There are some new sheriffs in town! Wee Woosles will head to Morning Ceremonies to learn the law of the land and then color their own sheriff badges after swim lessons.
- After lunch, Wee Woosles have water water play at the Children's Pavilion playground and play "Sheriffs and Bandits".

Tuesday:

- Wee Woosles will decorate a circus tent stronghold.
- Later, they'll paint a clown and storm the circus tent!

**Wednesday:**

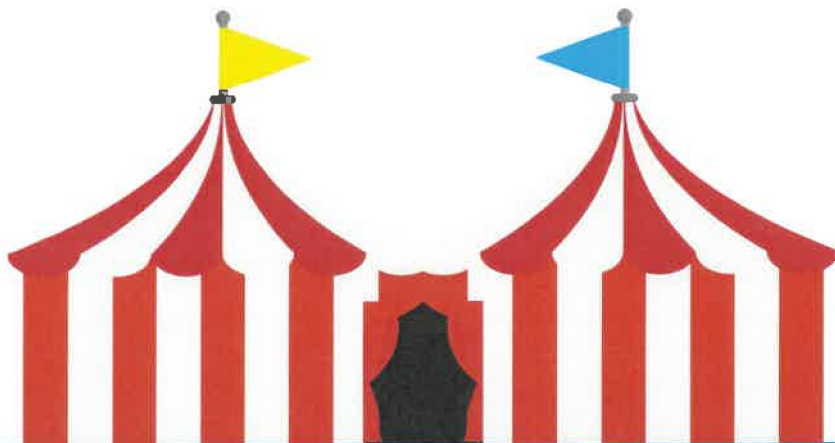
- Campers will do some rock painting after swim lessons.
- In the afternoon, Wee Woosles will visit the Nature Center and have their own treasure hunt.

Thursday:

- There's a snake in my boot! Wee Woosles will make a rattle snake craft.
- After lunch, it's tennis followed by a Wild West obstacle course!

Friday:

- After Morning Ceremonies, Wee Woosles will make carnival slime!
- After lunch, it's time for free swim and a mini camp carnival!



WOOZLES**Weekly Activities:****Monday:**

- Woozles start the week attending court at Morning Ceremonies! Next, they'll be making a "Wanted" poster craft.
- In the afternoon it's Free Swim followed by a game of "Cowboy, cowboy, bandit"!

Tuesday:

- Woozles will play "Capture the Bandana" before swim lessons.
- Do-si-do your partner now! After lunch, it's time for tennis followed by line dancing!

Wednesday:

- Hold up, Woozles will make a giant sheriff!
- In the afternoon, they will learn practice Archery and play Ring Toss!

Thursday:

- Woozles will play "pin the badge on the sheriff".
- Giddy up! After swim lessons and lunch, they will head to the climbing wall and have a Pony Relay!

Friday:

- Come along, little doggies. Woozles will go to Morning Ceremonies and make a circus animal craft.
- In the afternoon, they'll have a carnival obstacle course and attend a mini camp carnival!



CHIPPIES**Weekly Activities:****Monday:**

- Morning Ceremonies will be followed by tie dying bandanas! Campers are welcome to bring any white garments to dye, but fabric will be provided.
- Chippies will have a "Splat!" showdown followed by free swim in the afternoon.

Tuesday:

- The Chippies will play Capture the Flag with the Ravens
- After swim lessons, Chippies have Climbing Wall and will play Dodgeball.

Wednesday:

- Chippies will play "Secret Bandits" before swim lessons.
- Next up is tennis followed by a game of "Cowboys vs. Cattle Rustlers".

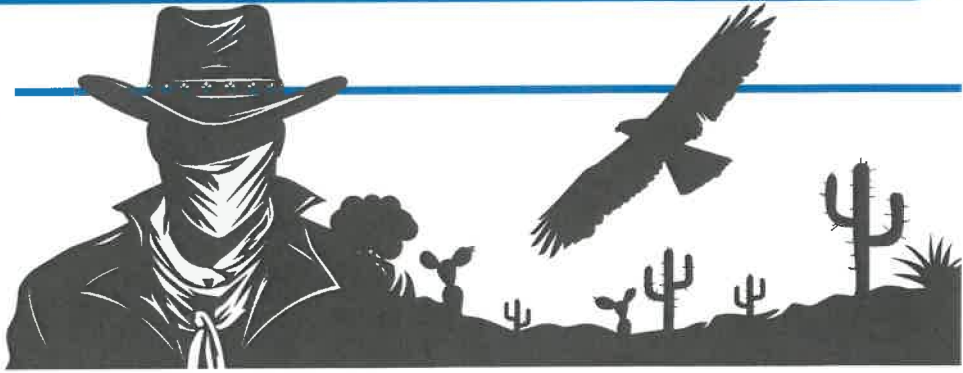
**Thursday:**

- Chippies will start off the day with "Rodeo" training.
- In the afternoon, Chippies will have target practice at the Silver Bay Archery Range followed by 9 square and other games.

Friday:

- Chippies will follow Morning Ceremonies with some Wild West bead crafts.
- Later, they will have face painting and participate in a mini camp carnival!



RAVENS**Weekly Activities:****Monday:**

- Morning Ceremonies will be followed by tie dying bandanas! Campers are welcome to bring any white garments to dye, but fabric will be provided.
- After lunch is tennis followed by "Clown Painting"!

Tuesday:

- Campers will play "Capture the Flag" with the Chippies and have swim lessons.
- In the afternoon, they will go to Archery and attend play "Donut Lasso".

Wednesday:

- Ravens will go to the boathouse before swim lessons.
- In the afternoon they'll head to High Ropes and play "Sleeping Cowboys".

Thursday:

- First it's time to play "Cowboy vs. Bandit" kickball!
- After lunch, Ravens will play a bowling carnival game and go to the climbing wall!

Friday:

- The Ravens will go to Morning Ceremonies and then play "Horse shoes."
- In the afternoon they'll have free swim and attend a mini camp carnival.



EAGLES (TEEN CAMP)**Weekly Activities:****Monday:**

- Morning Ceremonies will be followed by tie dying bandanas!

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- After lunch, teens will have free swim followed by card games.

Tuesday:

- Teens will have a choice of games before heading to the boathouse.
- In the afternoon, they will have a sheriff scavenger hunt and go to the climbing wall.

Wednesday:

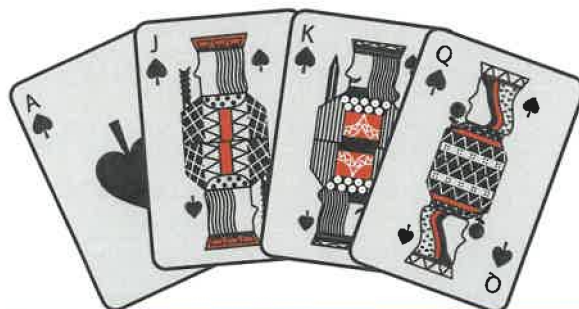
- Eagles will try to make clay plant pots and run a game for Child Watch kiddos!
- After lunch they'll play life size boardgames!

Thursday:

- Eagles will play "Crosstown Kickoff!"
- In the afternoon they will complete a cactus craft and head over to Archery!

Friday:

- Eagles will have a choice of games before optional swim.
- We will end the week with High Ropes and a mini camp carnival!





Session 1: June 23 – June 27

Prehistoric Planet

Session 2: June 30 – July 4

Ancient Ocean



Session 3: July 7 – July 11

Medieval Majesties

Session 4: July 14 – July 18

Wild West Carnival

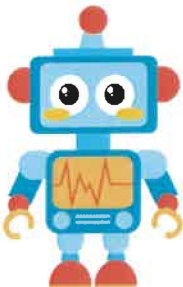


Session 5: July 21 – July 25

Silver Spotlight

Session 6: July 28 – August 1

Superhero Summer



Session 7: August 4 – August 8

Robo Rumble

Session 8: August 11 – August 15

Galaxy Games

