



Bedminster Township Recreation

Camp Bedminster

June 23rd – August 8th

NEW Camp Format!

(Entering Grades 1 to 6 - Open to Non-Bedminster Residents)

Now in our 35th year, Camp Bedminster offers terrific and safe summer fun for children entering 1st through 6th grades! Camp Bedminster is a half day summer camp held in the Bedminster School from 8:30 am to 12 noon, Monday through Friday for seven (7) consecutive weeks beginning June 23 through August 8. **Before Care** is available for an additional fee beginning at 8 am. If you are looking for an extended day program, also offered separately is our **Lunch Bunch Program** which is a supervised “bring your own lunch”/recess program, followed by a variety of **week-long Afternoon Camps each running from 1 to 4 pm**. For a complete list of afternoon camps visit our website at www.bedminster.us, “Recreation & Parks”, “Recreation Programs” and scroll to bottom.

Camp Bedminster activities include simple Arts & Crafts, Sports, traditional Games, Discovery Sciences, and Musical activities. Additional activities include Camp Olympics, theme days, group skits, talent show, and field trips. Campers are divided into groups by grade and supervised by Counselors and Counselors-In-Training (CITs) with specialists teaching the main activity areas. You can choose either a three (3) day or five (5) day camp option. The 5-day option includes field trips which are scheduled on Tuesdays and Thursdays. The 3-Day option meets Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays only and the children do not attend the trips. Tuition assistance is available.

New this year we are offering three (3) sessions of Camp Bedminster in either the 3 or 5 day format OR you can choose the entire seven (7) week option (at a discount). This new format requires a great deal of coordination, therefore we are asking that you register early and on time as registration may not be available after June 6th. The options are as follows:

Session	Weeks/Dates	Time	With Field Trips (5 Day)	Without Field Trips (3 Day Camp Option)
A	June 23-27 June 30-July 3 July 7 - 11	8:30-12 noon	\$225 Resident \$250 Non-Resident	\$175 Resident \$200 Non-Resident
B	July 14-18 July 21-25	8:30-12 noon	\$175 Resident \$200 Non-Resident	\$125 Resident \$150 Non-Resident
C	July 28-Aug 1 Aug 4 - 8	8:30-12 noon	\$175 Resident \$200 Non-Resident	\$125 Resident \$150 Non-Resident
D ALL 7 Weeks Discounted	June 23-Aug 8 (All 7 Weeks)	8:30-12 noon	\$475 Resident \$575 Non-Resident	\$325 Resident \$425 Non-Resident

We have been busy over the winter planning our trips, activities, theme days and more for this camp season! The camp calendar is attached. Approximately a week before camp begins, parents will be mailed a camp orientation packet which will include:

- (1) Detailed Camp Bedminster Information & Rules,
- (2) Updated Camp Calendar,
- (3) Behavior Policy & Discipline
- (4) Individual Trip Waiver Forms, and
- (5) Windshield signs for easy pick-up.



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Camp Super Hero Day—Little Mr. Backers!

Below are some important things to know about Camp Bedminster:

- **CAMP HOURS** - The program runs from 8:30 am to 12 Noon daily. If you choose the 3-Day option, there is No Camp on Field Trip Days (Tuesdays & Thursdays). No camp on Friday, July 4th.
- **DROP-OFF/PICK-UP** - Drop off is at 8:30 a.m. unless your child is registered for our *Before Care Program* (described below). "Curb-side" pick-up is at 12 noon daily. Parents are to park in the upper lot if they want to come in and pick up their child. Pick-up Notes are required if you child is going home with anyone other than a parent or guardian.
- **CAMP TRIPS** - Children are provided with camp t-shirts on the first day of camp. Camp shirts must be worn on trip days for your child's identification and safety. Replacement shirts are available for \$5 each. On trip days, the busses depart at 8:45 a.m. sharp, so please drop your child off by 8:30 a.m. for attendance and last minute instructions. It is up to you if you would like to send your child with extra money (\$5 to \$10) for additional refreshments and games. The trip schedule is attached and subject to change. And remember . . . **No camp at school on field trip days!**
- **BEFORE CARE** - Before Care is child supervision from 8 to 8:30 am, Monday through Friday before Camp Bedminster Starts. Camp Bedminster Director, Randy Backer, supervises the children and offers Before Care on a **PAY AS YOU GO** option on a day to day basis. Parents/Guardians pay Randy directly each day or by the week. **Fee:** \$2 per child per session payable directly to Randy Backer.
- **LUNCH BUNCH** - The *Lunch Bunch* program serves as a "bridge" between Bedminster Recreation's morning and afternoon programs for the seven (7) weeks Camp Bedminster is in session. *Lunch Bunch* is only for those children who will be attending Camp Bedminster in the morning and participating in our afternoon camps, or for those parents looking for an extended day. Lunch Bunchers bring their own lunch from home and eat lunch together in the Bedminster School Cafetorium (or outside if weather permits), and then recess while being supervised by our Camp Director, Teachers, Counselors and CITs. After *Lunch Bunch*, counselors will then walk campers to their next camp location and check them in with the instructor (for camps held only at the school or Miller Lane Park). **Registration for *Lunch Bunch* is by the week or discounted seven (7) week option, Monday thru Friday. Sorry no prorating available!**
- **ALLERGIES** - Please be sure to notify us of any allergies or medical conditions so that we may assist your child. Epi Pens require a special waiver.
- **SPECIAL NEEDS ACCOMMODATIONS** - The Township of Bedminster welcomes everyone to participate in its programs and activities. If your child has individualized needs due to a disability (e.g. learning, medical, physical, psychiatric, speech & language disabilities, Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder, brain injury, etc.), please call the Bedminster Township Recreation Department on (908) 212-7014 and we will gladly arrange for reasonable accommodations for participation in our programs. A minimum of three (3) week notice is required to ensure that appropriate accommodations can be provided. Please call the Recreation Dept. as early as possible.
- **FIRST AID** - Our Camp Director Randy Backer is a NJ licensed Emergency Medical Technician (EMT) and will be the first line of treatment. Additional members of our staff are trained in First Aid, CPR & AED.
- **TUITION ASSISTANCE** - Tuition Assistance is available for Bedminster Residents only. Please provide a copy of your current approved "Federal Lunch Program Eligibility" along with your registration to receive discount.

Register on-line with credit card at www.bedminster.us or return registration form with check payable to "Bedminster Recreation" by Friday, June 6th! After June 6th there is a \$20 late fee.



Bedminster Township Recreation Department
One Miller Lane
Bedminster, NJ 07921
Telephone: (908) 212-7014
www.bedminster.us



Another Happy Camper!

REGISTRATION FORM ATTACHED



2014 Camp Bedminster Registration

(Children Entering 1-6 Grades - One Form Per Child)

1. CAMPER INFORMATION

Name _____ Grade Sept. 2014 _____ DOB _____ Age _____ M _____ F _____
Complete Address _____

2. PARENT/GUARDIAN CONTACT INFORMATION

Mother/Guardian Name _____ Email _____
Home Phone _____ Cell _____ Work _____
Father/Guardian Name _____ Email _____
Home Phone _____ Cell _____ Work _____

3. EMERGENCY CONTACT IF PARENT/GUARDIAN CANNOT BE REACHED

Name _____ Relationship _____
Phone # _____ Other Phone # _____

4. PHYSICIAN INFORMATION

Before engaging in any physical activity it is advisable to check with a physician regarding any conditions that may limit participation. Should an emergency arise, we need to know the following information:

Name of Physician _____
Phone Number _____ Date of last Tetanus shot _____

5. ALLERGIES & MEDICAL CONDITIONS - Check (✓) if you have any of the following:

_____ Allergies _____ Specific Food Allergies _____ Insect Allergies _____ Medication Allergies _____ Diabetes
_____ Seizures _____ Contact Lenses _____ Dental Appliances (*braces, pallet expander, dentures*)

- a. Explain in detail any checked above: _____

- b. Do you carry an epinephrine pen/kit? Yes No

6. MEDICATIONS

Is your child on medication during the program? Please explain and list medications needed during program hours or in the event an emergency presents itself _____

7. SPECIAL NEEDS/ACCOMMODATIONS

If your child has individualized needs due to a disability (e.g. learning, medical, physical, psychiatric, speech & language disabilities, Attention-Deficit/Hyperactivity Disorder, brain injury, etc.). Please describe below any accommodations needed for your child's participation in this program and a staff member will contact you. _____

8. CUSTODY INFORMATION

If there has been a custody decision please list the name or names of the person NOT permitted to pick up the child. (Please provide documentation, which will be kept confidential) _____

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9. EMERGENCY TREATMENT PROCEDURES & AUTHORIZATION (Signature Required)

In the event of a serious, or potentially serious, medical emergency, the local Rescue Squad will be contacted and will transport the injured to the nearest hospital. If a minor, the minor will be accompanied by an adult Camp Bedminster Staff Member. I hereby give permission for my child to participate in this program and give permission to provide emergency care as necessary for the well-being of my child until such time as I may be contacted. I agree that the Bedminster Township Recreation Department shall not be held liable in the event of accident or injury resulting from participation in this activity. Once treatment has been provided and I cannot be contacted, I grant permission to the hospital or medical provider to release the child to the care of an adult Camp Bedminster Staff Member. I certify that I have read and understand the emergency treatment procedures, the program's policies and the Recreation Department's registration and refund policies. This medical history is correct and complete to the best of my knowledge.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

10. HOLD HARMLESS (Signature Required)

As the parent or legal guardian of a participant in the Bedminster Township Recreation Program, I acknowledge this to be a voluntary activity. I acknowledge that there are certain risks inherent in my child's participation in this activity, and I agree to accept all of the consequences of-and assume the risks involved in-my child's participation. I understand and acknowledge that Bedminster Township is not responsible for any loss, damages or injury to any person or property for any reason associated with my child's participation in this activity. In light of the above, I hereby agree to indemnify and hold harmless and release Bedminster Township from any and all liability for any and all injuries my child may sustain as a result of my child's participation in this activity.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

11. BEDMINSTER TOWNSHIP PHOTO RELEASE (Signature Required)

_____ I GRANT _____ I DO NOT GRANT PERMISSION to the Township of Bedminster and/or the Media to photograph my child while participating in Township recreation programs or functions my child is participating in for publicity and/or promotional purposes.

Signature of Parent/Guardian _____ Date _____

12. CAMP SHIRT SIZE (✓ Check One Size)

Youth Small (Size 6-8) Youth Medium (Size 10-12) Youth Large (size 14-16) Adult Small Adult Medium

13. CAMP REGISTRATION OPTIONS & FEES

Session	Weeks/Dates	Option Description	Fee	CHECK (✓)
A	June 23-27 June 30-July 3 July 7 - 11	5-Day Camp Trips Included - Resident	\$225	
		5-Day Camp Trips Included - Non-Resident	\$250	
		3-Day Camp without Trips - Resident	\$175	
		3-Day Camp without Trips - Non-Resident	\$200	
B	July 14-18 July 21-25	5 Day Camp Trips Included - Resident	\$175	
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		5-Day Camp Trips Included - Non-Resident	\$575	
		3-Day Camp without Trips - Resident	\$325	
		3-Day Camp without Trips - Non-Resident	\$425	
Lunch Bunch Week #1	June 23-27	Monday - Friday, 12 noon to 1 pm	\$25	
Lunch Bunch Week #2	June 30-July 3	Monday - Thursday, 12 noon to 1 pm	\$20	
Lunch Bunch Week #3	July 7-11	Monday - Friday, 12 noon to 1 pm	\$25	
Lunch Bunch Week #4	July 14-18	Monday - Friday, 12 noon to 1 pm	\$25	
Lunch Bunch Week #5	July 21-25	Monday - Friday, 12 noon to 1 pm	\$25	
Lunch Bunch Week #6	July 28-Aug 1	Monday - Friday, 12 noon to 1 pm	\$25	
Lunch Bunch Week #7	Aug 4-8	Monday - Friday, 12 noon to 1 pm	\$25	
Lunch Bunch All 7 Weeks Discounted	June 23-Aug 8 (All 7 Weeks)	All Seven (7) Weeks	\$150	
TOTAL				



Camp Bedminster Calendar

June 23 – August 8, 2014

(Subject to Change)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
June 23 1st DAY OF CAMP!	June 24 Movie Theatre (Mansfield) 	June 25	June 26 The Bounce Factory (Warren) Laser Tag Bounce Activities	June 27 Red, White & Blue Day! Camp Olympics
June 30	July 1 REBONDERZ INDOOR TRAMPOLINE 	July 2	July 3  Laser Tag Bounce Activities Arcades	July 4 NO CAMP
July 7	July 8 Strike n' Spare Bowling (Green Brook) 	July 9	July 10 SPLASHDOWN @  (East Hanover) Wear your bathing suits	July 11 Sports Day! Camp Olympics
July 14	July 15 Monster Indoor Mini-Golf 	July 16	July 17  PUMP IT UP "THE INFLATABLE PARTY ZONE" (Randolph)	July 18 Super Hero Day! Camp Olympics
July 21	July 22 Florham Park Roller Rink 	July 23	July 24 Movie Theatre (Mansfield) 	July 25 Disney Day! Camp Olympics
July 28	July 29  (East Hanover)	July 30	July 31 Strike n' Spare Bowling (Green Brook) 	August 1 Pajama Day! Camp Olympics
Aug 4	Aug 5 Monster Indoor Mini-Golf 	Aug 6	Aug 7  Camp Field Day!	Aug 8 Group Skits Last Day of Camp!