



DUNKIRK YOUTH & RECREATION DEPARTMENT
2018 SUMMER BETTER THAN OTHERS DAY CAMP

HON. MAYOR WILFRED ROSAS

Summer Better Than Others is a Day Camp sponsored by the Dunkirk Youth Bureau and Recreation Commission for young people starting at age 5 and who have graduated from kindergarten through age 11 and who live in the Dunkirk community. The camp offers recreational, athletic and educational experiences for the City’s youngsters. Located in the beautiful confines of Camp Gross, this summer recreational day camp features daily activities such as sports, arts and crafts, lifeguard supervised fishing and swim period, special events, nature studies, sing-a-longs, theater and much more. On rainy days, Camp Gross has several lovely buildings and cabins for our campers to participate in fun and interactive indoor-camp activities.

Summer events may include activities such as: carnivals, Camp Olympics and visits from special guests throughout the local community. The maximum youth to staff ratio will be 6:1 with ratios being significantly lower for special events and water activities. All staff will be first aid trained, lifeguards will be New York State Certified and all staff will have camp orientation/training.

CAMP SESSIONS, DATES AND FEES

There will be five one week sessions scheduled for all age groups. Children can attend two sessions of camp only. Camp sessions will run Monday through Friday (rain or shine) with pickup times starting at approximately 8:05 a.m. and drop off by 3:55 p.m.

Camp fees include lunch, afternoon snacks, and supervised bus transportation with stops at four central locations throughout the City. (Route information will be provided to each camper prior to the start of camp sessions).

- Fees:**
- \$40.00/Per Session – First Child
 - \$30.00/Per Session – Second Child and All Additional Children (Immediate Family)
 - \$50.00/Per Session – First Child for Out of City of Dunkirk Residents
 - \$35.00/Per Session – Second Child and additional children for Out of City of Dunkirk

Camp Sessions are as follows:

Session I	July 9 th – 13 th
Session II	July 16 th – 20 th
Session III	July 23 rd – 27 th
Session IV	July 30 th – August 3 rd
Session V	August 6 th – August 10 th

REGISTRATION

Registration: Beginning Tuesday, June 12th through Friday, June 22nd, registration will be accepted for City of Dunkirk residents at the Dunkirk Youth Bureau/Recreation Office (Located at the Dunkirk Senior Center, 45 Cliffstar Court, Dunkirk NY) from 1:00 p.m. until 5:00 p.m. on Mondays through Fridays. Starting Monday, June 25th, non-City residents may register for camp at the Dunkirk Youth Bureau/Recreation Office from 12:30 p.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Checks may be made payable to: *City of Dunkirk/Summer Camp*. **No Mail-in registrations will be accepted.**

Scholarships will be awarded to youth who meet the criteria for the free lunch program used by the school system and distributed on a first come offer. If you are interested, please bring verification of your participation in the free reduced lunch program from your child’s school.



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Fill out the form below and bring to the Dunkirk Youth & Recreation Office - 45 Cliffstar Court, Dunkirk, NY 14048

NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ CHILD'S AGE _____

City/State/Zip

Preferred Session _____ 1st choice week # _____ 2nd choice week # _____

Registration Fee _____ \$40.00 1st Child _____ \$30.00 2nd child and all additional children

_____ \$50.00 1st Child _____ \$35.00 2nd child and all additional children for out of City residents

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE _____

*A general medical form will also be required once your child's camp session is reserved.

POLICIES & REGISTRATION INFORMATION

1. To be eligible to participate in the Summer Better Than Others Day Camp, a person must be 5 years old and a graduate of kindergarten
2. All programs are offered on a first-come, first-serve basis. Priority is given to Dunkirk residents from June 12th – June 22nd
3. Non-residents may be accepted on a space available basis only and approved starting Monday, June 25th.
4. Persons may not register for others outside his/her family.
5. Individuals enrolling in fee programs are required to pay the registration fee at this time of enrollment. All checks to be made out to the "City of Dunkirk/Summer Camp"
6. The Youth Bureau and Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel or consolidate sessions dependent on registration.
7. Registration is limited to 60 youth per week due to space limitations and leadership ratio. If a session is filled, your name will be placed on a waiting list. In the event, you will be notified by phone and your check returned.
8. Late registration will be accepted in the Youth Bureau Office subject to availability.
9. A full refund will be returned in case of cancellation ONLY if cancellations are done two (2) weeks or more prior to the scheduled camp date.
10. Please call the Youth & Recreation Office at (716) 366-9885 with any questions.



CITY OF DUNKIRK YOUTH BUREAU AND RECREATION COMMISSION
New York State Division for Youth