



Bedminster Township Recreation

NATURE CAMPS

with the



(Sessions for Children Ages 4-6 and 6-10)

Bedminster Recreation is offering nature exploration camps with *The Roving Nature Center* of Tewksbury. Morning sessions are available for 4 to 6 years olds, and afternoon sessions for 6 to 10 year olds. There are two (2) sessions per age group to choose from. Registration is limited to 16 students per session so don't delay!

Campers will meet at and be picked up at **Miller Lane Park** in Bedminster under the tent in our outdoor classroom and begin their adventures from there. Please dress your child comfortably and appropriately for outdoor adventure. No sandals please! Bug spray and a hat are suggested as we will be hitting the trails and exploring our environs. Be sure to bring plenty of beverages too!

We will be meeting rain or shine. In case of severe inclement weather, Nature Camp will meet in the Bedminster Township Public Works Conference Room located at 55 Miller Lane.

Week #1: July 11-15

1A. 9:30 AM to 12 Noon (Ages 4-6) - Roving Rangers Nature Safari: Sylvan Secrets

Magic in the woodlands! Creatures in the trees! Hidden Secret Spaces! Treasures! Hidden delights and surprising adventures await the Roving Rangers as they enter the wondrous and mysterious world of the Forest. Exploring the leafy canopy, strong limbs, shrubby stubble, and earthy floor, they meet up with an intriguing array of lively homesteaders and housebreakers, transformers and transients; and discover Tree-ly Treasures, a Potion for Healthy Forests, and other magical sylvan secrets. Join the Roving Rangers in learning the special, magical ways of the woods in playful animal and tree games, forestry crafts, and other woodland adventures. Each Roving Ranger receives an Official Parchment of Participation!

1B. 1-3:30 PM (Ages 6-10) - Junior Naturalists Outdoor Society: Passport to Adventure

Newly issued Junior Naturalist passports admit us to exciting and exotic destinations: strange new lands, where we meet and interact with the native residents, enjoy their customs, and learn the concepts of their natural governing laws. Our special expertise assists the inhabitants we meet as we search for a mysterious missing passenger, play Territorial Tag, mediate a border dispute between Openland and Forestland, survey new communities for the Mole Transit Authority and Tree Frog Terrace, and perform other useful exploits on our travels. Each Junior Naturalist receives a JNOS Passport and a Certificate of Outdoor Investigations.

Week #2: July 18-22

2A. 9:30 AM to 12 Noon (Ages 4-6) - Underwater Adventures

All the water on the earth, 97% is salt water in oceans. The oceans of the world are homes to many animals and plants. Let's put on our snorkel and mask and dive deep into the underwater world where we will learn about the denizens of the deep. From the sandy beach out to the deepest abyss, aquanauts will explore all forms of life and the food chains contained therein.

2B. 1-3:30 PM (Ages 6-10) - Green Generation

This week budding Junior Environmentalists are going to learn about how we can protect the earth by reducing, reusing and recycling. Children can earn stars for 'eco' behaviors such as using reusable water bottles, bringing in compostable items from home to contribute to the group bin, bringing in reusable cloth napkins and containers instead of disposable plastic and using recycling bins at camp. The best way to protect our Earth is to use our resources wisely making the next generation greener.

Register on-line with credit card at www.bedminster.us or return registration form with check payable to "Bedminster Recreation" by Friday, June 10th!



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REGISTRATION FORM ATTACHED





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(Ages 4 to 10 - One Form Per Child)

Name _____ Grade _____ Date of Birth _____ Age _____
 Complete Address _____
 Email Address _____ Telephone _____
 Emergency Contact _____ Telephone _____

1. Hold Harmless/Parent or Guardian 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 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 _____

2. Allergies/Medications/Special Needs/Accommodations

- **Allergies/Disabilities/Medical Conditions** - Does your child have asthma, allergies, or any other medical conditions we should know about in order to be able to assist your child? _____
- **Epinephrine Auto-Injectors** - _____ (√) Check here if your child requires the use of an epinephrine auto-injector device.
- **Medications** - Is your child on medication during the program and is he/she able to self medicate? Please explain and list medications needed during program hours or in the event an emergency presents itself. _____
- **Special Needs/Accommodations** - Bedminster Recreation welcome individuals with disabilities to participate in all recreation programs and activities. In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) please describe below any accommodations needed for you or your child's enjoyment of this program. A staff member will contact you for more information. _____

3. Bedminster Township Photo Release

_____ I 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.

_____ 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 _____

√ Session	Session	Dates	Times	Age	Session Title	Fee	Total
	1A	July 11-July 15	9:30am-12 Noon	Ages 4-6	Roving Rangers Nature Safari: Sylvan Secrets	\$90	
	1B	July 11-July 15	1-3:30pm	Ages 6-10	Junior Naturalists Outdoor Society: Passport to Adventure	\$90	
	2A	July 18-July 22	9:30am-12 Noon	Ages 4-6	Underwater Adventures	\$90	
	2B	July 18-July 22	1-3:30pm	Ages 6-10	Green Generation	\$90	
						Total	

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