

CAMP AT THE


a SUMMER OF FUN. a LIFETIME OF MEMORIES




SUMMER
OF 2020


FULL DAY CAMPS — BEAUTIFUL OUTDOOR FACILITY — FAMILY FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT — SMALL STAFF-TO-CHILD RATIO



"Best Camp in Central PA!"



"I sent my kids to JCC camp because of the amazing and knowledgeable staff and because of the overall great camp experience. My kids love camp."


"My son really enjoyed camp and he was excited to go every day."


"Our family absolutely loved camp! We knew our daughter was safe and having fun."


"All of the outdoor camp activities and staff are great!"


"This camp is incredibly well run. The counselors are well trained and attentive. It was a wonderful summer experience!"


"The administration and staff set the standard, as far as camps go. They exceeded our expectations."



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GENERAL CAMP INFORMATION

YOUR QUESTIONS - ANSWERED

REGISTRATION

Registration begins January 15, 2020.

Registration requires a \$200 non-refundable deposit per child.

DISCOUNTS EARLY BIRD FEE:

Beginning January 15, 2020 until February 28, 2020,

JCC members who register and pay a \$200 non-refundable deposit will be able to attend camp at the early-bird fee.

SIBLING DISCOUNT

A discount of \$10 off per sibling (per week) is available when siblings attend the same week(s) of camp. It does not apply to first camper who must pay regular camp fee. Does not apply to pre and post camps.

SCHOLARSHIPS:

The JCC will make every effort not to exclude children from a summer camp experience because of financial concerns. Families unable to afford the total cost of the camp program should contact Lori Rubin, Program Director, (717-236-9555, ext. 3108) for a financial scholarship application. A limited number of scholarships are available.

Families applying for scholarships must complete an application and submit required verification of family income.

Scholarship applications must be received by February 28, 2020.

No scholarships will be paid until the applicant has paid their entire portion of tuition.

CAMP PAYMENT PLANS:

Making Camp Affordable for you:

Six-month payment plans are available. Families may pay for camp in monthly installments from January–June.

Please call **Deb at 717-236-9555, ext. 3208** and **Kim at ext. 3200** or e-mail k.evanoff@jewishfedhbg.org



Site

The JCC Day Camp is located at the Green Hills Swim Club on Fishing Creek Valley Road—only 10 minutes from the JCC. There are 27 acres of woods, a stream, Olympic and baby pools, pavilion and athletic fields and a Gaga Court.



Staff

Through our mature and qualified staff, campers are nurtured and guided. The JCC summer camps are supervised by the professional staff of the Jewish Community Center. In addition, a full-time nurse is on duty. Each camp group is supervised by a senior counselor and a junior counselor. Groups will have CITs assigned as needed. Our special program areas have qualified individuals running the various specialties.

Campers are placed in groups of 15 maximum campers according to grade and gender to provide for the best possible camp environment.



OPERATION GESHEM — RAIN POLICY

Camp—rain or shine. In case of inclement weather, our rain policy goes into effect and camp will continue as usual. Since camp will be held every day either at the camp site or at the JCC, dress your campers appropriately: raincoats, warm clothing and so forth. Campers should bring their usual camp gear and lunch daily.



EXTENDED CARE

Extended care is available at the JCC from 7:30 – 8:00 a.m. at no extra charge. At 8:00 a.m. campers will be escorted outside for outdoor play. Care is also available until 6:00 p.m. Monday through Friday. The fee for After Camp Care is \$50 a week per camper Regular Rate and \$30 a week per camper/JCC Member.



TRANSPORTATION

Round trip transportation is provided between the JCC and Green Hills Swim Club. The buses will depart from the JCC at 8:55 a.m. and return in the afternoon at approximately 4:00 p.m.



MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS

Campers must have a complete health examination and a completed health form must be submitted prior to the first day of camp. No child will be allowed to attend camp until the completed health form has been returned to the camp office. Medical forms will be mailed with an information packet after registration is completed.



IMPORTANT INFO

Each day, campers must bring a lunch. The JCC observes a “kosher-style” food policy. This means that campers may never bring food containing pork or shellfish products, and that campers may not mix dairy and meat items in their lunch. Food served by the JCC will never contain peanuts, tree nuts, pork or shellfish (but may be made in a facility that also processes them). Any food that the JCC serves will contain the appropriate *hecksheer* (kosher certification). Each Friday, the camp will enjoy a pizza lunch at no additional charge. Water is provided to the campers throughout the day. In addition, a snack is provided in the afternoons. On the first day of camp, campers should bring bug spray and sunscreen, which will remain at camp and be applied throughout the day.

Nut allergies: Our camp is “nut aware”. This means that we do not serve products containing peanuts or tree nuts, and we discourage campers and staff from bringing such items in their lunches. Some food we serve may be made in facilities that also process peanuts and tree nuts. Please do not pack anything with nut ingredients, even if your camper is not allergic.

CAMP PAYMENTS: All camp payments are due in full by June 1, 2020. Camp payments can be made using a check, cash, VISA, MasterCard, American Express or Discover. It is the policy of the JCC to apply all payments in a priority order. Only after membership, pre-school and all prior balances are fully paid will any payments be credited to the camp balance.

WHAT'S HOT THIS SUMMER

CAMP IS ABOUT FUN, FRIENDS AND NEW EXPERIENCES

CAMP AT THE
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Fun begins with an exciting activity program that features outdoor programs, sports and games, performing arts and drama, instructional swim and recreational swim, cultural activities, arts and crafts, music, environmental living and nature and Israeli culture and Jewish life.

This summer, returning by popular request, special camp-wide programs include: Olympics, Oneg Shabbat, overnights, late nights, carnival, talent show, weekly hobby days, special guests and special theme days.



STEM AND ROBOTICS

New this summer, campers will participate in a variety of STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Math) activities that inspire children to build on their natural curiosity through fun and challenging, hands-on activities.



INSTRUCTIONAL SWIM

Professional water safety instructors supervise and teach campers as they progress throughout the summer.



ATHLETICS

We've got it all! Whether you're looking to learn new skills or to play favorite sports, our athletics program is focused around both individual and team sports.



ARTS AND CRAFTS

Campers can explore their creativity through nature crafts, macrame, tie-dying, paper mache, sandcrafts and lots more.



PERFORMING ARTS

Campers strut their stuff each summer as they enjoy a range of expressive arts including theater, mime, talent shows, plays, skits, song and dance.



ENVIRONMENTAL LIVING

Campers gain an appreciation for the outdoors by hiking, creek walks, cookouts, nature crafts, orienteering, fishing and developing a sensitivity to the environment and ecology throughout the camp site.



JEWISH LIFE

Israeli song and dance, Shabbat and Jewish theme programs, and learning about Israel are all part of the fun of Jewish Life.

SAMPLE SCHEDULE

(daily activities change)

9:00 am	Depart from JCC
9:15 am	Arrive at Green Hills
9:40 am	Whole Camp Ruach (Spirit) by the flag pole
10:00 am	First Period
10:40 am	Second Period
11:15 am	Third Period
12:00 pm	Lunch
12:30 pm	Fourth Period
1:15 pm	Fifth Period
2:00 pm	Snack
2:15 pm	Free Swim
3:30 pm	End of Day Closing Announcements
3:45 pm	Buses depart from Green Hills
4:00 pm	Arrive at the JCC



CAMP PROGRAMS AND COUNSELORS IN TRAINING



CAMP GAN

(Turning 5 years as of September 1, 2020)

Camp Gan is a special adventure where friends and memories are made and cherished. With professional staff, this full-day program features a careful balance of daily activities, a rest period and storytelling time. For an UNBEATABLE summer of positive growth, you can't beat Camp Gan!



CAMP CHAVERIM

(Entering 1st & 2nd grades as of September 1, 2020)

This camp gives children the opportunity to have summertime fun in a safe and pleasant environment. The group experience and the camp program offers campers the chance to enhance their personal development and acquire new skills, as well as enhance their social development by making new friends and learning to be responsible, sharing and caring people.



CAMP SABRA

(Entering 3rd & 4th grades as of September 1, 2020)

Campers never run out of new challenges and adventure in Camp Sabra. This camp offers socialization, new experiences and, even more important, having fun! It's a chance to break away from the traditional summer doldrums.



CAMP MACCABEE

(Entering 5th – 8th grades as of September 1, 2020)

This camp is designed to give campers three unique experiences: community service, day trips and traditional camp experience.



CAMP GIBORIM

(Entering 5th – 8th grades as of September 1, 2020)

This is our unique travel camp that creates a special atmosphere and companionship. With professional staff, our travel campers see parts of the country the best possible way — with friends. Campers will spend Mondays at Green Hills participating in the camp program and four days traveling on amazing day trips and overnights.

*For more information please contact Lori at the JCC
Email: l.rubin@jewishfedhbg.org*

**SEE PRE- AND POST-CAMP OPTIONS LISTED ON THE PAGE
AFTER THE REGISTRATION FORM**



COUNSELOR IN TRAINING PROGRAM

(Entering 9th & 10th grades as of September 1, 2020)

Gain valuable experience working with children. The CIT program will provide useful tools and information on how to be an effective counselor through hands-on experience. CITs will learn how to plan an activity, interact effectively with both campers and counselors and handle tough situations. CITs must commit to a minimum of four consecutive weeks.

A personal interview and pre-camp training sessions are required. CITs can also choose to attend travel camp the weeks they are not working as a CIT.

To apply, please complete the online CIT application and two reference forms available at www.jewishharrisburg.org by March 1, 2020.

CAMP AT THE : REGISTRATION FORM 2020

ONE CHILD PER REGISTRATION FORM		
Child's Name:		
Date of Birth:	Gender:	
With Whom Does Child Reside?		
Grade as of Sept 2020:	T-shirt Size: <input type="checkbox"/> YS <input type="checkbox"/> YM <input type="checkbox"/> YL <input type="checkbox"/> AS <input type="checkbox"/> AM <input type="checkbox"/> AL <input type="checkbox"/> AXL	
PARENT 1 CONTACT INFORMATION		
Name:		
Home Address:	E-Mail:	
City:	State:	Zip:
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Cell:
PARENT 2 CONTACT INFORMATION		
Name:		
Home Address:	E-Mail:	
City:	State:	Zip:
Home Phone:	Work Phone:	Cell:

How did you hear about us?

- We are a returning family Newspaper advertisement Staff Member
 Friends or family _____ Website Other _____

EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION: (Emergency contact must be local)

In the event of an emergency, we will attempt to contact a parent. Please provide an additional person who has authority to make all decisions regarding your child(ren) if we are unable to reach a parent.

Emergency Contact:	Phone 1:	Phone 2:
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- Upon acceptance of your registration and payment of deposit, a place is reserved for your child in the JCC Day Camp. If for any reason the enrollment must be canceled or changed, the JCC must be advised in writing. All changes must be made prior to camp. Applications must be submitted to the Atrium Desk for registration.
- No refunds are made for absences or withdrawals.
- This application is accepted subject to a physical examination of the child by a physician. A medical form is provided: this form must be on file prior to the first day of camp.
- Each child's name, phone number and address are published in the camp directory unless otherwise directed.
- Registration is an acknowledgement that the parent/guardian grants permission for the child to participate in the JCC Day Camp. The parent/guardian assumes all risks and hazards incidental to the conduct of activities and transportation to and from the JCC and anyone connected with the program from any liability associated with the program.
- The JCC has permission to use photographs/videos of the camp for publicity purposes unless a written statement contrary is on file prior to the start of the camp season.
- Camp balances must be paid in full by June 1, 2020.**
- I understand camp deposits and membership fees are non-refundable and that I am responsible for payment of camp fees by the above-stated date. Failure to pay prior to the start of camp will forfeit my child's place in the JCC Day Camp.
- The Director reserves the right to cancel any camper's enrollment or dismiss a camper whose mental condition, conduct, influence or behavior is deemed unsatisfactory to the best interests of the camp. No refund is made if a camper is expelled from camp.

SIGNED:	DATE:
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For information on EARLY LEARNING CENTER and PROGRAMS FOR CHILDREN IN PRE-K AND YOUNGER

please contact

Chana Tillman at 717-236-9555 ext 3107

or c.tillman@jewishfedhbg.org



* Early Bird Fee for
Current JCC Members Only

CAMP GAN (entering kindergarten)	Camp Weeks / Dates		Regular Rate	Early Bird Fee* (by 2/28/20)	JCC Members
	Week 1:	June 15 – June 19	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 2:	June 22 – June 26	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 3:	June 29 – July 2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$375	<input type="checkbox"/> \$285	<input type="checkbox"/> \$300
	Week 4:	July 6 – 10	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 5:	July 13 – July 17	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 6:	July 20 – July 24	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 7:	July 27 – July 31	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 8:	August 3 – August 7	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325

CAMP CHAVERIM (entering 1 st & 2 nd grades)	Camp Weeks / Dates		Regular Rate	Early Bird Fee* (by 2/28/20)	JCC Members
	Week 1:	June 15 – June 19	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 2:	June 22 – June 26	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 3:	June 29 – July 2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$375	<input type="checkbox"/> \$285	<input type="checkbox"/> \$300
	Week 4:	July 6 – 10	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 5:	July 13 – July 17	<input type="checkbox"/> \$425	<input type="checkbox"/> \$345	<input type="checkbox"/> \$360
	Week 6:	July 20 – July 24	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 7:	July 27 – July 31	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 8:	August 3 – August 7	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325

CAMP SABRA (entering 3 rd & 4 th grades)	Camp Weeks / Dates		Regular Rate	Early Bird Fee* (by 2/28/20)	JCC Members
	Week 1:	June 15 – June 19	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> \$365	<input type="checkbox"/> \$380
	Week 2:	June 22 – June 26	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 3:	June 29 – July 2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$375	<input type="checkbox"/> \$285	<input type="checkbox"/> \$300
	Week 4:	July 6 – 10	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> \$365	<input type="checkbox"/> \$380
	Week 5:	July 13 – July 17	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 6:	July 20 – July 24	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 7:	July 27 – July 31	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 8:	August 3 – August 7	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$310	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325

CAMP MACCABEE (entering 5 th & 6 th grades)	Camp Weeks / Dates		Regular Rate	Early Bird Fee* (by 2/28/20)	JCC Members
	Week 1:	June 15 – June 19	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465	<input type="checkbox"/> \$370	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385
	Week 2:	June 22 – June 26	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465	<input type="checkbox"/> \$370	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385
	Week 3:	June 29 – July 2	<input type="checkbox"/> \$425	<input type="checkbox"/> \$350	<input type="checkbox"/> \$365
	Week 4:	July 6 – 10 Circus Camp	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> \$370	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385
	Week 5:	July 13 – July 17 Invention Camp	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$300	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 6:	July 20 – July 24	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465	<input type="checkbox"/> \$370	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385
	Week 7:	July 27 – July 31	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465	<input type="checkbox"/> \$370	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385
	Week 8:	August 3 – August 7	<input type="checkbox"/> \$465	<input type="checkbox"/> \$370	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385

CAMP GIBORIM (entering 5 th – 8 th grades)	Camp Weeks / Dates		Destination	Regular Rate	Early Bird Fee* (by 2/28/20)	JCC Members
	Week 1:	June 15 – June 19	Great Wolf Lodge	<input type="checkbox"/> \$575	<input type="checkbox"/> \$475	<input type="checkbox"/> \$490
	Week 2:	June 22 – June 26	Margate	<input type="checkbox"/> \$575	<input type="checkbox"/> \$475	<input type="checkbox"/> \$490
	Week 3:	June 29 – July 2	Philadelphia	<input type="checkbox"/> \$585	<input type="checkbox"/> \$485	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500
	Week 4:	July 6 – July 10	Camp Circus	<input type="checkbox"/> \$450	<input type="checkbox"/> \$370	<input type="checkbox"/> \$385
	Week 5:	July 13 – July 17	Invention Camp	<input type="checkbox"/> \$400	<input type="checkbox"/> \$300	<input type="checkbox"/> \$325
	Week 6:	July 20 – July 24	Wisp	<input type="checkbox"/> \$625	<input type="checkbox"/> \$520	<input type="checkbox"/> \$540
	Week 7:	July 27 – July 31	Club Getaway	<input type="checkbox"/> \$750	<input type="checkbox"/> \$640	<input type="checkbox"/> \$660
	Week 8:	August 3 – August 7	Day Trips	<input type="checkbox"/> \$500	<input type="checkbox"/> \$375	<input type="checkbox"/> \$395

SUMMER FUN DAYS	Specialty Camp	Dates	Regular Rate	Early Bird Fee* (by 2/28/20)	JCC Members
	<input type="checkbox"/> Bricks 4 Kidz	June 8 – June 12	\$350	\$285	\$300
	<input type="checkbox"/> Circus Camp	July 6 – July 10	\$450	\$370	\$385
<input type="checkbox"/> Adventures on the Go	August 10 – 14	\$400	\$340	\$350	

AFTER CAMP CARE
Monday–Friday
4:00 – 6:00 pm

- Week 1
June 15
- Week 2
June 22
- Week 3
June 29
- Week 4
July 6
- Week 5
July 13
- Week 6
July 20
- Week 7
July 27
- Week 8
August 3

RATES:
\$50 a week per camper
Regular Rate

\$30 a week per camper
JCC Member

**i ♥ JCC Day
CAMP Staff**

At the end of each summer, parents always ask us what they can do to thank our amazing staff.

Making a gift toward "I ♥ JCC Day Camp Staff" is a way for you to honor our staff who work tirelessly to make camp so special. These donations are used to support staff programs, training and recognition.

Please add my \$25 tax-deductible gift to my fees to honor the JCC Day Camp Staff.

CAMP PAYMENTS		
Check #		Cash Amount:
Credit Card #	Expiration Date:	Amount:

We accept VISA, MasterCard, American Express and Discover

SUMMER FUN DAYS

PRE- AND POST-CAMP OPTIONS

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BRICKS 4 KIDZ®

(For campers entering Kindergarten–6th grades as of September 1, 2020)

Children will enjoy using LEGO® Bricks to build specially-designed models, play games, explore the world of engineering, architecture and movie-making. This camp will be held at the JCC. Campers will spend part of the day participating in Bricks 4 Kidz and the other half going swimming, enjoying the outdoors, arts and crafts and more. Please pack a bathing suit, towel, sunscreen and lunch.

Dates: June 8 – June 12

Time: 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

Rates: Early Bird Rate: \$285; JCC Member Rate: \$300; Regular Rate: \$350

Registration Deadline: May 29 or when we reach 50 campers



ADVENTURES ON THE GO

(For campers entering Kindergarten–6th grades as of September 1, 2020)

Enjoy this fun and exciting week of mystery and adventure. Special trips and fun theme days.

Please pack a bathing suit, towel, sunscreen and lunch.

Dates: August 10 – August 14

Time: 8:00 am – 6:00 pm

Rates: Early Bird Rate: \$340; JCC Member Rate: \$350; Regular Rate: \$400

Registration Deadline: May 29 or when we reach 50 campers



CIRCUS OF THE KIDS

(For campers entering Kindergarten–8th grades as of September 1, 2020)

Circus of the Kids is the most incredible thing you'll ever see done with children. In one week campers will be challenged to do things beyond their wildest dreams. They will learn and practice the art of trick roller skating, trapeze and other amazing routines from circus professionals! Campers will audition on July 5 and be placed in small groups where they will have staff work with them individually on their assigned circus act. At the week's end, complete with costumes and makeup, the kids will proudly present a full-fledged circus performance for their fellow campers and then a second performance for family and friends. Don't miss this exciting and unique experience! To learn more about Circus of the Kids please visit www.circusofthekids.com. Ages 6-14

Dates: July 6 – July 10

Rates: Early Bird Rate: \$370; JCC Member Rate: \$385; Regular Rate: \$450



For more information please contact Lori at the JCC
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Early Learning Center
Day Camp
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Massage
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**Free fitness assessment,
 orientation for new members**
Indoor pool

Racquetball court
**Classes for all ages
 and stages**
After-care program
Open 7 Days a Week

Camp families that join the JCC will receive the camp fee at a discounted rate.

**Members also have access to a Green Hills Summer Membership
 open from Memorial Day to Labor Day**

Take advantage of the beautiful facility, large swimming pool, volleyball court, basketball court, Gaga court, large pavilion, playground and much more.

For membership information please contact
 Linda Skulsky at 717-236-9555, ext. 3050, or l.skulsky@jewishfedhbg.org