

Fun Camp Weekly Themes- 2020



It's a Bug's Life (Week 1: June 15th- June 19th)

Campers will learn about a variety of issues pertaining to the environment. This week will be full of green activities including a tour of the **EMU Herbarium** and a tutorial on how to grow your own veggies and make your own bee habitat! This is a comprehensive educational program which fosters joy and discovery through exploration of the natural world. Campers will leave this camp engaged with the environment, sustainability savvy, and ready to begin doing their part to protect our beautiful planet. We plan to visit the high tech kitchen at **Eagle Nutrition Services** for an interactive demonstration on cooking with local ingredients. Throughout the week there will be fun activities and crafts related to the environment.

Decades of FUN (Week 2: June 22nd- June 26th)

This week will focus on the exciting world of American history. From an immersive experience with Native American history and culture to an exploration of dance through history, this week will leave students passionate about the past! We will “travel back in time” at the **Henry Ford Museum** where a complete immersive experience brings history alive. Throughout the week there will be fun activities and crafts related to American history.

Race through Space (Week 3: July 6th- July 10th)

During this week campers will keep their eyes on the stars and the future. Beginning with an exclusive tour of the **EMU Planetarium** and ending with a robot relay race, this program will give students the opportunity to learn basic astronomy, make their own star maps, and interact with and operate a robot. This week at camp will be out of this world! Throughout the week there will be fun activities and crafts related to outer space.

Lions, Tigers, and Campers... Oh My (Week 4: July 13th- July 17th)

By popular demand, we are bringing back **Nelson the Animal Guy** from the **Wildlife Safari Company on Wednesday, July 15th**. He will create the *purr-fect* wildlife experience by promoting safe, fun and positive interactions with cool creatures. Campers will spend a morning with EMU zoology students, learning all about their favorite animal friends. The week will end with a special visit by puppies from a local animal shelter. Campers will even get a chance to try their hand at wildlife photography. Throughout the week there will be fun activities and crafts related to wildlife and animals.

Going for the Gold (Week 5: July 20th- July 24th)

Campers will spend this week getting Olympics ready! Students will learn the importance of exercise and healthy eating by playing games and making healthy snacks. What better way to cheer on America than a visit to the ballpark on **Tuesday, July 21st** for another fun and memorable Summer Rec Day experience as we watch the **Toledo Mud Hens** compete. Campers will also learn how to build a strong team using theatre games and exercises. Campers will leave this camp as strong team players, ready to go for the gold! We have also planned olympic-themed crafts and activities throughout the week.

Under the Big Top (Week 6: July 27th- July 31st)

Mark your calendars for **Thursday, July 30th**. The Fun Camp Carnival is going Big-Time again this summer when **Xceptional Events** returns to run the show. There will be inflatables, a dunk tank, a cotton candy machine and more!! Campers will play carnival games, win prizes, get their faces painted, dunk counselors...fun for everyone! Throughout the week there will be fun carnival activities and crafts.

Game On (Week 7: August 3rd- August 7th)

EMU is jumping into the Esports world. We have all the cool equipment and expertise. This week we will be introducing campers to the age appropriate games, Minecraft and Rocket league...maybe some Smash Brothers for the 10 and up crowd. We will continue the hollaballo when we visit **Revel and Roll** for an afternoon of bowling and arcade games. Throughout the week there will be fun activities and crafts related to gaming.

Let's Make Some Waves (Week 8: August 10th- August 14th)

After what is sure to be a long hot summer, It is time to wave goodbye to another great summer. We made new friends and had lots of fun...let's have one last hoorah! We will enjoy a variety of water themed games, activities and crafts. The summer would not be complete without our annual field trip to **Rolling Hills Water Park**.