

CAMP WILLIAM PENN DEPARTURE CENTERS

PICK UP AND DROP OFF POINTS FOR 1999 CAMP PERIODS

FIRST DEPARTURE

JULY 6 – JULY 10

THIRD DEPARTURE

JULY 23 – JULY 30

#1. Lower Mayfair Playground
Robbins Ave. & Hawthorne Sts.
685-1227
Contact: Lance Torpey

#2. Lincoln Pool
Rowland Ave. & Shelmire Sts.
685-8751
Contact: Chuck Rabb

#3. Ziehler Playground
"B" St. & Olney Ave.
685-9145 / 9144
Contact: Bill Frysinger

#4. Waterview Recreation Center
Rittenhouse & McMahon Sts.
685-2229
Contact: Cleo Prince

#5. M.L. King Recreation Center
22nd St. & Cecil B. Moore Ave.
685-2733 / 2734
Contact: Joe Cook

#6. Cruz Recreation Center
6th & Master Sts.
685-2759
Contact: Joseph Kaiser

#7. McVeigh Recreation Center
"D" & Ontario Sts.
685-9896 / 9897
Contact: Chuck Donaldson

#8. Christy Recreation Center
56th & Christian Sts.
685-1997
Contact: Barbara Jones

#9. Francis Myers Recreation Center
58th St. & Kingsessing Ave.
685-2698
Contact: Eric Henninger

#10. Marion Anderson Recreation Center
17th & Fitzwater Sts.
685-6594
Contact: Carolyn White

SECOND DEPARTURE

JULY 13 – 20

FOURTH DEPARTURE

AUGUST 4 – 11

#1. Jarrel Recreation Center
Cotman Ave. & Penway St.
685-0596
Contact: John Muller

#2. Holme Playground
Holme Ave. & Willis St.
685-8793
Contact: Alan Cissorsky

#3. Belfield Recreation Center
21st St. & Chew Ave.
685-2220 / 2221
Contact: Ed Livingston

#4. Kendrick Recreation Center
Ridge Ave. & Pensdale St.
685-2584 / 2585
Contact: John Moffa

#5. Athletic Recreation Center
26th & Master St.
685-2709
Contact: John McDermott

#6. Franklin Playground
Elkhart & Franklin Sts.
685-9899
Contact: George Kilkullen

#7. Whitehall Commons Playground
Ditman & Wakeling Sts.
685-1243
Contact: Dennis Parrish

#8. Shepard Recreation Center
57th St. & Haverford Ave.
685-1992
Contact: James Moity

#9. Vane Recreation Center
26th & Morris Sts.
685-1876
Contact: Gary Waters

#10. Palumbo Recreation Center
10th & Fitzwater Sts.
686-1783
Contact: Helen Harvey

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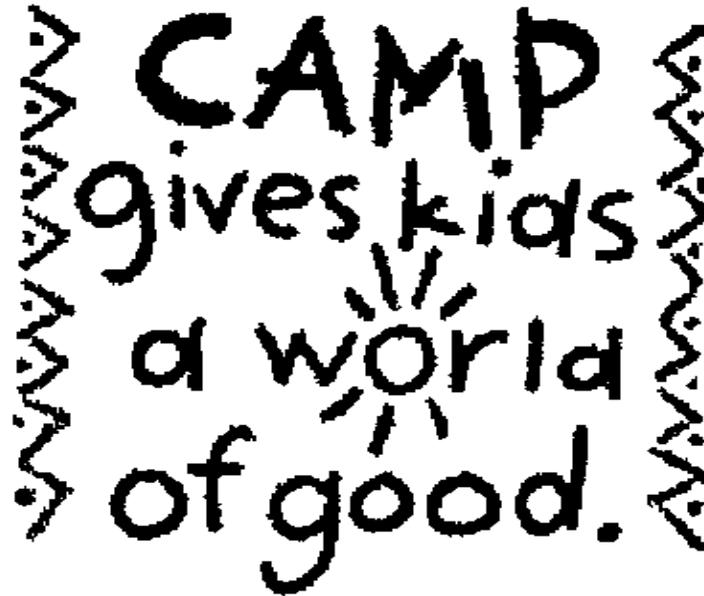
WHAT HAPPENS AT CAMP?

At **CAMP WILLIAM PENN** the emphasis is on an outdoors and nature-based program to provide children with activities and experiences not usually available to them in the city. Here are some of the things your children will do at camp...Awaken to the bugle call and assemble for flag raising...Make their bed and clean their living area...Go for a swim or row a boat or paddle a canoe or catch a fish on a seven-acre spring fed lake...Sing songs, tell stories and roast marshmallows around a camp fire...Play outdoor games and sports...Complete a project in Arts & Crafts...Learn how to cook a meal, pitch a tent, build a fire and head out for an overnight hike with their friends...Catch a frog or salamander or see a deer on a nature walk...Compete in all-camp events like "OLOW" (Over-Land-Over-Water) races or Indian Olympics...Enjoy a home-made Carnival...Attend Sunday devotions...Write a letter home and receive mail...Make new friends and collect a life-time of memories.

At **CAMP WILLIAM PENN** your child will live in a cabin group with six other boys or girls, their own age, with a Senior Counselor. Four cabins form a Unit with its own Lodge and Unit Leader with considerable skills and experience in working with children. There are separate cabin areas for Boys and Girls camp, each with its own Program Director. Certified Water Safety Instructors and Lifeguards conduct all swimming and boating activities. There are two Registered Nurses on staff and a Consulting Physician on call to address all medical concerns of our campers. Speciality Counselors, Food Service staff and support personnel complete the staff of seventy (70). Experienced professionals in camping head the camp. When full, camp can accommodate 140 boys and 140 girls, making **CAMP WILLIAM PENN** one of the largest camps in Pennsylvania.

AMERICAN CAMPING ASSOCIATION

Camp William Penn is an accredited member of the American Camping Association (A.C.A.) and is operated in full compliance with the A.C.A.'s high standards for Site and Food Service, Transportation, Health and Wellness, Operations Management, Human Resources, Program Design, Activities and Aquatics.



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FIVE DAY ENCAMPMENT

Responding to parental concerns and positive feed-back from the last several camp seasons, we are again offering a Five Day Encampment designed for children who have not had a resident camping experience or who will be leaving home for the first time. We have excluded the overnight camping activity where children spend the night at one of our remote camp-sites (away from center camp and their cabin areas), and have included more activities centered around Arts and Crafts, Boating, Camp Fire activities, Fishing, Swimming and Nature Study. We have also included a "Camper Choice" option. **The Five Day Encampment will be from July 6-10, 1999, which is from Tuesday to Saturday.** Children who have had a resident camping experience are also invited to attend this encampment. **The cost for the Five Day encampment is \$25.00.**

WHO CAN ATTEND CAMP ?

CAMP WILLIAM PENN is the City of Philadelphia, Department of Recreation, summer resident co-ed camp for children, located above Marshalls Creek, Pennsylvania, in the heart of the Pocono Mountains. The camp is situated on a 671-acre site, which includes a seven-acre spring fed lake and a one-acre pond, both fed from natural springs located on the property. The camp has over 100 rustic buildings including bunk cabins, two recreation halls, a Dining Hall and kitchen, Nature Lodge, Arts and Crafts Lodge, Health Center, showerhouses and utility buildings. There are endless hiking trails and clear streams. The camp is surrounded by another 2000 acres of state owned forestland and a 5000 acre private game reserve.

CAMP WILLIAM PENN is open to children between the ages of 8 and 12 years of age who are residents of Philadelphia for the 1999 camping season. **Children who are 13 years of age will not be enrolled in camp.** **CAMP WILLIAM PENN** is open to all eligible children regardless of family income, race, color, nationality or religious affiliation. Due to the **CAMP WILLIAM PENN** layout and inaccessibility, this program is not recommended for handicapped children. However, the Camp's Administrative Office will assist interested parents in locating alternate programs to meet the needs of their children.

HOW MUCH DOES IT COST TO ATTEND CAMP?

A child can attend **CAMP WILLIAM PENN** for only a **\$40.00** registration fee (8-day encampment) or a **\$25.00** registration fee (5-day encampment) because the City of Philadelphia fully supports the camp with operating funds. There are three (3) eight-day encampments and one (1) five-day encampment. All campers **must** be residents of Philadelphia. For this fee your child receives: Motorcoach transportation to and from camp from the Departure Center of your choice; three meals daily and snacks; an official camp tee-shirt; all activities and special events at camp; clean sheets and blankets; and, medical coverage for accidents and illness while at camp. **Pre-existing health conditions are not covered by our Camper Insurance Policy.**