

KARST DAY CAMP2025 Information

Dear Parent/Guardian:

Welcome to Karst Day Camp, where we've planned a summer of fun, learning and adventure for your children! Our dedicated team is committed to providing a safe environment where kids can make friends, explore interests, and create lasting memories. Thank you for choosing us for their summer experience – we can't wait to see them at camp! Please review the enclosed documents for important information you will need for this summer.

The normal drop-off/pick-up location will be at Shelter 1, at the front of the park (take an immediate left upon entering the park). During inclement weather we will utilize the Commons Building. Consult the enclosed map for directions.

Camp Sessions: Session 1: May 27 – May 30 Session 6: June 30 – July 3 (no camp 7/4)

Session 2: June 2 – June 6 Session 7: July 7 – July 11 Session 3: June 9 – June 13 Session 8: July 14- July 18 Session 4: June 16 – June 20 Session 9: July 21 – July 25 Session 5: June 23 – June 27 July 28 - August 1 Session 10:

Location: Karst Farm Park

Shelter 1: regular drop-off/pick-up location

The Commons building: inclement weather drop off/pick up location

Camp Hours: 7:00 am - 5:45 pm 7:00 am - 9:00 am Pick Up Hours: 3:30 pm - 5:45 pm

You **cannot** drop your child off before 7:00 am and you **must** pick up your child by 5:45 pm. If your child needs to arrive at camp after 9:00 am or leave camp before 3:30 pm, please make prior arrangements with the camp staff.

Office Information: Monroe County Parks & Recreation

501 N. Morton St., Suite 100 Bloomington, IN 47404 Phone: 812-349-2800

Office Hours: 8:00 am – 4:00 pm, Monday-Friday

Camp Phone Numbers:

Should an emergency arise and you need to contact your child at camp, you can call the main office (812-349-2800) between 8:00 am and 4:00 pm. The main office will always know how and where to reach us. Before or after regular office hours, you may call the camp cell phones (812-360-5803 / 812-360-5804).

What to Bring:

- Appropriate clothing for the weather and activities (i.e. comfortable play clothes & athletic shoes). Keep in mind that it may be cool in the mornings – we advise a sweatshirt or jacket.
- A healthy lunch, two snacks and a water bottle. Water fountains are available in the park. No
 refrigeration of items is available at camp. We recommend a small lunch cooler.
- Water splash pad & swim days (Tuesdays, Thursdays & Fridays): The pool entrance fee is
 included in the camp fee. On swim days campers must bring a swimsuit, towel, sunscreen,
 extra t-shirt to swim in, hat or visor, a bag in which to carry their things, along with their usual
 lunch & snacks.
- Campers must wear their camp t-shirt on Wednesdays for field trips.
- Please label all personal belongings.
- Campers may bring hand-held electronics, but their use will be limited to brief designated
 periods during free time. Please note that campers are responsible for any personal items
 they bring to camp.

Medications at Camp:

Should your child require medication at camp, you will be asked to complete an "Authorization for Administering Medication Release Form and Indemnification Agreement". All medications, prescription and non-prescription, must be delivered to camp staff by the parent/guardian in their original bottles or containers and must be clearly labeled as follows:

- 1. child's name
- 2. name of medication
- 3. dates and times of administration
- 4. dosage

Please note that when necessary, we will apply sunscreen and deet-free insect spray to your child. We encourage you to send these items with your child, but in event that your child does not have them with them we will use products that we have on hand at camp.

Required Forms:

Parents of registered children will be mailed a parent information packet with forms included that must be signed & returned to camp staff on the first day that your child attends.