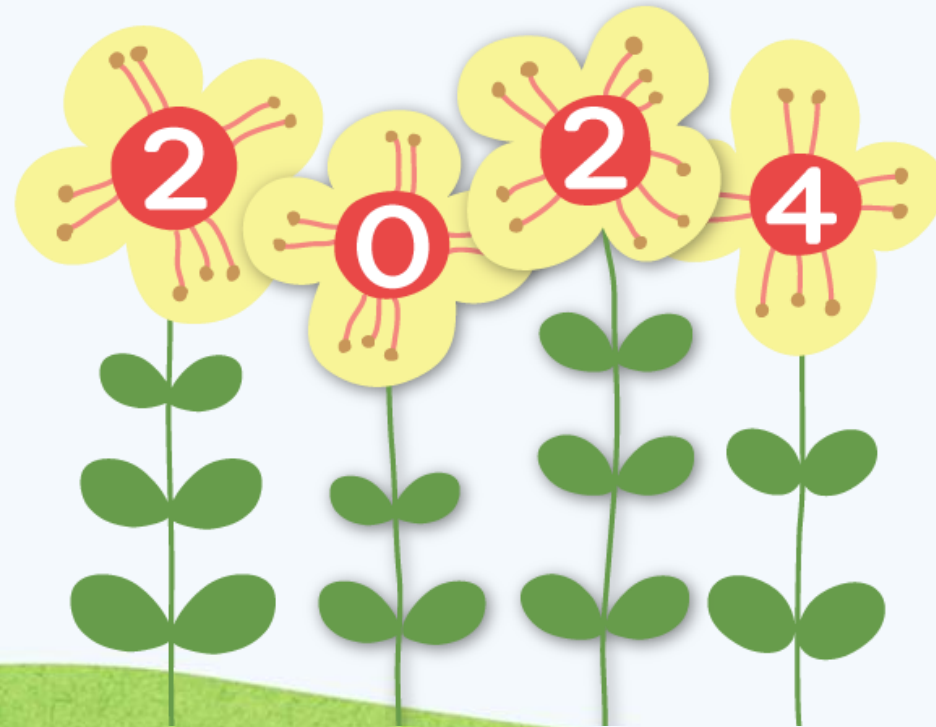


Teen Summer Camp

Virtual Open House



Teen Travelers/ Urban Adventures/ Teen Waterpark Tour

Teen Travelers

- **Age Range: 11-14 years old**
- **Location: Lorel Park**
- **Rain site Location: Madison Elementary**
- **Camper to Staff Ratio: 1 program leader to 10 campers**

Urban Adventures

- **Age Range: 11-14 years old**
- **Location: Starbucks @ Skokie Swift Station**
- **Rain site Location: Mapped out locations on field trips**
- **Camper to Staff Ratio: 1 program leader to 10 campers**

Teen Waterpark Tour

- **Age Range: 11-14 years old**
- **Location: Oakton Park**
- **Rain site Location: Oakton Community Center**
- **Camper to Staff Ratio: 1 program leader to 10 campers**

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CAMP SPECIFIC GOALS

- Empower teens to be active during the 2024 summer season
- Create meaningful summer experiences through fun, engaging programs
- Build community within camps through nurturing positive social experiences amongst peers
- Have FUN!





GENERAL DAILY SCHEDULE

***Specific daily schedules will vary based on the field trip planned for that day. Schedules will be communicated ahead of time and daily through the summer camp app**








- **9-9:30 AM- Camper Check- In**
- **9:30 AM- 10:30 AM- Group games, team building activities, field trip prep**
- **10:30 AM- 2 PM- Field Trip**
- **2PM- 3:30 PM: Travel back to camp location, field trip debrief, free time, group games/activities**
- **3:30-4 PM: Camper Pick Up/Departure**



Field Trip Samples of Teen Camps

Teen Travelers

June

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
12 Skokie Water Playground  	13 Bowlero 	14 Chicago Dogs Baseball Game 	15 Montrose Beach  	16 America's Action Territory 

Urban Adventures

August

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
7 The Field Museum 	8 Mercury Skyline Cruise 	9 Wrigley Field Tour 	10 Museum of Science and Industry 	11 Loyola Beach  

Teen Waterpark Tour

Teen Waterpark Tour Trip Schedule



July/August

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
31 Sea Lion Aquatic Center 	1 Bartlett Aquatic Center 	2 Mystic Waters 	3 Family Aquatic Center at Heritage Park 	4 Hidden Creek Aquapark 



Teen campers gain empowerment and independence at our camps through all the trips and adventures we go on.

What to bring to camp:

- **A backpack to carry:**
 - **Sack lunch and snacks to meet campers fueling needs**
 - **Refillable water bottle(s)**
 - **Sunscreen and bug repellent**
 - **Swimsuits/towel/sandals for Waterpark Tour camp and aquatic trips**



Teen Camper Adventures Examples



Urban Adventures Camp taking a cruise tour down the Chicago River



Making a splash at Teen Waterpark Tour Camp at various waterparks and splash pads in the Chicagoland area



Teen Travelers Camp cheering on the Chicago Sky at Wintrust Arena

Camp Communication

Camp App



- **Camp phone contact information**
- **Schedule of field trips for each session**
- **Pictures uploaded daily of our adventures**
- **Updates and notifications of field trips and schedules**

Camp Cell Phones

- **Each teen camp will have a camp cellphone.**
- **Contact purposes:**
 - **Call/text for camper absence and tardiness**
 - **Text questions/inquiries about the camp schedule**





Field Trips and Experiences that will be remembered for a lifetime

Swimming and Pool Rules

District Wide Pool Policies:

- All campers, regardless of height, will be required to take the swimming test if they wish to have access to all areas of the pool.
- To pass the swimming test, the camper is required to swim the length of the pool without any breaks. The Skokie Park District's staff will determine 'pass' or 'fail' and will record it.
- Campers that do not take the swimming test or do not pass the swimming test will be issued a wristband. Campers issued a wristband should remain in shallow water. This is determined as water shallower than their own armpits.
- Campers that pass the swimming test can have access to all areas in the pool. This consists of water deeper than their own armpits, slides, and diving boards
- Swimming tests will be supervised by lifeguards and camp staff.
- Swimming tests will be available to campers every visit to the pool.
- Campers are welcome to retake the swim test as many times as they like to try.
- If the camper is in multiple camps, the camper will be required to take the test at each camp for which they are registered.
- Along with lifeguards, camp staff will be in and around the pool to provide extra supervision and monitor the wristbands.
- Campers will be asked to use the buddy system while swimming at the pool and using the locker room bathrooms. Buddies should have similar swim ability (update according to your own camp rules).



We can't wait to see you this summer!

