



GWA

Summer Camps

CAMP SCHEDULE 2018

WEEK 1 JUNE 4-8

GIRLS' BASKETBALL CAMP

June 4-7 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$100 | Rising 2nd-8th graders

Join Coach Hines, Coach Reynolds, and members of the Lady Bulldog Basketball team to develop good basketball fundamentals for girls of all levels in a fun atmosphere. Areas stressed are dribbling, shooting, passing, footwork, basketball terminology and sportsmanship. Price includes camp t-shirt.

BULLDOG ADVENTURES WITH MS. SHERRE AND MS. KIM

June 4-7 (M-Th) | 8:30 a.m. - 3 p.m.
Cost \$235 for one child, \$220 for the second child | Ages 5-11

Join Ms. Sherre and Ms. Kim on an off campus adventure! Each day will be fun filled with an exciting activity from hiking Stone Mountain to bowling and everything in between. A sack lunch is required for each day and bus transportation will be provided by GWA.

TAE KWON DO / SELF-DEFENSE CAMP JUNE 4-8

June 4-8 (M-F) | 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
\$120 | Ages 6-10

This camp is designed to teach basic to intermediate Tae Kwon Do skills, such as kicks, punches, strikes and blocks, and it will also teach how to get out of situations where one is being attacked (self-defense). The benefits of this camp will include:

respect for one's self and one's peers, coordination, helping overcome shyness, learning defensive techniques, easing stress, learning focus and how to pay attention, and it's a great workout! It will be taught by Benji Lalaian, a 2nd Degree Black Belt in Tae Kwon Do and advanced training and instruction in self-defense.

WEEK 2 JUNE 11-15

BOYS' BASKETBALL CAMP

June 11-15 (M-F) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$120 | Rising 2nd -8th graders

Bulldog Basketball Camp provides a fun atmosphere and coaching to become a better basketball player. This camp helps develop good basketball fundamentals for boys of all ages and levels. Areas stressed are dribbling, shooting, passing, footwork, basketball terminology and sportsmanship. Includes a basketball camp t-shirt.

DRAW, PAINT, & CREATE CAMP

June 11-14 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
\$150 | Ages 5-15

If your child or teen enjoys drawing, painting, and learning new techniques, then this is the camp for you! Participants will learn an amazing variety of drawing and painting techniques in watercolor, acrylic, tempera, charcoal, ink, pastels, graphite, and more! They will explore landscapes, portraits, animals, and a variety of other subject matter as they create beautiful pieces that will be treasured by your family for years to come! Campers will be grouped according to their age to ensure that they are challenged according to their abilities. Presented by The Sketching Pad.

NINTENDO MAKER CAMP

June 11-14 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$160 | Rising 1st -5th graders

Imagine building the handlebars for a motorcycle and then using it to play a racing game. Campers will have a blast building physical objects and using them to play Nintendo games and more. After playing awesome games, campers will design their own levels and games for fellow campers to play. Campers also have chances to win Nintendo themed toys and prizes.

Optional: Campers may bring in their favorite Nintendo Switch or retro games to share with friends.

TAE KWON DO / SELF-DEFENSE CAMP JUNE 11-15

June 11-15 (M-F) | 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
\$120 | Ages 11+

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WEEK 3 JUNE 18-22

PAJAMA PARTY CAMP

**June 18-22 (M-F) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.,
3 p.m. - 7 p.m. | \$145**
Ages 5 years-rising 4th grade

Each participant will receive a script and a practice CD, and a snack each day. They will learn performance skills (singing, moving, acting), play music and drama games, and enjoy a Pizza party. Each child will also receive a "special treat" at the end of the Friday performance. *Parents will provide "pajamas" as costume.

PLEASE NOTE: M, T, W, Th 9 a.m. - 12 p.m., Fri: 3 p.m. - 7 p.m. for rehearsal performance

NEW LONDON DRIVERS' ED

June 18-22 (M-F) | 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.
\$445 GWA Students | Ages 15-18 yrs

The 5 days of Class will cover the 30 hours of Classroom time for the Driver's Education/Josha's Law Course.

ALL SPORTS CAMP

June 18-22 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$120 | Rising 2nd -5th graders

This All Sports Camp will introduce kids to a variety of sports such as baseball, softball, basketball, football, soccer, and running. We want to get the kids active, let them play, and just be kids!

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GWA LEGO ADVENTURES CAMP

June 19-21 (T, W, Th)
9 a.m. - 3 p.m. | \$150
8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. | \$175
Rising 1st -5th graders

Come join the fun! All ability levels welcomed. Enjoy the latest innovative group sets, games and freestyle challenges.

ART OF FENCING CAMP

June 18-22 | (M-F) 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$155 | Ages 9-18

The Olympic sport of Fencing is commonly considered "physical chess" since this sport is both a mental and physical game. This camp will introduce students to the history and basics of fencing and will cover safety, footwork, bladework, important terms, and strategy. The sessions will start with a brief warm up followed by discussions ranging from the history of fencing to strategies used in modern competition. We will also introduce physical and mental exercises that help with fencing. The second half of each day will focus on technique and will cover footwork, bladework, tactics, and bouting. All participants will be required to wear athletic clothing and long pants. Staff Information: Coach Allen Schneider is an A-rated fencer ("A" being the highest rating achievable) who trained under an Olympic coach and has competed internationally. He has dedicated himself to coaching and has experience training fencers of all ages and skill levels.

WEEK 4 JUNE 25-29

PIANO DISCOVERIES CAMP

June 25-28 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$150 | Ages 5 yrs - rising 2nd graders

This camp is for students who have not yet taken piano lessons but are interested in playing the piano. Students will explore basic piano concepts, such as pitch, rhythm, note names and musicality. They will learn a variety of early beginner songs and will perform a mini recital for their parents on the final day of camp. Lessons will include games, playing on the piano and keyboard, listening to music and writing our own music.

YOUNG COMPOSERS CAMP

June 25-28 (M-Th) | 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.
\$150 | Rising 3rd -5th graders

Students who are interested in writing music are invited to this camp. We will explore a variety of ways to compose...some traditional and some unexpected. At the end of the week, students will present their compositions to friends and family.

COMIC CAMP

June 25-28 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
\$150 | Ages 7-15

Join us this summer for Comic Camp, an exciting experience for kids and teens to create a completed short comic! Participants will learn about human and animal characteristics and how they can be used to create exceptional characters! Storyboarding, panel design, and building a narrative will all be covered. They will learn about inking, colored pencils, and watercolors. Campers will be grouped according to their age to ensure that they are challenged according to their abilities. Presented by The Sketching Pad.

¡OLE SPANISH CAMP!

June 25-28 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
\$150 | Ages 5 years-rising 5th grade

Take a cultural journey to explore the language and culture of Latin American countries. Through crafts, food, games, and songs, children will be actively engaged in Spanish language and culture!

TAE KWON DO/SELF- DEFENSE CAMP JUNE 25-29

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FOOTBALL CAMP

June 25-28 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$125 | Ages 5 yrs – rising 8th graders

Join our coaches and members of the varsity football team to develop good fundamentals in a fun atmosphere. Areas stressed are speed, agility, technique, football savvy, strength training, sportsmanship, and character development.

WEEK 5 JULY 9-13

WORLD QUEST SUMMER ARTS ACADEMY

July 9-12 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
\$150 | Ages 5-15

Join us for a trip around the world this summer! Bella Musica Music Studio and the Sketching Pad present World Quest Summer Arts Academy, an engaging summer camp where children explore the cultures of other continents through music, language, and visual art in engaging sessions each day.

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GWA'S STEM-TASTIC ENGINEERS

July 9-12 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$150 | Age 5 - rising 2nd graders

Each day you will be challenged with hands-on STEM activities that promote problem-solving skills as well as technology skills. Using Legos, robots, iPads, and many other materials, you will need creativity and teamwork to find new solutions – just like Engineers do in the real world!

GWA'S BATTLE BOTS

July 9-12 (M-Th)
12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m. | \$150
Rising 3rd-5th graders

Teams of two will utilize Dash robots and Legos to build the optimal bot to take on opponents. Each day you will build, program, and/or control remotely your robot to take on other teams in various types of events. These events include races, obstacle courses, jousting, and more!

WEEK 6 JULY 16-20

STEAM

July 16-19 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.
\$150 | Ages 7-15

Participants in STEAM Camp will explore art's connection to science, technology, engineering, and math through fun and enriching experiences! Campers will build art-making robots, experiment with chemical reactions, create living artwork out of plants, and so much more in this incredibly interactive and exciting camp! Campers will be grouped according to their age to ensure that they are challenged according to their abilities. Presented by The Sketching Pad

CRAFTY MATH

July 16-18 (M-W)
9 a.m. - 3 p.m. | \$150
8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. | \$175
Rising 1st – 6th graders

Keep your math skills fresh and fluent over the summer while enjoying cool, crafty

activities! All new games, activities and crafts. Come join the fun and bring any summer math assignments. Math can be FUN!!

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\$120 | Ages 5 years-rising 5th grade

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YOUTH CHEER CAMP

July 16-19 (M-Th) | 9 a.m. - 12 p.m.
\$130 | Age 5 years – 8th grade

Join the GWA cheerleaders to learn a dance routine, cheers, chants, stunts, games, crafts, and much more! Each camper will receive a snack each day and a t-shirt. The last day of camp will culminate with a mini competition for the parents. All camp attendees will be invited to showcase their newfound skills at a GWA football game. Rec youth squads welcome!

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WEEK 7 JULY 23-27

READERS' THEATER

July 23-26 (M-Th)

9 a.m. - 3 p.m. | \$175

8:30 a.m. - 3:30 p.m. | \$185

Rising 2nd -5th graders

Last chance this summer to refine your reading while having lots of fun with friends. Reader's Theater offers a relaxing, fun way to practice fluency, gain vocabulary, and improve reading prosody. Bring your summer reading assignments!

WELCOME TO MIDDLE SCHOOL

July 24-25 (T,W) | 9 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

\$100 | *Rising 6th -8th graders*

Welcome to Middle School at GWA! This session will focus on rising Middle School students and any students in 6th-8th grades new to George Walton. Get inside information about what to expect the first few weeks at George Walton. At this camp, you will tour the school, meet other students, follow your schedule, and get all your questions answered. We will have guest appearances by some of the teachers/administration, small groups lead by GWA students, and much, much, more! You will not want to miss this unique opportunity to become familiar with GWA Middle School before the school year begins!

WEEK 8 JULY 30- AUG 3

INTRODUCTION TO STEM WITH LEGO

July 30 - Aug 3 (M-F)

9 a.m. - 12 p.m. | \$160 | *Ages 5-6*

Let your imagination run wild with tens of thousands of LEGO® parts! Build engineer-designed projects such as: Trains, Helicopters, Treehouses, and Beam Bridges. Design and build as never before, and explore your craziest ideas in a supportive environment. There are no prerequisites for this course.

STEM CHALLENGE WITH LEGO

July 30 - Aug 3 (M-F) | 1 p.m. - 4 p.m.

\$160 | *Ages 7-12*

Level up your engineering skills with Play-Well TEKologies and tens of thousands of LEGO® parts! Apply real-world concepts in physics, engineering, and architecture through engineer-designed projects such as: Gear Cars, Gondolas, Merry-Go-Rounds, and Scissor Lifts. Design and build as never before, and explore your craziest ideas in a supportive environment. There are no prerequisites for this courses.