

# Arundel Parks & Recreation Department

## Summer Rec Newsletter

### Week #2

June 30 -July 4, 2025

## “PARTY IN THE USA WEEK”



**Monday, June 30:** ICE CREAM DAY! Today, we will be doing some Party in the USA activities! **Please send your child to Rec with \$3 if you'd like them to get an ice cream at 3pm.** As an alternative, you can pay for ice cream and pizza on our website under the Summer Rec tab until 2:30pm.

**Tuesday, July 1:** FIELD TRIP DAY! Today we will visit SPLASHTOWN, Saco. Children should arrive wearing their Red Arundel Parks & Rec Trip T-shirt, sunscreen, bathing suit, and have a towel in their bag. Long-sleeved swim shirts are welcome and encouraged for those who may benefit from the added sun protection. Hats and sunglasses are welcome too, but might not be able to be worn all day depending on what the water park rules are. If the day is overcast and not a total rainout, we will still go – these are our favorite days at water parks because they are not crowded – please pack warmer clothes to help keep them warm after playing in the water on cloudy days. **Buses will depart at 9:30am and return by 4pm.**

**Wednesday, July 2:** BEACH TRIP DAY! Today we will visit FORT FOSTER in Kittery for swimming, exploring the forts, sand castle building and beach games. Children should arrive wearing their Red Arundel Parks & Rec Trip T-shirt, sunscreen, bathing suit, and have a towel in their bag. Swim shirts, hats and sunglasses are welcome and encouraged for those who may benefit from the added sun protection. If the day is overcast and not a total rainout, we will still go – please pack warmer clothes for playing on the beach. **Buses will depart at 9:30am and return by 3pm.**

**Thursday, July 3:** NO TRIP TODAY!

**Friday, July 4:** **CLOSED FOR THE INDEPENDENCE DAY HOLIDAY** – We hope our Summer Rec families enjoy the holiday!

### NOTES TO PARENTS:

- **Due to the holiday closure, there will be NO CAMP LUNCH this week.** Children should pack a lunch from home for each day.
- **SNEAKERS** are a must every day at Summer Rec. If it is a beach/water park day, you can PACK water shoes, but your child needs sneakers before and after the trip.
- **EXTRA SNACKS** are a must as well. Campers go through a great deal of food at Summer Rec because of the high activity level.
- **SUNSCREEN/BUG SPRAY:** If you have multiple children in the program, they each need their OWN bottle of sunscreen/bug spray in their bag because the groups split up on field trips and children may not have access to their siblings' belongings.
- **TO REPORT AN ABSENCE,** please text or call (207) 205-6724 and let us know. It is helpful for us to know what your child's symptoms and/or diagnosis are if they are out sick so that we can be aware of what to watch for in other children.
- **TO REACH REC STAFF** during the day, please call/text (207) 205-6724. As always, please seek out Sofie, Kristin, Tyler, or Jenn with questions or concerns. Jenn: [recreationdirector@arundelmaine.org](mailto:recreationdirector@arundelmaine.org)