

Summer Rec Newsletter

Week #3

July 6-July 10, 2026

“ANIMAL PLANET WEEK”



Monday, July 6: ICE CREAM DAY! Today, we will be doing some animal-themed activities! Please pay online by 2:30pm or send your child with \$3 in their lunchbox if you'd like them to get an ice cream. **NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED AT THE CHECK IN DESK.**

Tuesday, July 7: FIELD TRIP DAY! Today we will visit YORK'S WILD ANIMAL KINGDOM in York, ME to see the animals and hit the rides. Children should arrive wearing their Red Arundel Parks & Rec Trip T-shirt & sunscreen. Hats and sunglasses are welcome too for added sun protection. Buses will depart at 8:30am and return by 4:00pm.

Wednesday, July 8: BEACH TRIP DAY! Today we will visit FORT FOSTER in Kittery for swimming, sand castle building and beach games. Children should arrive wearing their Red Arundel Parks & Rec Trip T-shirt, sunscreen, bathing suit under their clothes 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 9:00am and return by 3:00pm.

Thursday, July 9: LAKE DAY! We'll head to DUNDEE PARK in Windham today. Children should arrive wearing their Red Arundel Parks & Rec Trip T-shirt, sunscreen, bathing suit under their clothes, 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 9:00am and return by 3:00pm.

CAMP LUNCH (\$7) is due by THURSDAY at 5:00pm ONLINE ONLY so that we can place our large order. **NO CASH WILL BE ACCEPTED FOR CAMP LUNCH, YOU MUST PAY ONLINE ONLY.** Camp lunch is OPTIONAL, you are welcome to send in a lunch for your child if they don't order camp lunch on Fridays. We cannot make changes to the order (additions/subtractions) after the order is placed on Thursday. Feel free to pay early in the week to avoid missing the Thursday deadline. YOU CAN PAY FOR PIZZA OR ICE CREAM ONLINE ON OUR WEBSITE UNDER THE SUMMER REC TAB: <http://arundelrec.com>

Friday, July 10: DRESS-UP DAY AND CAMP LUNCH! Today's dress-up theme is ANIMAL KINGDOM DAY! Dress as your favorite animal to rec today! (Outfits should be appropriate for rec). Camp Lunch (pizza, chips, pickles, and a drink) will be served at noon for those who ordered in advance. If you forgot to sign up, please be sure to pack a lunch from home.

NOTES TO PARENTS:

- SNEAKERS are a must every day at Summer Rec. NO CROCS please.
- Pack EXTRA SNACKS!! Campers go through a great deal of food at Summer Rec because of the high activity level.
- NO CHEWING GUM at Rec please. It gets stuck to shoes, walls, and floors when campers have it here.

To reach Rec staff during the day, please call/text (207) 205-6724. As always, please seek out Hannah, Kristin, Tyler, or Jenn with questions or concerns. Jenn's email address: recreationdirector@arundelmaine.org. Kristin's email address: recprogrammer@arundelmaine.org

