

Where SUMMEY is loved...



## Prices and Registration information

on our website at <a href="http://fumcchilddevcenter.org/">http://fumcchilddevcenter.org/</a>

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Fishersville United Methodist Church
Child Development Center

1600 Jefferson Hwy P.O.Box 1049 Fishersville, Virginia 22939 540-943-1140 The word summer triggers a sense of freedom in children, a chance to play and learn in a more relaxed and fun atmosphere. *FUMC Summer Camp* offers a variety of exciting and stimulating choices, encouraging children to discover new friendships and explore new experiences, while creating an environment that allows them to feel safe enough to be themselves and follow their personal path of creativity and curiosity.

When FUMC CHILD DEVELOPMENT CENTER closes its academic doors in May, those same doors quickly re-open to welcome campers to a thirteen week Summer Camp. This program is available to children 2 to 10 years of age. Each week has a different theme of exploration, learning, and play. Every session will include gardening, water play, arts and crafts, outdoor adventures and games, and much more.

Whether they are outdoors, on the go, or inside exploring and playing, campers will always be under the experienced care and guidance of our well trained staff.

So join us for the whole summer or just a few weeks, but be sure that you do not miss out on all the fun!

Thirteen weeks of continuous fun!

## **FUMC Child**

## **Development Center**

2018
Summer Camp Curriculum
(Ages 2 to 10)
Come one week or come the
whole summer





The SUMMER CAMP

everyone is talking about . . .

May 28th - August 25th





## Week Descriptions

Week 1: May28-June 1 "Junior Detectives"

It's the first week of camp and we SPY fun times ahead! This week campers will use their sleuthing skills to solve mysteries, riddles, and even discover a treasure map or two. Come be a spy kid with us!

Week 2: June 4-8 "Summer Science"

Are you a mad scientist? Do you enjoy test tubes and microscopes? YES? Well then, put on your lab coats and get ready to experiment. This week, campers will open the lab and do some amazing science experiments. Campers will even blast off into space as they travel to JMU to become astronomers and study the stars in their planetarium. Be sure to bring your safety goggles; this is going to be an explosively fun week!\*

Week 3: June 11- 15

"Break-A-Leg"

For all our little Drama Kings and Queens have we got a week for you! We'll be exploring different ways to perform and seeing a few performances too! Come out this week if you need to fill your summer with some exciting theater!\*

Week 4: June 18-22

The Great American Cookout

Campfires, s'mores, and the great outdoors; are you ready to join us for The Great American Campout? Campers will spend this week enjoying the GREAT outdoors while enjoying campout themed activities and crafts, finishing the week off with A GREAT AMERICAN COOKOUT. Older Campers will be going to the beautiful Blue Ridge Mountains!

Week 5: June 25-29

"Watertastic"

Nothing says summer more than playing in the sun and water! We plan to have our pools and water activities in full gear this week and our older campers will be going on an amazing water field trip!\*

Week 6: July 2-6 Closed July 4<sup>th</sup>

"Action Quest"

Calling all fun craving, basketball dribbling, soccer kicking sports fans, are you ready for this Fantastic week of sports? Campers will enjoy channeling their inner All-Star as they make some goals, score some baskets, and even make a strike or two!

Week 7: July 9-13

"Child Chefs and Church Food"\*\*

Who doesn't enjoy a good church pot luck dinner? This week "Chef Angie" will be teaching us some great easy recipes your child can make to help create a great meal for the family!

Week 8: July 16-20 "Frozen Summer"

Does summer just get too hot for you? Well, we plan to fix that. Come join us for a week of "everything frozen! We'll be making frozen food for snack watching freezing movies and even going to an Ice creamery with our older campers!



Week 9: July 23-27

"Hysterical Histories and other Tall Tales"
Remember Paul Bunyan? How about Casey Jones and of course Brier Rabbit?!! We can't wait to remember and explore these old classics as well as look at some crazy things that really did happen!
Come join us this week to read and to laugh!

Week 10: July 30 – August 3

"Creating Joy in your Child"

This is a true change in what you would expect from a summer camp experience for your child. This week we will be teaching the children different ways to help create peace in their lives and to truly work on self-calming techniques. We will be teaching prayer, learning about animal therapy, music therapy, aroma therapy and other really cool things our children can do to help themselves to find joy.

Week 11: August 7-11

**Master Builders** 

We could not have summer without a week of building things. Children and blocks are two things that always go together! Come help us build towers and cathedrals!

As our summer winds down, we move into a smaller camp program for younger children.

Week 12: August14-18

"Aqua-Nots (exploring Ocean animals)"
Learn and discover mammals that live in the ocean as well as other animal and a few amphibians too.

Week 13: August 21-25

"Dinos Lost in Time"

What child does not enjoy learning about dinosaurs? We will spend this week learning about our favorites both real and imagined!

\*Extra fees may apply for special fieldtrips

\*\*Extra fee due to costs of food