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June 15 - August 21, 2026

Dear Parents,

Plans are being made for our **After The Rainbow Club 2026 (ATRC)**, and we would like to include your child/ren. Our summer camp is a fun and active program of building friendships, playing games, water activities, going on trips, and having a great time together for children who have **completed Kindergarten through Fifth Grade**. The camp runs for **5 two-week sessions**. You may register your child for any and/or all of these sessions.

We are also excited to offer a variety of trips this summer! To make these experiences possible, trips will have an associated cost of \$40.00 per session that has been added to the tuition (see session totals below.)

- "ATRC" dates are Monday, June 15 through Friday, August 21, 2026.

- ➔ Session 1: June 15 – June 26, 2026
- ➔ Session 2: June 29 – July 10, 2026
- ➔ Session 3: July 13 – July 24, 2026
- ➔ Session 4: July 27 – August 7, 2026
- ➔ Session 5: Aug. 10 – August 21, 2026

Tuition for EACH two week Session

- 8 Hour Day = \$ 700.00 total per Session
- 8.5 Hour Day = \$ 720.00 total per Session
- 9 Hour Day = \$ 740.00 total per Session
- 9.5 Hour Day = \$ 760.00 total per Session
- 10 Hour Day = \$ 780.00 total per Session

This year, you must pay by the Friday prior to the Session your child is attending

- **ATRC will be closed Friday, July 3rd for the Independence Day holiday.**
- You need to provide a daily lunch for your child (and a beverage on trip days). All **lunches must be peanut and peach/mango/tropical fruit free due to allergies**. (On trip days all items must be disposable and contain a disposable drink.)
- Your child must bring a **backpack and water bottle** (does not need to be disposable) **each day**.

WHAT ARE THE SPECIAL FEATURES OF YOUR CAMP PROGRAM?

- ❑ Our program is high-energy and active. We spend much of our time outside playing games, doing water play activities and going on field trips. On Tuesdays, we have an afternoon field trip or special activity. On Thursdays, we have an all-day field trip. The campers have a daily time of devotions and prayer, as well as weekly mission activities. Please see attached schedules for more information about camper activities.
- ❑ **We limit the number of campers for each two-week session**, allowing for a more personal, family-oriented feel. Many campers return year after year and build lasting friendships. Campers will participate in many of our activities together and really get to know one another. We will have a waiting list for weeks that fill early.
- ❑ The ATRC **“Night-Out” will be held on Friday in July *17th**. We will have an extended evening of fun activities ending at 11:30 p.m., including a special activity, picnic supper, ice cream at “Main Freeze,” and Flashlight Sardines (hide-and-seek). **ALL campers from Summer 2026 are invited to attend.** (* Date subject to change)

WHAT CAN I DO TO GET MY CHILD READY FOR CAMP?

- ✓ Many of the activities and field trips that we plan involve swimming and water play. Please make sure that your child is water safe for camp. We highly recommend swimming lessons for those campers who do not know how to swim.
- ✓ Bring your camper **every day in sneakers and socks**. We want to keep your campers safe as we play games, run, and climb on playground equipment.
- ✓ Encourage your child to be prepared to participate in all of the activities of camp every day. The best camp experience happens when all of the campers work/play together.

HOW DO I SIGN-UP?

- ➔ **APPLICATION:** For **each camper** fill out and return the attached application form and a non-refundable **\$50.00 summer application fee**. (One fee for each child.)
- ➔ **REGISTRATION:** You must register your child **for each session** of camp that you would like him/her to attend by completing the included registration form and making a non-refundable **\$50.00 per session deposit for each session (per child)**. **The application fee is not included in these fees**. This deposit will be credited to your tuition for each week. Reserved weeks are not interchangeable. The \$50.00 deposit for one session may not be used to pay off the balance of another session. **If you do not include the \$50.00 per week deposit with your registration form, your child is NOT REGISTERED for that session.**
- ➔ **Registration for each session is done on a “First Come/First Served” basis.** Your registration will not be confirmed until your deposit is made. **PLEASE have your REGISTRATION and APPLICATION forms, as well as the APP FEE and DEPOSITS for each week to our office NO LATER THAN THURSDAY, March 26, 2026**, so we can send out the remainder of the camp paperwork to you on time.

- ➔ **You must pay for your child's first session of camp by Friday, May 15th, when you submit the remainder of the paperwork (to be sent out in April.)** All remaining tuition payments **will be due the Friday prior to your child's camp session.** A late fee of **\$20.00** will be added to accounts for those who do not pay the session tuition by the Friday prior to the service week.
- ➔ If you have an outstanding Rainbow Express balance, it must be paid in full before your application will be accepted.
- ➔ If you participate in the ELRC funding program, please contact Barb or Deb for information as the sign-up process is slightly different for your camper.

ARE ANY DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE?

- ➔ If you refer a new family to ATRC, you will receive a \$50.00 credit when they register for and attend at least one session.

HOW DO I DECIDE ON MY CONTRACTED HOURS?

- ◆ **Contracted times are based on the same schedule, Monday – Friday. Contracted times are available from 6:30am – 5:30pm, Monday – Friday.**
Ex: If you work 9:00-5:00 Monday–Wednesday and 8:00-4:00 Thursday-Friday, you must contract from 8:00-5:00, plus your commute time.
- ◆ Times not contracted for are subject to a fee of **\$10.00 for any portion of 15 minutes.** (Ex. – If your contracted times are 8:00-5:00 and you drop off your child at 8:15 and pick up at 5:20, you will be charged \$20.00 for the times of 5:01-5:20.)
- ◆ Trip days – If “ATRC” returns later than your contracted time on a trip day, you will not be charged a late fee. The same applies if they leave early for a trip.
- ◆ If, occasionally, you have to work later or go in earlier, **you must contact the office** in order to assure there is sufficient coverage to maintain the correct child/staff ratio. The \$10.00 for any portion of 15 minutes fee per child will still be charged.
- ◆ If you bring your child in later than your contracted time, or pick up earlier than your contracted time, you are still responsible for full payment of the contracted time.

Other information and forms will be sent (in April) **to the families who have registered their children in our “ATRC” weeks.** We hope you will join us for the fun this summer!

Barbara Gius
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