

## SUMMER CAMPS BY WEEK - SCHEDULE UPDATED 2-16-20

### Find your perfect camp

ADV Adventure Camps travel to various outdoor locations, no overnight.

ADV 1 Adventure with 1-night overnight.

ADV 2 Adventure with 2-night overnight.

ADV 3 Adventure with 3-night overnight.

ADV 4 Adventure with 4-night overnight.

PARK Neighborhood park-based camps, some field trips

AM Half-day, morning, park-based camps

PM Half-day, evening, park-based camps

DAY Full-day, park-based, register by the day

Fee Regular fee/With CityCard resident discount



## Summer 2021 Camp Schedule

Registration begins 9 a.m., March 7

Register online: [www.missoulaparks.org/register](http://www.missoulaparks.org/register)

Get your WebTrac account set up BEFORE registration begins,  
call 721-PARK (7275) if you need assistance.

Need financial assistance? Apply before sign-up day at [missoulaparks.org](http://missoulaparks.org).

Phone registration: 721-PARK (7275)

In-person registration: Currents Aquatics Center, 600 Cregg, McCormick Park

Please register early, camps fill quickly.

### JUNE 14-18

| TYPE  | CAMP                          | AGES  | TIME       | LOCATION         | FEE       |
|-------|-------------------------------|-------|------------|------------------|-----------|
| AM    | Fantasy                       | 5-12  | 8-12:30    | Westside         | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Homestead                     | 4+    | 8-12:30    | Moon Randolph    | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard             | 8+    | 8-12:30    | McCormick        | \$120/102 |
| AM    | Rod and Reel Fishing          | 5-14  | 8-12:30    | McCormick        | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Nature                        | 5-12  | 12:30-5:30 | Westside         | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Reach MORE                    | 4+    | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick        | \$120/102 |
| ADV   | Go Pro Rippers                | 5-8   | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Survival Skills               | 5-12  | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$210/180 |
| ADV 3 | ZTD Road Trip-Tour de Montana | 10-14 | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$342/285 |
| PARK  | All-Star Sports               | 5-12  | 8-5:30     | FMRP Bella Vista | \$175/140 |
| PARK  | AW-Jr. Animal Educators       | 9-13  | 8-5:30     | Kiwanis          | \$285/242 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee/day)           | 4+    | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$42/35   |

### JUNE 21-25

| TYPE  | CAMP                          | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION      | FEE       |
|-------|-------------------------------|------|------------|---------------|-----------|
| AM    | Crafty Kids                   | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Westside      | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Fly Fishing                   | 8-14 | 8-12:30    | McCormick     | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Homestead                     | 4+   | 8-12:30    | Moon Randolph | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard             | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick     | \$120/102 |
| PM    | All-Star Sports               | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Westside      | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Reach MORE                    | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick     | \$120/102 |
| PM    | SpectrUM Curious Explorers    | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Franklin      | \$90/72   |
| PM    | ZTD Minis Biking              | 4-6  | 12:30-5:30 | Pineview      | \$120/102 |
| ADV   | Go Pro Groms                  | 9-14 | 8-5:30     | McCormick     | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Wheels and Woods              | 5-8  | 8-5:30     | McCormick     | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Explore and Create            | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick     | \$210/180 |
| ADV 2 | Backcountry Adv. - Big Creek  | 9-14 | 8-5:30     | McCormick     | \$318/265 |
| PARK  | Animal Wonders - Around World | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Kiwanis       | \$285/242 |
| PARK  | Ninja                         | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Bonner        | \$175/140 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee/day)           | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick     | \$42/35   |

### JUNE 28 - JULY 2

| TYPE  | CAMP                          | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION        | FEE       |
|-------|-------------------------------|------|------------|-----------------|-----------|
| AM    | Art in the Parks              | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Franklin        | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Homestead                     | 4+   | 8-12:30    | Moon Randolph   | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard-Traveling   | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick       | \$120/102 |
| AM    | Paddle and Racquet            | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | FMRP Tennis     | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Rod and Reel Fishing          | 5-14 | 8-12:30    | McCormick       | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Ninja                         | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Bonner          | \$90/72   |
| PM    | ZTD Bike the Parks            | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | FRMP Meadowlark | \$90/72   |
| ADV   | Bitterroot Bonanza            | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Camp Cooks and Overlooks      | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV 3 | ZTD Bike Packing Trail CDA    | 8+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$342/285 |
| PARK  | Destruction/Construction w/HR | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Westside        | \$175/140 |
| PARK  | Nature                        | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Greenough       | \$175/140 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee per day)       | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$42/35   |

### JULY 5 - 9

| TYPE  | CAMP                           | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION  | FEE       |
|-------|--------------------------------|------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| AM    | Fly Fishing                    | 8-14 | 8-12:30    | McCormick | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard              | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Bookworm                       | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Westside  | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Reach MORE                     | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick | \$120/102 |
| PM    | ZTD Minis Biking               | 4-6  | 12:30-5:30 | Pineview  | \$120/102 |
| ADV   | Survival Skills                | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$210/180 |
| ADV 3 | ZTD Epic Road Trip - Whitefish | 9+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$342/285 |
| ADV 4 | A River Runs Through it        | 8+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$354/295 |
| PARK  | Animal Wonders - Around World  | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Kiwanis   | \$285/242 |
| PARK  | Splash                         | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Playfair  | \$175/140 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee per day)        | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$42/35   |

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### JULY 12 - 16

| TYPE  | CAMP                           | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION         | FEE       |
|-------|--------------------------------|------|------------|------------------|-----------|
| AM    | Crafty Kids                    | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Westside         | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Jr. Playmakers Lacrosse        | 8-12 | 8-12:30    | FMRP Bella Vista | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard-Traveling    | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick        | \$120/102 |
| AM    | ZTD GROMS Biking               | 9-14 | 8-12:30    | Pineview         | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Farm to Table                  | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Westside         | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Reach MORE                     | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick        | \$120/102 |
| ADV   | Fishing Flies and River Guides | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Mountain Kids                  | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$210/180 |
| ADV 4 | A River Runs Through it        | 8+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$354/295 |
| PARK  | Critter Camp w/HSWM            | 8-12 | 8-5:30     | FMRP Bitterroot  | \$195/160 |
| PARK  | Splash                         | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Playfair         | \$175/140 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee per day)        | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$42/35   |

### JULY 19 - 23

| TYPE  | CAMP                                       | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION        | FEE       |
|-------|--|------|------------|-----------------|-----------|
| AM    | Homestead                                  | 4+   | 8-12:30    | Moon-Randolph   | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard                          | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick       | \$120/102 |
| AM    | SpectrUM Curious Explorers                 | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Westside        | \$90/72   |
| AM    | ZTD Rippers Biking                         | 5-8  | 8-12:30    | Pineview        | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Wheels and Woods                           | 5-8  | 8-12:30    | Westside        | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Reach MORE                                 | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick       | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Zootown River Surfing and SUP              | 11+  | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick       | \$260/210 |
| ADV   | Bitterroot Bonanza                         | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Empower/Explore/Create w/GSMW              | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Freestone Climb On!                        | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV 2 | ZTD Bike Packing Bitterroot                | 9+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$306/255 |
| ADV 3 | Backcountry Adventures - Little Rock Creek | 9-14 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$342/285 |
| PARK  | Critter Camp w/HSWM                        | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | FMRP Bitterroot | \$195/160 |
| PARK  | Splash - Intro to Triathlon                | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Playfair        | \$175/140 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee per day)                    | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$42/35   |

### JULY 26 - 30

| TYPE  | CAMP                           | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION        | FEE       |
|-------|--------------------------------|------|------------|-----------------|-----------|
| AM    | Bookworm                       | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Westside        | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Homestead                      | 4+   | 8-12:30    | Moon Randolph   | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard-Traveling    | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick       | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Reach MORE                     | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick       | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Zootown Olympics               | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Westside        | \$90/72   |
| PM    | Zootown River Kayaking         | 11+  | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick       | \$260/210 |
| ADV   | Empower Explore Create w/ GSMW | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Fishing Flies and River Guides | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV 2 | Adventures of the Olympiad     | 9+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$306/255 |
| PARK  | Critter Camp w/HSWM            | 8-12 | 8-5:30     | FMRP Bitterroot | \$195/160 |
| PARK  | Splash                         | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Playfair        | \$175/140 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee per day)        | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$42/35   |

### AUGUST 2 - 6

| TYPE  | CAMP                          | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION        | FEE       |
|-------|-------------------------------|------|------------|-----------------|-----------|
| AM    | Destruction/Construction w/HR | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Westside        | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Homestead                     | 4+   | 8-12:30    | Moon Randolph   | \$90/72   |
| AM    | Intro to Triathlon            | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Playfair        | \$90/72   |
| AM    | MOBASH Skateboard             | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick       | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Reach MORE                    | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick       | \$120/102 |
| PM    | Splash                        | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Playfair        | \$90/72   |
| ADV   | Freestone Climb On!           | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | River Wild!                   | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV   | Snowbowl                      | 8+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$210/180 |
| ADV 3 | Backcountry Adv. Seeley Swan  | 9+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$342/285 |
| PARK  | Critter Camp w/HSWM           | 8-12 | 8-5:30     | FMRP Bitterroot | \$195/160 |
| PARK  | Zootown Olympics              | 5+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$175/140 |
| DAY   | Discovery (fee per day)       | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick       | \$42/35   |

### AUGUST 9 - 13

| TYPE | CAMP                           | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION  | FEE       |
|------|--------------------------------|------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| AM   | Crafty Kids                    | 5-12 | 8-12:30    | Northside | \$90/72   |
| AM   | MOBASH Skateboard              | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick | \$120/102 |
| PM   | Farm to Table                  | 5-12 | 12:30-5:30 | Northside | \$90/72   |
| PM   | Reach MORE                     | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick | \$120/102 |
| ADV  | Fishing Flies and River Guides | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$210/180 |
| ADV  | Freestone Climb On!            | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$210/180 |
| ADV  | Snowbowl                       | 8+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$210/180 |
| PARK | Animal Wonders - Around World  | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Kiwanis   | \$285/242 |
| PARK | Art in the Parks               | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Franklin  | \$175/140 |
| PARK | SpectrUM Curious Explorers     | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Westside  | \$175/140 |
| DAY  | Discovery (fee per day)        | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$42/35   |

### AUGUST 16 - 20

| TYPE | CAMP                          | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION         | FEE       |
|------|-------------------------------|------|------------|------------------|-----------|
| AM   | MOBASH Skateboard             | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick        | \$120/102 |
| AM   | Jr. Playmakers Lacrosse       | 8-12 | 8-12:30    | FMRP Bella Vista | \$90/72   |
| PM   | Reach MORE                    | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick        | \$120/102 |
| ADV  | Explore and Create            | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$210/180 |
| ADV  | River Wild!                   | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$210/180 |
| PARK | Art in the Parks              | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Franklin         | \$175/140 |
| PARK | Destruction/Construction w/HR | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Westside         | \$175/140 |
| PARK | AW-Jr. Animal Educators       | 9-13 | 8-5:30     | Kiwanis          | \$285/242 |
| PARK | Splash                        | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Playfair         | \$175/140 |
| DAY  | Discovery (fee per day)       | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick        | \$42/35   |

### AUGUST 23 - 27

| TYPE | CAMP                    | AGES | TIME       | LOCATION  | FEE       |
|------|-------------------------|------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| AM   | MOBASH Skateboard       | 8+   | 8-12:30    | McCormick | \$120/102 |
| PM   | Reach MORE              | 4+   | 12:30-5:30 | McCormick | \$120/102 |
| ADV  | Last Blast Adventure    | 5+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$210/180 |
| PARK | Splash                  | 5-12 | 8-5:30     | Playfair  | \$175/140 |
| DAY  | Discovery (fee per day) | 4+   | 8-5:30     | McCormick | \$42/35   |

CAMP DESCRIPTIONS ON FOLLOWING PAGES →

# SUMMER CAMPS 2021

## Parks and Recreation summer camps give kids more choices, more variety, and more fun!

This year we're offering the same great summer camps we've offered in years past...plus some exciting new programs! Summer camps are offered in the formats below. Choose the camps that work best for you and your kids! Questions? Email us at [youthprograms@ci.missoula.mt.us](mailto:youthprograms@ci.missoula.mt.us).

### 2021 Camp Formats

#### Adventure Camps

Will spend the majority of the time traveling to different locations around the great Missoula/Bitterroot/Flathead valleys (some camps extend further.)

ADV- no overnight

ADV 2 Wednesday to Friday overnights

ADV 3 Tuesday to Friday overnights

ADV 4 Monday – Friday overnights

#### PARK – Park-based Camps

Primarily based out of neighborhood parks with field trips planned throughout the week. Transportation is via public transit, biking, walking, and passenger vans.

#### AM or PM – Half-Day Camps

Park-based camps meet either morning or afternoon. We'll supervise the transition for campers who are switching from a morning camp to an afternoon camp in the same park.

#### DAY - Discovery Camp

Our newest camp is day-by-day registration based. Sign up for just the days you need. Just work on Tuesday/Thursday? No problem sign your child up for those days of the week. Camp will be based out of McCormick Park with field trips and schedules produced weekly to keep your child moving and entertained all summer.

#### Camp Fee Includes

- Equipment needed for participation in facilitated activities
- Highly trained, enthusiastic staff.
- Transportation and field trip entry fees.
- Fees for camps with an overnight include meals and camping equipment. Packing lists for things you will need to provide will be mailed out before camp starts.



### General Camp Info

- Location - Refer to camp grid to find out which location your child's camp meets.
- Helmets - All protective equipment is provided for campers and is required to be worn while participating in biking, skateboarding, climbing, and the ropes course.
- Bikes - We can provide all equipment needed for participation—including bikes! Children may bring their own bikes, however, Parks and Recreation does not accept liability for damages.
- Lifejackets/PFDs - During all water-based activities outside of swimming pools, campers will be required to wear a provided life jacket.
- Sunscreen - We will regularly re-sunscreen your child throughout the day but please heavily apply to your child before drop-off.
- Weather - We always have camp. Rain or shine and even during smoke season. We may need to change our plans but will always provide top notch programming.

### Pack your child for success

- Snacks: Lots of them! For full-day camps, bring a large lunch.
- Water bottle.
- Clothes: Weather appropriate. A lightweight hoodie or jacket. Dresses and skirts are sometimes difficult with rock climbing and bike riding.
- Shoes: Closed-toe shoes. Sandals that are secure around the ankle are fine for river days, but please, no flip-flops EVER.
- Bag: To put it all in.
- Label: EVERYTHING with your child's name.

## Camp Withdrawal/Transfer Policy

These policies help us deliver a high-quality camp experience for your child. Please give us a call at 721-PARK to withdraw from camp or transfer to another camp.

Withdrawal 14 days or more before camp start date—100% credit\* or refund. \$10 administrative fee for refunds. No admin. fee for transfers.

Withdrawal fewer than 14 days before camp start date—50% credit\* or refund. Transfers are considered withdrawals and are subject to the 50% credit. \$10 administrative fee for refunds.

Illness or injury withdrawal—will miss a full week of camp: 100% credit\* or refund with documentation from your medical provider. \$10 administrative fee for refunds.

Sick/Missed Days - If a camper will miss a day of camp for any reason, please notify us as soon as possible at 721-PARK.

Wait Pool - Participants may join the Wait Pool when a camp is full. When a spot opens, Parks will contact wait pool customers by phone. The first person to respond and pay registration fees will be enrolled in the program.

*\*Credits on account expire 12 months from date of issue. Credits may be used for any Parks program and at both aquatics facilities.*

## Summer Camp Program Foundations

### Challenge By Choice

The freedom to back off from participation – but not an invitation to opt out! We facilitate participants to stay within their growth zone, to expand their possibilities in a welcoming safe atmosphere.

### Experiential Education

We learn by doing. Leaders facilitate experiences in an atmosphere of safety and fun where everyone has an opportunity to explore the natural world around them.

### Recreation for all and Inclusive Recreation

We strive to create opportunities where we can all recreate together as a community.

### Low participant-to-staff ratios

Supervision and risk management are top priority.

### Supervised free play in the outdoors

Staff provide specific opportunities for youth to play alongside their peers in the outdoors. Using this supervised unstructured time to use their imaginations and explore the natural world.

### Strengths-based approach

We appreciate participants for exactly who they are and work to find their strengths. Staff may set the structure, but the

## Age Guide

Most camps are geared to ages 5 to 12.

These camps which are specifically geared for younger and/or older children:

| OLDER CAMPERS 10+          | PRESCHOOL/<br>KINDERGARTEN |
|----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Adventures of the Olympiad | Discovery Camp             |
| Backcountry Adventures     | REACH MORE                 |
| Go Pro Groms               | ZTD Minis                  |
| Zootown River Kayaking     |                            |
| Zootown River Surfing      |                            |
| ZTD Bike Packing           |                            |
| ZTD Epic Road Trips        |                            |
| ZTD Bike Packing           |                            |
| ZTD Epic Road Trips        |                            |

### NEW CAMPS!

Critter Camp with Humane Society of Western Montana  
Destruction and Construction with Home Resource  
Empower, Explore and Create with Girl Scouts

### EPIC FAVORITES

A River Runs Through It      Animal Wonders

participants are active in the process and are valued for their individual skills and talents.

### Teamwork

Our programs promote sportsmanship, healthy competition, and playing with heart.

### Community

When we play together, we build our community. Exploring neighborhood parks, trails, and open space helps develop strong community-minded citizens.

### Industry Standard Trainings and Protocols

We work hard to ensure our policies and protocols are at the top of the industry in regards to safety standards. This includes practices revolving around the adventure sports, activities, we facilitate and the trainings we require our staff to complete. This is not just our job it is our profession.



**A River Runs Through It - 2230340**

Four amazing nights fishing, swimming and camping on one of the West's most historic rivers, the Blackfoot. Paddling with our highly trained staff, we will complete 60 river miles from FWP's Harry Morgan fishing access in Ovando, to town ending at McCormick Park. ADV4

**Adventures of the Olympiad – 2330423**

Summer 2021 is all things Olympics. This week is all about adventure sports like skateboarding, mountain biking, canoeing and kayaking. We will learn about the history of the Olympics and celebrate the Japanese culture of this year's games host. ADV2

**All Star Sports Camp - 2330401**

Good times and great sportsmanship are modeled for your sporty, active kid. We will play favorites including soccer, baseball, and basketball. We will also explore the wide world of non-traditional sports like Ultimate Frisbee, rugby, and disc golf. We provide all the necessary equipment, so come ready to play! PARK, AM

**Animal Wonders – Animals Around the World 2330422 - 01**

Get up close and personal with the animal ambassadors of Animal Wonders in this exciting new camp! Campers will spend the week learning about and interacting with amazing animals from all over the planet! Each day campers travel to a new continent and discover new species. They will explore how each animal survives in their native habitat and what makes them uniquely special! Play is encouraged during activities while focused attention during animal time ensures everyone has a great week! PARK



**Animal Wonders - Junior Animal Educators 2330422-02**

If you're passionate about animals and want to help make the world a better place, then join us for a week of wildlife education! Campers will meet, learn about, and interact with the animal residents of Animal Wonders. With new animal encounters each day, campers will experience a variety of species while honing their animal handling and presentation skills. The goal of this camp is to have fun while learning how to be a wildlife educator. The week ends with a live show presented by the campers to family and friends. The show features animals from Animal Wonders that the campers have worked with throughout the week. PARK

**Art in the Parks 2330402**

Provides opportunities for creativity and expression through art! Campers will create a variety of projects from paintings to clay moldings. Past field trips include visits to the Missoula Art Museum, a hike up the "L" trail to draw Missoula from above, and The Clay Studio. New creative excursions await! PARK

**Backcountry Adventures 2230331**

Some of the world's most amazing places are found right here in Montana. Backpacking develops emotional and physical resilience while promoting land stewardship and teamwork. Kids will learn how to plan a backpacking trip; including menu and route planning, bear safety, gear choices, water purification, Leave No Trace Ethics, and group dynamics. When armed with the necessary backcountry skills, we will strap on our packs and head out.

Big Creek – Wed & Thursday 2 night overnight. ADV 2  
 Seeley Swan Range – Wed & Thursday 2 night overnight ADV 2  
 Little Rock Creek - Tues, Wed, Thur 3 night overnight ADV 3

**Bitterroot Bonanza 2230341**

One of the most iconic ranges in Montana named for the small pink flower that dots its landscape. We will spend the week exploring the drainages that funnel through the range on foot and bike, float and fish the river, and visit historic landmarks. On Thursday we will spend the night under the stars. ADV 1

**Bookworm 2330414**

Does your camper love to read? Bookworm camp will explore the wonderful world of books. We will spend time at the Missoula Public Library, show and tell our favorite stories, and explore Missoula for inspiration to write our own tales! Campers will also enjoy letting loose in the parks and playing all kinds of book-inspired games. We will celebrate the week's intellectual endeavors with a Friday visit to Splash Montana! AM/PM

**Camp Cooks and Overlooks 2230302**

Cooking in the outdoors takes a special skill set. Participants will learn to safely operate camp stoves, Dutch ovens, and cook over a fire. They will plan and prepare delicious camp meals while we are out rafting the rivers and hiking to amazing overlooks throughout the Missoula and Bitterroot Valleys. ADV

**Crafty Kids 2330416**

Kids love CRAFTS! Crocheting, hand sewing, recycled crayon making and so much more! Your crafty kid will come home with new skills and great projects each day. Days will be well rounded with action packed fun and games, parks exploration, and swimming on Friday! AM/PM

## CAMP DESCRIPTIONS

### **Critter Camp with HSWM – New! 2230348**

Learn and explore more about responsible pet ownership, animal welfare, and how animal shelters like the Humane Society of Western Montana work. Campers will meet a variety of animals and get to practice training, veterinary skills, visit the shelter, and meet some of our community's service pets.

### **Destruction and Construction with Home Resource – New! 2230349**

Build things up and knock them down! We will get our imaginative wheels spinning and our hands busy while we create, construct, and take on challenges as a team. Learn fun ways to reuse and recycle, build in nature, and then leave no trace. This new and exciting camp will take engineering and outdoor adventure to new heights!

### **Discovery 2232100**

Finally, a camp that allows you to register for only the days you need! Each day features a traditional camp experience filled with games, crafts, swimming, songs, and fun! Flexible day-to-day registration makes this camp perfect for parents who only need programming part of the week. Based out of McCormick Park, the community is ours to explore every day of the summer in Discovery Camp! DAY

### **Empower, Explore, and Create with GSMW – New! 2230350**

Where is your place in nature? Is it looking up in to the trees while swinging in a hammock, or sweating as you push yourself along a trail to the top of a mountain? While led in partnership with the Girls Scouts of Montana and Wyoming, this camp is open to all genders. Learn about trust, identity, leadership, empowerment, social justice, and healthy living. Biking, rafting, art, empowerment and social justice activities are all part of this amazing camp experience.

### **Explore and Create 2230335**

Montana is the inspiration for some of the greatest works of art and literature. The landscape around us has long sparked creativity. Exploring our natural world inspires new projects, and new ways for campers to express themselves. From a mini writing retreat at Lubrecht Forest, to honeycomb art at the PEAS farm, the Big Sky Country has abundant wonder and beauty to drive kids' imaginations. ADV

### **Fantasy 2230412**

Spend a week inside the fantastical worlds of Harry Potter, Star Wars, Narnia, and more! Your child will create their own Patronus, battle with the Sith, and explore the mystical places of Missoula. Adventures include fun games of Quidditch, Star Wars Dodgeball, and writing their own fantasy stories. AM

### **Farm to Table 2230336**

Learn about and explore where your food comes from, and what it takes to prepare a healthy meal. Visits to our Garden City Harvest garden plot to harvest, weed, and water; pickle, dice, and of course EAT! Campers will enjoy learning about the entire process of cooking starting with the garden and how food ends up on their tables. AM/PM

### **Fishing, Flies, and River Guides 2230306**

We can't wait to share our love for all things river during this weeklong adventure into the life of a river guide. Includes rod and reel fishing, angling art, fly-fishing, tying flies, flat-water canoeing, whitewater rafting, campfire cooking, and an overnight raft trip. Whitewater Rescue Institute specialists will teach a mini rescue and safety class, making sure campers are ready to hit the water. ADV1

### **Fly Fishing 2230307**

Join us for a week of hands-on fly fishing instruction to learn techniques and the basics of tying your own flies. Your kids will come home raving about big trout, nymphs, and woolly buggers. Casting techniques, knots, fly identification, and plenty of fishing will hook your budding angler. AM

### **Freestone Climb On! 2230303**

A perfect week for your aspiring climber! We are thrilled to bring you this camp with our partners at Freestone Climbing Gym. Instructors focus on technique and skills for indoor and outdoor climbing. We will climb at the indoor gym, our challenge ropes course and outdoor climbing locations. Spend mornings climbing, and then in the afternoon we will retreat to local rivers and lakes to cool off. ADV, ADV1

### **GoPro 2230309**

Campers will bring home an epic movie of their adventures in this one-of-a-kind film and adventure camp. After breaking into production teams, campers will shoot footage of their crew rafting, rock climbing, skateboarding, biking, climbing, and general awesome adventuring. On Friday pick-up, we'll premier our movies for friends and family.

Go Pro Rippers - 5-8 year olds ADV

Go Pro Groms 9-14 year olds ADV 1

### **Homestead 2230310**

Kids can experience life on a real working Missoula homestead preserved from the 1800's and nestled in the North Hills. We will garden, cook, help around the farm, and care for the homestead's chickens and pigs. Camp also includes period-specific games and crafts. AM

## CAMP DESCRIPTIONS



### **Intro to Triathlons 2330418**

Do you like to swim, bike, and run? This camp is just for you! Swimming, biking and running are excellent lifelong activities and campers will challenge themselves as they blend all three pursuits. The week will end with a fun mini-tri at Splash Montana and Playfair Park.

### **Jr. Playmakers Lacrosse 2330421**

Lacrosse is one of the fastest growing and oldest sports in North America. Stick and ball handling, shooting, defense, rules and fun. From basics on up, this is a don't miss sport camp. Sticks and equipment are provided AM

### **Last Blast Adventure -2230332**

Celebrate the last week of summer with our action packed Last Blast Camp. Adventures of all kinds await: from rafting to swimming, biking and hiking...we'll close out the summer with style! Friday brings us to our annual Splash Montana and Ice Cream Party! ADV

### **MOBASH Skateboard - 2230312**

Skateboard instructors will show your child the slides and ollies of skateboarding at our very own MOBASH skate park. Campers walk away with new skills, confidence, and moves on their boards. Skateboards, full pads, and helmets are provided and must be worn at all times. AM

### **MOBASH Traveling Skateboard - 2230312**

Skate parks are popping up all over western Montana. After warming up at MOBASH we will also hit the parks and ramps at Board of Missoula, Stevensville, and Hamilton. Half-day only. AM

### **Mountain Kids - 2230329**

The Bitterroot Mountains will be our stomping grounds for this engaging multisport camp. Over the course of the week we will explore the MPG Ranch, hike to peaks and fire lookouts, make our own power snacks, bike, and rock climb among the mysterious boulder batholiths of the range. Thursday night, we'll camp lakeside below scenic cliffs. After a morning of kayaking, we will head home Friday to share our adventure stories! ADV1

### **Nature -2330408**

Explore the mountains and rivers this summer and experience the wonderful world of nature we are lucky to have right around Missoula! Your camper will experience nature nearby with visits to local parks and great local nature based organizations. From birds to flowers, fish to mammals, bugs, and more! This camp is not one to miss for your little nature lover.

### **Ninja Warrior - 2230319**

Kids will center their energy, mind, and sense of adventure in the latest adventure recreation trend. We will practice balance and trust on the high ropes course. Learn control of our bodies at the Unparalleled Movement Parkour Gym and rounded out by training in martial arts and yoga. Of course every good ninja needs tools of the trade, so we will create our own throwing stars and bow and arrows.(kid appropriate Ninja tools only)

### **Paddle and Racquet - 2330409**

Introduce your budding sports star to tennis, pickleball, ping-pong, badminton, and other fun activities! Learn these lifelong activities so you can play with friends! Tennis basics will be taught each morning, and then we'll explore other great racquet and paddle sports at the new Fort Missoula Regional Park.

### **River Wild! - 2230316**

A summer day on the water is about as good as it gets in Western Montana. Fly fishing, riparian education via snorkeling with the Clark Fork Coalition, paddling kayaks on flat water, learning river travel, and rafting through town will make up the beginning of the week. On Thursday, we will head out for an overnight river trip filled with good food, campfires, and friends. ADV1

### **Rod and Reel Fishing - 2230317**

Find out what is lurking at the bottom of Silver's Lagoon and catch the big one! Each day begins with the basics of fishing, bait, and knots followed by a morning of angling at our stocked fishing pond. Rods and bait supplied. AM

**Snowbowl - 2230318**

We're partnering with our friends at the Bowl for this exciting camp. Zip lining, lift service mountain biking, golf, hiking and so much more! Monday and Tuesday, we'll warm up on the ropes course and hit the river for some rafting in town. Wednesday, we'll head up to Snowbowl to learn outdoor photography basics, hike and play golf. On Thursday we'll hit the zip line and camp; on Friday we'll ride the lift with our bikes for an epic day of mountain biking. ADV 1

**SpectrUM Curious Explorers - 2230339**

Partnering with our friends at SpectrUM, this camp is a week filled with the science of our natural world. Experiments and projects with plenty of hands on learning make this camp perfect for curious kids! PARK, AM

**Splash Montana - 2130113**

Get out in the sun and jump in the pool this summer at Splash Montana! Campers will spend their mornings practicing their swim strokes, learning basic water rescue techniques, playing fun beach games, and exploring everything that Splash Montana has to offer. Campers will also venture around town to check out splash decks and other great water activities Missoula has to offer!

**Splash Intro to Triathlon - New! 2130114**

Train and work on your biking, running, and swimming strokes in the morning. Cool off and play at Splash Montana or at local splash decks in the afternoon if available. This combination of athletics and summer water fun, will lead to a test of skills in a Friday Triathlon.

**Survival Skills - 2230323**

A Parks and Rec favorite! We will learn the basics of outdoor survival in the wilderness of western Montana. Lessons include flint and steel\*, shelter building, water purification, paddling, and navigation. We will also adventure out for rafting, hiking, and kayaking. Selected weeks will have overnights! \*Fire warnings permitting. ADV1

**Wheels and Woods - 2230320**

Thrill even the most active kids with mornings on skateboards and bikes. Kids will expand their bike skills, and MOBASH instructors will give lessons in the ollies and slides of skateboarding. Afternoon camp retreats to the woods for hiking, fort building, river time, and survival skills. ADV

**Zootown Olympics - 2230344**

The 2021 Olympics are here and we pumped to motivate your kids to go for GOLD! We will explore the history of the games, celebrate the culture of the host Japan, and of course play lots of sports and games! PARK

**REACH MORE CAMP**

When we play together, we build a community. Give your child the chance to be a part of our inclusive summer camp program!

Low participant-to-staff ratios, specialized adaptive equipment for adventure recreation and a week filled with adventure, movement and art make this camp perfect for kids of all abilities and ages. Reach MORE is a blast for kids with and without disabilities. PM Activity 2230315

**Zootown River Kayaking - 2230345**

Offered with our friends at Zootown Surfers. This camp is great for older kids looking to hit the water and shred. Camp starts with flatwater skills in lakes and ponds and progresses to kayaking the rivers around Missoula. Please note that campers will be learning underwater comfort and kayak rolling skills. This fundamental element of river kayaking is often the most challenging part of the sport, and boaters will be under direct supervision of a trained instructor. PM

**Zootown River Surfing - 2230346**

The newest river sport is as Missoula as it gets. Zootown Surfers have been on the forefront of this newest adventure sport and we are stoked to offer this one of a kind camp. Kids will be in PFD's while on the water and under the careful instruction of seasoned river surfers. Watch out...after this camp your kid will be hooked! PM





### ZTD Bike the Parks - 2330420

Ages 5 and up. Campers can use training wheels and any type of brakes for this camp. Great for entry-level riders who want to cruise the parks and learn about bike basics. Focus is on bike safety, riding in a group, and caring for your bike. AM

### ZTD Minis - 2230333

Ages 4-6. The perfect camp for our youngest of riders! Kids will gain confidence on two wheels while pedaling some classic Missoula trails. Kids on pedal bikes and off training wheels is preferred. AM/PM

### ZTD Rippers - 2230322

Ages 6-8. Kids must be able to ride a two-wheeler with coaster or hand brakes and be comfortable riding on flat, non-paved surfaces. Sorry, no training wheels. Riders will need some experience going up and downhill with coached support. PM

### ZTD GROM - 2230325

Ages 8-11. Riders are comfortable on the downhill and working on developing downhill technique and a bit of uphill stamina. They are willing to try to ride uphill but may hop off to push their bike. Riders must have hand brakes on their bike and be able to ride 5 miles of trail. GROM camp is best suited for kids who would like to try trails like MO-Z and Sound of Music. PM

### ZTD Bike Packing Camps – Overnights - 2230326

Riders should be willing to ride 20 miles on flat or gradual uphill double track gravel roads—but don't worry, our coaches are experts at inspiring kids to ride further than they think they can! If your child is interested in trying these camps, we are here to make it happen. On Monday, we will learn tips from Adventure Cycling while packing and prepping for our trip. We'll take off on Tuesday with nothing but open trail, amazing snacks, and adventure ahead of us!

#### Zootown Derailleurs Mountain Bike Team

Join us for the spring season of Missoula's awesome youth cycling team. Details on next page. Fall season info available in late summer. ZTD is appropriate for all skill levels. Don't have a mountain bike? We have a limited number of bikes available for your use. Email [mwhicher@ci.missoula.mt.us](mailto:mwhicher@ci.missoula.mt.us) to be added to the ZTD email list.

## Covid Policies - Summer Camps 2021

### Face Masks

- When in sedentary settings, and/or when physical distancing cannot be maintained, masks will be worn by participants/staff.

- Parents who are within six feet of the program meeting locations must wear masks— including those who have been vaccinated.

- According to researchers at John Hopkins University, it is unknown at this time if vaccinated individuals can still carry and transmit the virus to others. Until more is understood about how well the vaccine works, continuing with precautions such as mask-wearing and physical distancing will be important.

- Masks are not required during strenuous outdoor activity where participants are distanced. When we stop for breaks, they need to space six feet from peers and put their mask on.

### Transportation

- We will not be using public transportation until further notice.

- Participants/staff must wear a mask in vehicles and indoor facilities.

### Group Size and Dynamics

- Group sizes are determined by the current recommendations of the Public Health Officer.

- Camps have been set with lower participant numbers and will stay with the same group for the week-long program. Staffing will be consistent within the week as well.

### Hand Washing

- Participants will wash hands/use hand sanitizer upon arrival to program, after using restroom, before applying sunscreen, before/after eating, after each transition, before/after games or crafts.

### Shared Equipment and Supplies

- Equipment and surfaces will be wiped down/disinfected before and after program transition.

### Restrooms and Bathroom Use

- Staff will follow CDC guidelines re: restroom facilities sanitation.

- Participants are required to wash hands/use hand sanitizer before/after using restroom.

### Symptoms of COVID - Please help us keep camps open

- If a participant or staff shows or complains of any symptoms of illness, they will be immediately sent home.

- Please keep your children home if they are: sick with covid symptoms, a close contact of a COVID+ case, awaiting a COVID test result, have been in close contact with a COVID+ case (regardless of whether you've been contacted by the Health Dept.), or if there is any chance your child has been exposed to or may transmit COVID-19. Thank you!