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# **2021 SWIM STARS SUMMER CAMP DETAILS**

### **Camp Weeks:**

- Week 01:  $06/14 - 06/18 \rightarrow$  "Summer Fun Has Begun" theme

- **Week 02:**  $06/21 - 06/25 \rightarrow$  "Four Seasons" theme

- **Week 03:**  $06/28 - 07/01 \rightarrow$  "Party in the USA" theme

- Week 04:  $07/06 - 07/09 \rightarrow$  "The Mighty Jungle" theme (*four-day week*)

- Week 05:  $07/12 - 07/16 \rightarrow$  "Community Helpers" theme

- Week 06:  $07/19 - 07/23 \rightarrow$  "Around the World in Five Days" theme

- **Week 07:**  $07/26 - 07/30 \rightarrow$  "Go For the Gold" theme

- Week 08:  $08/02 - 08/06 \rightarrow$  "Barnyard Palooza" theme

- Week 09:  $08/09 - 08/13 \rightarrow$  "Read, Lead and Succeed" theme

### **Camp hours:**

- Monday to Friday: 9:00AM to 4:00PM.

### **Pre-care and after-care hours:**

- Monday to Friday: **8:00AM** – **9:00AM** & **4:00PM** – **6:00PM** (\$15 per hour, paid at the end of each week)

#### **Price:**

March payments: \$475.00 per weekApril payments: \$500.00 per week

- May payments: \$525.00 per week

- June, July, August payments: \$550.00 per week

Payment is done in person during Swim Stars lesson hours: (subject to change due to COVID-19)

- Tuesdays: **04:00PM to 06:00PM** 

- Thursdays: **04:00PM to 06:00PM** 

\*Cash and Check payments are fee free. Credit Card and Venmo payments have 3.00% surcharge. For siblings, second child receives 10% off the weekly price.

# Daily price:

In case you would like to enroll for select individual days rather than full weeks, price per diem is \$125.00.

# **Registration and payment methods:**

Application is filled **ONLINE**. If interested, go to our website <u>www.swimstars.biz</u>. Click on the tab "Summer Camp", select the *'Registration'* link. You'll need to complete the registration and waiver form. All payments

have to be summited prior to camp start date in order to complete your registration process.

Note, submitting your online application does NOT reserve a spot in your desired week - your spot is confirmed and reserved upon submitting payment. We have limited number of spots available in each week, and spots will be awarded on first come - first served basis. Once all of the spots for a certain week have been filled, no additional campers will be allowed to register for said week.

# **Daily Camp schedule:**

- 09:00AM to 09:30AM → Changing into swimsuits and stretching
- 09:30AM to 10:30AM  $\rightarrow$  Swimming lessons
- 10:30AM to  $11:00AM \rightarrow Fun$  and games in the pool
- 11:00AM to 11:30AM → Changing and walking to the SPU cafeteria
- 11:30AM to  $12:30PM \rightarrow Lunch$  break
- 12:30PM to 01:30PM → Themed arts and crafts
- 01:30PM to 02:30PM → Daily dry-land activity\*
- 02:30PM to  $03:00PM \rightarrow Snack$  break
- 03:00PM to 03:30PM → Dance Routine/Yoga
- 03:30PM to 04:00PM  $\rightarrow$  Finishing up and dismissal

# **Pre-care and After-care information:**

Pre-care and after-care is available Monday to Friday. Pre-care runs from 08:00AM to 09:00AM, and after-care runs from 04:00PM to 06:00PM. The price is \$15 per hour. Pre-care and/or after-care hours will be paid for at the end of the week (cash, check or Venmo with 3% fee).

Children who are picked up late will be added to the after-care list for that day and charged accordingly. Children will be taken to after-care if not picked up by 4:15 PM. Any children dropped off before 08:50AM will be considered pre-care and will be charged accordingly.

- Pre-care drop off: SPU Recreational Center, located at 870 Montgomery Street.
- After-care pick up: SPU Student Center, located at 47 Glenwood Avenue (4th floor)

# **Drop-off and pick-up location:**

Regular hours drop-off and pick-up is at the entrance of SPU Yanitelli Recreational Life Center (870 Montgomery Street, Jersey City, NJ 07306)

# **Lunch & Snack:**

- **LUNCH**: You have the option of packing your own lunch or ordering from the Saint Peter's University cafeteria priced at **\$9.50**. If ordering, your child will be assisted in selecting a healthy meal.
- **SNACK**: Your child needs to bring a lunch box and a reusable water bottle with them each day. Each child needs to have AT LEAST one snack packed. If your child will be in Pre-care and/or After-care, they should pack more snacks.

# **Frequently Asked Questions**

#### Are there minimum enrollments?

There aren't a minimum number of weeks (or days) you have to register for.

# Do you have a toddler program for the camp?

Toddler program will not be available. Minimum age to enroll is four.

<sup>\*</sup>Daily Dry-Land Activities vary each day: soccer, volleyball, handball, basketball, ultimate frisbee, kids' yoga, obstacle courses, flag football, and more.

# Are there any sponsors or grants available for camp?

Unfortunately, we have no sponsors/grants available at this time.

# Who is this swimming program for?

Just like in Swim Stars swimming school, this camp is catered to children of ages 4 through 14. Our Swim Stars trained instructors will teach all skill levels – from non-swimmers to advanced swimmers. Each child will be placed in his/her appropriate and challenging skill level group.

#### Do children need to know how to swim in order to enroll?

We accept children of all swimming skill levels – from non-swimmers to advanced swimmers. Your child does not need to know how to swim in order to be in our camp.

## Will the children be given swimming lessons?

Each day at Swim Stars Summer Camp includes one hour of real swimming lessons (comparable to Swim Stars Swim School program), as well as thirty minutes of organized fun and games in the pool.

# Are campers supervised?

Children are supervised at all times during the day. While in the pool, our experienced Swim Stars instructors are leading their skill level groups. Outside, our certified teachers and camp counselors make sure your child has a safe day filled with fun activities.

# Will there be an open house?

This year, due to COVID-19, a virtual tour will be offered for you convenience. To request virtual tour, please email us at <u>camp@swimstars.biz</u>.

# Are there any deadlines to be aware of?

Once Camp starts, all new enrollments must be done a week prior to the desired start week.

# What food company is used?

You have the option of packing your child's own lunch, or ordering lunch from Saint Peter's University cafeteria. The food company SPU uses is Sodexo.

# What to bring to our camp?

Your child should come to our camp with the following:

- Face masks (minimum of two) and hand sanitizer/wipes
- Comfortable clothes (shorts and T-shirts)
- Sneakers, flip flops, and 2 pairs of socks
- Extra underwear
- Lunch box and a reusable water bottle
- Plenty of snacks
- Packed lunch or lunch money to order from the cafeteria (\$8)
- Swim suit
- Towel
- Swim cap and goggles
- Protective sun gear (sunglasses and a hat)
- Sunscreen
- A backpack to hold all of the listed items.

<u>Note</u>: EVERYTHING must be labeled with your child's name. We'll have a "Lost & Found" bin at the pool in case we find items left at the camp after dismissing.