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Anderson Woods Inc.

http://www.andersonwoods.org/

Nestled along its namesake, the Anderson River in rural Southern Indiana, Anderson Woods was founded in 1978, and is a private, not-for-profit corporation chartered to provide summer camp experiences, as well as other services, for children and adults with intellectual disabilities.

Located in Bristow, IN 47515

For more information, call (812) 639-1079 or email andersonwoods@psci.net

Assumption Summer Camps

This year, Assumption is offering over 40 fun-filled enrichment and athletic sessions (including 10 co-ed opportunities) to all K – 9 students. Our goal is for each camper to have an exciting, safe summer, and build new friendships. Register today, and come see what it's like to be a Rocket! Space is limited. Please email lauren.lega@ahsrockets.org or call 502-271-2675 for questions.

Blackacre Conservancy Summer Camp (Ages 5-12)

https://visitblackacre.org/camps/

Week-long day camps are wildly fun! They include hikes, crafts, games and animal activities. Campers have so much fun that they don't realize they are learning a thing or two! What do you get when you combine Science, Technology, Engineering, Math and the Arts with nature and a historic farm? A week filled with fun, adventure and discovery! Blackacre Summer Camp. See their calendar here for summer 2022 events.

*Campers must be potty-trained and meet age requirements at the time of the first session.

Camp HiHo

www.CampHiho.com

The activities at Camp Hi-Ho are what separates this day camp from the others. Children can fish, swim, get Blob'd sky-high, jump on our water trampolines, play on the 20-foot water woosh, tie-dye a tee shirt and make crafts, fly down our 100-foot slip n' slide, ride in a canoe, kayak or paddle boat, shoot archery at our static range or go check out our brand new 3D range, play basketball and dodgeball on our Sport Court, or play Gaga in our new Gaga pit, pet puppies and kittens in the Pet Barn (and adopt one too!), explore our double-decker tree forts, go down our zip line, rope swing, tire swing, or just chill out in Hammock City where we have 20 hammocks strung up among the trees!

https://camphiho.com/camp-registration/

https://camphiho.com/covid-19-update/

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Cedar Ridge Summer Camp
www.Cedarridgecamp.com
4010 Old Routt Road
Louisville, KY
(502) 267-5848 ext. 386

The Center for Courageous Kids – Very Special Camps (Ages 7-15)
https://www.veryspecialcamps.com/summer-camps/The-Center-for-Courageous-Kids-2159.html
The Center for Courageous Kids has 20 family retreat weekends during the spring and fall for campers between 3 and 17 and their entire family and 9 weeks of traditional summer camp for children between 7 and 15. Each weekend and week of summer camp is illness-specific. The Center for Courageous Kids will never charge a camper or family to attend. We function solely by donations.

Commonwealth Theatre Center (Ages 3-18)
https://www.commonwealththeatre.org/summer/
Summer Programs for ages 3-18
Every year, our Summer camps, workshops, and performance opportunities for kids delight, enchant, and challenge young people ages 3-18 with a wide range of offerings. Our youngest students can participate in fun Art and Imagination-based camps that teach the fundamentals of creative expression, teamwork, and even the creation or performance of a short play! The Summer Academy is a perennial favorite for 8-13 year olds, with kids working on a hilarious one-hour play that they perform at the end of each 3-week session. Middle and high school ages can enroll in challenging Skill-Building Workshops that focus on anything from Shakespeare to Acting to Dramatic Writing, and more.

Derby Dinner Playhouse
https://derbydinner.com/classes/
It is our mission to offer theatre camp to everyone, regardless of experience or skill level. Our teachers will do their very best to tailor the training to the individual.
*This camp currently has a waitlist

DeSales High School Summer Camp
Experience DeSales by signing up for our annual Colts Summer Camps! Learn new skills, meet the community, win prizes, and compete and learn in our state-of-the-art facilities. Students of all skill levels welcome! Please note that all camps will follow CDC & DeSales Healthy at School Guidelines. For general camp inquiries, please contact Admissions@DeSalesHS.com
DeSalesHighSchool.com

Design the Future (Grades 9-12)
https://www.youdesignthefuture.com/
Design the Future: Digital is the next iteration of this program, offering students from all over the world the chance to participate from their own homes. In this two-week remote program, students design and launch real apps that improve the quality of life for individuals with disabilities, all without writing code..

Dreams with Wings (Ages 8-21)
https://www.dreamswithwings.org/services

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Dreams with Wings offers two summer camp programs for youth ages 8-21 diagnosed on the autism spectrum and Down Syndrome. These eight week camps run June-July and can be paid via the Michelle P Wavier or private pay. Both camps offer a summer of fun, physical activity, and learning!

Elite Academy of Dance and Performing Arts
Ages 18 months to young adults
Register for Classes
(502) 425– 6700
1701 Ups Dr., Louisville, KY
www.eliteacademyofdanceandperformingarts.com

FEAT of Louisville – Get Your FEAT Wet- Swimming Program for Kids with Special Needs
This program has been specifically designed with your child in mind. Not only are all of our staff trained and experienced in working with children who have special needs, we also have a certified lifeguard on deck and a behavioral therapist in the water to make sure that your child will get the most out of every lesson. We partner with FEAT of Louisville for this program. These are one of a kind swimming lessons for children with special needs.
https://allaboutkids.cc/special-needs-swim-lessons/

Frazier Kentucky History Museum
https://fraziermuseum.org/week-camp-registration

Irish Dance Summer Camps
Wee Ones: Children ages 4-5 who have never had any Irish dance experience
Jigging Juniors: Children ages 6-10 who have never had any Irish dance experience or have just finished their first year of Irish dance.

2022 DATES
Summer Session 2: June 7-9, 9:30-11:30am
Summer Session 2: June 21-23, 9:30-11:30am
REGISTRATION
Cost: $85 per camper
Registration deadline: May 25 (limited spots available!)
https://www.mcclanahanirishdance.com/summer-camp
(502) 494-1246

J.B. Speed School summer camps (Grades 3-8)
https://engineering.louisville.edu/experiencespeedschool/outreachprograms/
Camp registration information will be available on their website in late March

Advanced 3D Printing Design and Manufacturing
06/21/2022 to 06/28/2022

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CNC Manufacturing for Beginners
07/26/2022 to 07/28/2022

Introduction to 3D Printing and Advanced Manufacturing Practices
06/07/2022 to 06/09/2022

Jewish Community Center Summer Camps

https://jewishlouisville.org/the-j/camp/summer-camp/
CAMP DATES FOR 2022: JUNE 6 – AUGUST 5 | 9AM – 4PM
Summer Camp is a transformative experience that your camper(s) will remember for the rest of their lives. Every camper will discover, grow and learn within the supportive and safe environment that Camp J provides. We offer two types of summer camp experiences:
1) **Traditional Summer Camps** include a variety of specialty areas including sports, art, science, music, drama and much more.
2) **Specialty Camps** that include Snapology, Cooking, Sports, Arts, and STEM camps.
Discover all our great summer camps:
ELC Summer Camp | 2- 5 years old
Keff | K-2nd Grade
Trek | 3rd – 5th Grade
Young Leaders | 6th – 8th Grade
Specialty Camps | K – 10th Grade
Yachad-Inclusion Program for children with special needs

Job Opportunities from Summer Works

https://www.summerworks.org/
Please reach out to Natalie Reteneller if you have questions.
Natalie Reteneller
Operations Manager
natalie.reteneller@summerworks.org
(502) 574-4183

Kentucky Gymnastics Academy (Ages 4-13)

www.KGAGYM.com

Kentucky Museum of Arts and Crafts

KMAC Art Camps offer young artists the opportunity to explore art techniques and different materials with art educators and professional artists (Not autism-specific). If you've participated in KMAC Summer Art Camps in the past, you might notice that some things are different this year! KMAC is working to ensure that our camps are safe, fun, and full of creativity for all our students and staff. Choose from Camp at Home Boxes, In-Person Camps, and Teen Workshops!
Camp at home boxes
In-person camp- starting June; (ages 7-11)
Teen workshops –(middle and high school students)
https://www.kmacmuseum.org/

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Kentucky Science Center

https://kysciencecenter.org/camps/

Looking for fun ways to Do Science? You're in the right place. From free PlayDates for kids under four, to forums for adults who like to geek out (and everything in-between) Kentucky Science Center programs aim to make science learning personal, fun, participatory, and relevant, for everyone.

727 W Main Street
Louisville, KY 40202
(502) 561-6100

Kids Center for Pediatric Therapies

https://www.kidscenterky.org/services/extended-programming/

We are always here for you and your child and their therapy needs. We hope these groups offer a chance for your child to connect, share, and nurture their social-emotional needs as well. It's hard to believe we are over a year into a global pandemic! At Kids Center this summer we want to offer your pre-teen/teen a chance to brush up on their social skills, make friends, have some fun outside of the house, and get ready for the return of in-person learning this fall. Come join us! Space is limited. Register using the link.

KY Shakespeare Camp (Ages 4-18)

https://kyshakespeare.com/programs/camp/

Camp Shakespeare fosters an appreciation for the words and works of William Shakespeare by providing opportunities for children and young adults aged 4 – 18 to explore the theatre arts through imaginative play, visual arts, movement, storytelling, design, text analysis, and more! Our Philosophy is to immerse students in Shakespeare's words and ideas, providing guidance and encouragement. Kentucky Shakespeare hopes that this unique camp experience will promote confidence, open up a new world of interests to your child and nurture a lifelong desire of learning.

Hannah Pruitt, Education Programs Manager
(502) 574-9900
hannah@kyshakespeare.com

Little Loom House Summer Camp (Ages 6-13)

www.littleloomhouse.org

2022 Calendar can be found here: http://littleloomhouse.org/llh1/wp/

Louisville Visual Arts

https://www.louisvillevisualart.org/camps-workshops

Regular day camps run from 9:00am-4:00pm with the option of adding extended hours to make the day from 8:00am-5:00pm. The "themed" portion of camps runs from 9:00am - 12:00pm, and the afternoons consist of art-centric games and activities.

Camp descriptions are below and you can review our camp policies and coronavirus protocol here. Full day c

2022 LVA Summer Art Camps

LVA Spring Break Art Camp, Rock, Paper Scissors, ages 7 to 12 - Spring Break Art Camp runs from 9:00am-4:00pm with the option of adding extended hours to make the day from 8:00am-5:00pm. The "themed" portion of camp runs from 9:00am-12:00pm, and the afternoons consist of art-centric games and activities.

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This camp is held at LVA @ Holy Trinity Clifton Campus, 2117 Payne St., Louisville, KY 40206, unless otherwise noted.

LVA Summer Camps, ages 7 to 14 - Regular day camps run from 9:00am-4:00pm with the option of adding extended hours to make the day from 8:00am-5:00pm. The "themed" portion of camps runs from 9:00am-12:00pm, and the afternoons consist of art-centric games and activities. These camps are held at LVA @ Holy Trinity Clifton Campus, 2117 Payne St., Louisville, KY 40206, unless otherwise noted.

Waterfront Park LVA Camp, ages 7 to 12 - Meet 9:30am-4:00pm at the Waterfront Park Office in the David K Karem Building 129 River Road, next to Joe's Crab Shack (131 River Road). This camp does not offer extended hours.

1/2 Day Manga Academy Summer Workshop, ages 11 to 13 - Meet at the LVA Portland Warehouse, 1538 Lytle St., Louisville, KY 40203, from 9:00am-12:00pm.

1/2 Day Studio Art Academy Summer Workshop, ages 13 to 17 - Studio Art Camp will be at the LVA Portland Warehouse 1538 Lytle St., Louisville, KY 40203, from 9:00am-12:00pm.

Mercy Academy Summer Camps

What are you doing this summer? We would love for you to join us for some of our incredible summer camps. We offer a wide variety. From our On the Stage theatre camp, or Discovering STEM to our Field Hockey and Volleyball camps -- there really is something for everyone! Space is limited so SIGN UP NOW. Visit our website at https://www.mercyacademy.com/admissions/summer-camps to see our camp listings and to register online. For more information email: alaemmle@mercyjaguars.com

NeedyMeds

NeedyMeds is a national non-profit organization that maintains a website of free information on programs that help people who can't afford medications and healthcare costs. Their directory of retreats, camps & recreational programs located in Kentucky is available for free online.
The directory can be found here: https://www.needymeds.org/camps/list_aos_camps/KY/State

The Passionist Earth and Spirit Center Camp Odyssey

Called "the coolest summer camp in Louisville," Camp Odyssey immerses children entering grades 1-6 in the three main aspects of the Earth & Spirit Center mission: spiritual practice, compassion for others, and connection to the Earth. As they explore the woodlands and meadows of our 27-acre nature sanctuary, work and play with our artists, garden and environmental educators, chefs, yoga and meditation instructors, and musicians, kids come to understand how ecosystems work, where their food comes from, and how to be more mindful and compassionate toward themselves, others, and their surroundings. There's plenty of time for yoga, meditation, games, laughter, creative projects, singing, and eating super-healthy snacks whipped up from our organic gardens. Camp Odyssey also invites local folk singer John Gage to provide an unforgettable experience for your kids or grandkids.
More Information and Registration https://www.earthandspiritcenter.org/class/the-big-adventure/

The Parklands of Floyds Fork (Grades K-6)

https://www.theparklands.org/Things-to-do/Camps

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All of our programs balance in-classroom learning with hands-on outdoor explorations, so kids can be kids. Depending on the season, activities include hiking, fishing, games, archery, canoeing, and creek walking. Campers must bring a snack, a bottle of water, and their own sack lunch each day. Parklands Members receive a discounted camp price
https://www--13y.bookeo.com/bookeo/b_parklands_start.html?ctlsrc2=I3g3Jh29dmwXGdfjyW8CMENya3Nh1reuVl8CjW664X0%3D&src=03n&category=213CMLKMU176CE6240D0

Sacred Hearts Summer Camps

https://www.shslou.org/apps/pages/summer-programs

St. Francis Schools Summer in the Country Day Camp (Grades PreK-8)

https://www.stfrancisschool.org/summer-camp/
"Camp Curious" at St. Francis
Experience 64 acres of summer fun in Goshen during St. Francis School's "Camp Curious" full and half-day camps. Open to ages Preschool through 8th grade, campers will explore, learn, and develop through small camp sizes and expert teachers, all in a safe and exciting environment. We focus on outdoor adventures including nature walks, a natural playground, garden time, and visits with our farm animals, among others! Thinking about making the switch to St. Francis School? "Camp Curious" at St. Francis is a wonderful way to experience our School and see if St. Francis is right for you and your child!

StageOne Summer Dramaworks Camp

Summer Camps are back and in-person and we can't wait to greet students for another fun-filled summer of learning, collaboration and performance! We know that things change rapidly in today's world, so we continue offering refunds up to one week out from your camp. And we'll be updating parents with an email containing up-to-date **safety precautions**, **location information** and more every two weeks once you're registered.
https://stageone.org/kids-academy-dramaworks

These 2 and 3-week camp intensives introduce an in-depth look at the techniques of singing, dancing, and acting used in musical theatre. Our ensemble approach nurtures collaboration, confidence, and skill development. Instruction coupled with a rehearsal process ensures that students apply the skills they're learning. Performance camps culminate in final productions for families.

CONTACT US -PHONE: 502-498-2436
EMAIL: stageone@stageone.org
ON-SITE
315 W. Market Street, Suite 2S
Louisville, KY 40202

Summerbridge

The primary purpose of Summerbridge Louisville is to prepare and support talented, under-resourced middle school students for greater academic success. We are a free, 6-week, full day academic enrichment program with the morning session focused on the basics: Math, Language Arts, Science and Critical Thinking Skills. We

place the students in small classrooms (5-8) so that more attention can be given to their progress. The afternoon session will include a variety of programming: dance, drama, chess, cooking, as well as collaborations with Peace Education, Young Authors Greenhouse, the Food Literacy Project, and more! Our goal is to keep them engaged the entire day! Classes are taught by college student teachers with an emphasis on small classroom learning which provides a unique learning environment; our teachers also become role models and mentors. We typically serve 50 students each summer. We prefer that students come for two summers if possible.

OTHER DETAILS:

- Transportation is available for most areas, if needed
- School will begin at 8:30 and end at 3:45
- Only 3 absences will be allowed during the 6 weeks
- **Start date is Monday June 7th; Last day is Friday, July 16**
- Location: Louisville Collegiate

Online applications are available at summerbridgelouisville.org Due May 1st

Questions? Contact: Kate Lindsay katelindsay@summerbridgelouisville.org (502) 767-6663

Summer Leadership Experience Camp

Camp dates: July 7-10

Registration Deadline: June 1, 2022 in person, virtual June 15, 2022.

Visit HDI website https://hdi.uky.edu/ and search for Summer Leadership Experience Camp

For more information, call 859-257-1714 or email Teresa Belluscio at Teresa.Belluscio@uky.edu

The University of Kentucky Human Development Institute is accepting applications for the 2022 Summer Leadership Experience camp. Kentucky high school students who are starting their junior or senior year in the fall of 2022, and those who have just graduated and have plans to continue their education after high school are invited to apply. Camp will take place in-person on the University of Kentucky campus. This camp is also offered virtually to students who are potentially eligible for Vocational Rehabilitation Services (see eligibility requirements below). Families of our campers are welcomed to join informational sessions virtually. This camp is sponsored by the Kentucky Office of Vocational Rehabilitation (OVR).

In-person camper registration deadline is June 1, 2022. There is a camp fee of $50.00. The fee can be mailed to HDI or paid on the first day of camp. Camp fee waivers are available for those families who have an inability to pay the camp fee. Contact the camp director at Teresa.belluscio@uky.edu.

The number of in-person camp participants is limited to 20.

All virtual participants: Please complete the application as a “virtual participant” and select your status as virtual camper or family member. Deadline to apply as a virtual participant is June 15, 2022. There is no participation fee for any virtual participant. There are no eligibility criteria for family members.

The Kidz Club For Children with Special Healthcare Needs

Who qualifies for TKC camp services:

A child, birth to under 21 years of age, with a medical complexity that requires ongoing nursing care or monitoring.

Daily nursing care and assessments

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Monday –Friday 6am-6pm
Field Trips and Special Guests, Arts, Crafts, and Activities Outdoor and Water Activities, Theme Days + MORE
888-902-KIDZ
To see if your child qualifies visit: www.TheKidzClub.com
Admissions process can take up to two weeks
Locations in Bowling Green, Louisville, Erlanger, and Lexington

YMCA
Registration for all camps: https://www.ymcalouisville.org/program-registration.html

Additional Louisville/Lexington Camps and **Information:**

2022 Louisville Summer Camps: http://www.louisvillesummercamps.org/
Louisville Family Fun: https://louisvillefamilyfun.net/summer-camps
Louisville Magazine: https://louisvillefamilyfun.net/summer-camps/day-camps-in-louisville
LexFun4Kids: https://lexfun4kids.com/summer-camp-guide/
Lexington Parks Camps: https://www.lexingtonky.gov/how-to-register-for-camps
Kentucky Department of Education:

- Summer Food Service Program
- Summer Support: School and Public Libraries
- Summer Support: Literacy Resources
- Summer Support: Mathematics Resources
- Summer Support: Virtual Read Aloud Series
- Summer Support: Information and Printables for Parents and Caregivers
- Kentucky Association for Gifted Education: Gifted and Talented resources

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