

Since 1978,

Young Peoples Learning Center presents:



KinderCamp

Specialized Summer Programs for 5 & 6 Year Olds

209 E. Plum Street

**Specially designed programs for children who will be entering Kindergarten in the fall
and those who are graduating from Kindergarten this spring.**

Special Weekly Trips:

Butterfly Pavilion, Centennial Villiage, Denver Aquarium, Philomusica, Celestial Seasonings, Terry
Bison Ranch, Loveland Art Museum and more!

Daily Activities:

Swimming, Sports, Science, Local Field Trips, Bowling, Movies and Much More!

Please see the complete schedule on the other side of this page!

- KinderCamp has two locations to drop off and pick up. Children may start and end their day at YPLC on Plum Street or at O'Dea Elementary School. Typically, children going into Kindergarten choose the Plum Street location and children going into first grade choose O'Dea Elementary. Exception can be made for the location based on the needs of parents. The groups are combined during the day for their activities.
- Our Plum Street Center opens at 6:30 a.m. and closes at 6:15 p.m., O'Dea opens at 7:30 a.m. and closes at 5:30 p.m.
- Our open enrollment policy lets you pre-register for just the days you want. Register by the day or by the week with no charge for the days you are not scheduled. You are responsible for all days you are registered for regardless of sickness or other changes on your part. We will trade days when possible.
- Transportation is provided in vans and our own school bus.
- Parents provide lunch and snacks every day - we provide the drinks and fun!
- Cost is \$215.00 per full week, or \$49.00 per individual days. The Registration Fee is \$45 for new clients, or \$15.00 for existing regular weekly clients at Young Peoples. Registration Fee includes a camp T-shirt & water bottle.
- Except for optional swimming lessons, THERE ARE NO EXTRA CHARGES. All activities are included in the weekly or daily charges.

Other Young Peoples Learning Center Programs

Toddler Center for 1 to 3 year olds where we feature Pamper Camp summer activities

Preschool Center for 2 ½ to 4 year olds where we feature Mini Camp during the summer

FunCamp for 7 -10 year olds during the summer.

TeenCamp for 11 – 15 year olds during the summer.

Please feel free to call us at 482-1212 if you would like specific information about any of the above programs. You may also check us out on the web at www.youngpeopleslc.com. If you would prefer, you can visit us at our office at 209 E Plum Street. We recommend you preset an appointment if you would like a tour of our facilities.



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2012

Date & Theme	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Wk A June 1	PSD Schools in Session				Walk to Library Park
Wk 1 June 4 - 8 <i>Safety First</i>	Summer Safety Talk Staff Surprise	Fire Station Tour Bounce	Begin Summer Scrap Books Bowling	Movie Time Team Building Games	Sponge Toss Open Swim
Wk 2 June 11-15 Yummy, Yum Yum	Fruit & Veggie Juicing Kilwins Tour	Chuck-E-Cheese <i>(no lunch needed this day!)</i>	Whole Foods Tour Homemade Ice Cream	Movie Time Egg Games	Water & Sand Open Swim
Wk 3 June 18 - 22 Staying Fit is Fun	Hike at Environmental Learning Center G.K. Gymnastics	Lory State Park Hike & Ranger Talk	Yoga in the Park Pump It Up	<i>Greeley Freight Museum</i>	Sprinklers & Slides Open Swim
Wk 4 June 25 - 29 Colors, Colors, Colors	Color Mixing Mini-Golf at Fort Fun	DENVER AQUARIUM	<i>Scarf Dancing</i> Art in the Park	Movie Time <i>Red Light, Green Light</i>	Crazy Daisy Open Swim
Wk 5 July 2 - 6 The Great Outdoors	Sidewalk Art Children's Garden @ Spring Creek	R.M.N.P. Hike to Lily Lake & Ice Cream in Estas	HAPPY 4th of JULY!	Movie Time <i>Dodge Ball</i>	Water Targets Open Swim
Wk 6 July 9 - 13 Colorado History	Fort Collins Library Old Town Walk and History Tour	Trolley Ride Loveland Museum	Centennial Villiage Museum	Movie Time <i>Baseball</i>	Wet Frisbees Open Swim
Wk 7 July 16 - 20 We Love Animals	Animal Charades Lee Martinez Farm	Butterfly Pavillion	Bird Watching along the Poudre Cozy Cow Dairy	Movie Time <i>Who let the dogs out?</i>	Water Tag Open Swim
Wk 8 July 23 - 27 Water Exploration	Build a Boat Float Your Boat at Troutman Park	Swimming at Lake Loveland	Walrus Ice Cream Tour Carwash!	Movie Time <i>Water Balloons</i>	Sprinkler Fun Open Swim
Wk 9 July 30 - Aug 3 Sights & Sounds	Make an Instrument Philomusica	Denver Zoo	Drum Circle Radio Station Tour (KCSU)	Movie Time <i>Hot Lava Game</i>	<i>Carnival for Preschoolers</i> Open Swim
Wk 10 Aug 6 - 10 Our Senses	Smelly Art SUEHIROS	Celestial Seasonings Tour	CSU Flower Garden Clydesdale Tour	Movie Time <i>Marco Polo</i>	<i>Carnival for KinderCamp</i> Open Swim
WK 11 Aug 13 - 17 Summer	Finish Summer Scrap Books KIDS CHOICE	Denver Museum of Natural History	Lemonade Stand Dollar Tree Shopping Spree	Movie Time <i>Friendship Games</i>	Sponge Toss Open Swim
WK 12 Aug 20 Last Hoorah	Color Mixing Root Beer Floats at Sping Canyon Park	CONTACT OUR ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE TO REGISTER			
		209 E. Plum Street		(970) 482-1212	
www.youngpeopleslc.com					

2012 KinderCamp REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete both sides and return with Registration Fee to: YPLC - KinderCamp, 209 E Plum St. Ft. Collins, CO 80524

Child's Name _____ Name Used _____

Date of Birth _____ Present School _____ Home Phone _____

Address _____
Street City Zip

Mom's Name _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Dad's Name _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____

Parent email address: _____ (To provide you online weekly schedules)

- Please register my child as per the chart below. I have read and understand the financial policies on the other side of this form. Signing of this Registration Form acknowledges that I have reviewed this program and give my permission for my child to participate in all activities listed. I understand that if I do not want my child to attend the specific activities listed, I have not registered him/her for that day.
- I hereby waive any liability claims against Young Peoples Learning Center and its staff, as well as any of the companies, corporations, or agencies providing these activities.
- **Photo Release:** I hereby grant permission of any photographs or digital images taken of my child while at YPLC to be used in future printed or digital publication or websites. My child will not be identified by name and no compensation will be expected.

 Parent or guardian signature Date

 Parent or guardian signature Date

Please check here if you are approved for payment by Larimer County Dept of Human Services _____

2012 KinderCamp REGISTRATION CHART

The rates below include all activities, except for optional swimming lessons, there are NO extra charges.

RATES: - Full Week: \$215.00, July 2nd – 6th is \$170.00
 - Daily Rate: \$49.00

Place an X in the appropriate full week **or** days you want below.

Week of:	All Week	M	T	W	R	F	Total your weekly charges here
June 1 st (half day)							
June 4 - 8							
June 11 - 15							
June 18 - 22							
June 25 - 29							
July 2 - 6							
July 9 - 13							
July 16 - 20							
July 23 - 27							
July 30 - Aug 3							
Aug 6 - 10							
Aug 13 - 17							
Aug 20							

I am interested in chaperoning on the following Tuesday trips (Admission fees are paid by the camp. List activity and date):

Please complete the information on the other side of this form before returning it to YPLC.

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Swimming Lessons

This is the only "extra cost item". We *highly recommend* these lessons offered through private instructors at Raintree Athletic Club. You may only participate in these lessons if you register for them here. We have a limited number of spots so please register early.

Please register my child for the following swim lessons (9:20 am – 10:00 am):

_____ **June 24th - July 6th** **Mon, Wed, Fri each week (except July 4th)** **OR**
_____ **July 22nd – Aug 3rd** **Mon, Wed, Fri each week** _____ **I do not want any swim lessons for my child this summer**
The charge is \$35.00 per session.

Free KinderCamp T-shirt: My child's T-shirt size is Child S _____ Child M _____ Child L _____

Financial Policies

Registration

- There is a \$45.00 Registration Fee due with each Registration Form. That fee is reduced to \$15.00 for those who are regularly coming to YPLC each week during the school year.
- There is a \$5.00 per week discount for each child in KinderCamp when two or more children from the same family attend fulltime at either center, KinderCamp, or Fun Camp.
- Your Registration Fee can be waived if you are scheduled for 40 or more days, and you pay in advance for the entire scheduled time with your Registration Form.
- Your Registration Fee can be reduced if you attend less than 16 days for the summer: 1-5 days = \$25.00, 6-10 days = \$30.00, and 11-15 days = \$35.00.
- Please include the payment for the swimming lessons with your Registration.

Payment and Late Fees

- Full Payment for the week is due no later than the first day of attendance each week.
- Any payment not received by Friday of each scheduled week is subject to a **\$20.00** late fee, each week, until the account is paid in full.
- All Drop-in Days (not originally scheduled) are billed at \$50 per day.

Absences and credits

- You are charged based on the days you register for. If you have reserved a spot by registering for it, it is not available for anyone else. Therefore, you are responsible for those charges even if your child is sick or there are other unexpected days off.
- Switching days is allowed provided we are given at least 48 hours advance notice prior to the days you want to switch from, and there is space available for the days you want to switch to. All such requests must be in writing submitted 48 hours from the date you want to switch from and you must get confirmation from the office at YPLC. You will not be charged anything extra for any switched days.
- In the event you are absent and have not been able to switch the day(s), you will be issued a \$5.00 credit for each day missed from your scheduled days.

Activity schedule changes

Our schedule of activities is based on the probability of good weather and general conditions of the vendors we use. If weather does prohibit us from doing exactly what is on the schedule for that day, we reserve the right to switch that day's activities to something else which would be appropriate for the weather conditions. This could include switching activities within the week, as it is often important to maintain contractual arrangements with vendors. As such, even though we have a terrific track record for sticking to our published schedule, we do not *guarantee* to provide any specific activity on any specific day.

GENERAL INFORMATION

KinderCamp is open to children who are going into or coming out of kindergarten. KinderCampers spend about 60 percent of their time outside of the center. We will be traveling around town in our school bus and may also use our 15 passenger vans for some out-of-town trips.

In order for us to confirm your reservations, you must complete the attached Registration Form and return it as soon as possible. Space is limited. We have two drop off/pick up locations for you to choose from. Our 209 E. Plum St. Center, and is generally for those going into kindergarten and our location out of O'Dea Elementary School is generally for those who have completed kindergarten. Exceptions can be made based on convenience for parents. The children are together during the day doing the same activities. Plum Street opens at 6:30 and closes at 6:15 each day. Due to contract restrictions, O'Dea opens at 7:30 each day and closes at 5:30. Our bus leaves from Plum Street each morning about 9:00 and picks up the O'Dea group before we start our days activities.

Jeff, Amber and Julie, three well-qualified, long term Young Peoples staff will be running this program. Our enrollment is totally open. That means you may sign up for any days/weeks you want and will only pay for those days. However, you are responsible for all days scheduled, even if your child is sick or there are other unexpected days off. We will attempt to trade days when given a 48 hour notice if space is available. In order to be sure we get to know your child, you are restricted from signing up for just the big field trip days on Tuesdays.

GENERAL WEEKLY SCHEDULE: Each Friday we will give you a detailed schedule for the next week. Although we expect to follow our original schedule, due to reasons beyond our control, you may see some changes. Therefore, if you are picking up or dropping off at an unusual time, please call the center to verify our location. The time we leave for our morning field trips may vary, so please check the weekly schedule to make sure your child gets there on time as it may not always be possible to meet up with us! We will be returning to the Center about 3:30 unless otherwise noted on the weekly calendar.

PROGRAM SPECIFICS

LUNCHES: Please bring a sack lunch and two snacks every day. **The Larimer County Health Department now requires all lunches to be in an insulated lunch box with an ice pack.** We will provide water. Good snacks to consider are: popcorn, pretzels, cereal, fruit roll-ups, fruits and veggies. Choose nutritious and energizing foods to help keep the kids going all day! You will need to send non-heating lunches as we have no heat source at the parks. We prefer that if you send a Lunchable, you only do it once a week. We feel Lunchables do not completely meet the daily nutritional needs of the children, so please add fruits and vegetables. Also please monitor the volume of food brought home to adjust how much more or less to send the next day. Generally, the kids eat much more during camp than during the school year. A good lunch usually has at least 5 items.

WATER BOTTLE: *We will provide a Camp Water Bottle but please have your child bring it every day. Otherwise we will charge you \$1.00 for a bottle that day. Families are in charge of washing and sanitizing these bottles at home and returning them to camp each day.*

BACKPACK: Each child should have one that is big enough to carry their towels, swimsuit, lunch, hat, water bottles and extra clothes.

EXTRA CLOTHES: Please have an extra set of clothes in a ziplock bag in the backpack. Please label these close with your child's name.

WATER SHOES: We are asking each child to bring a pair of "water shoes" - plastic sandals with a strap on the back so they stay on their feet - on Fridays for water play. This will allow them to play on our pebbled backyard playground out back at Plum Street.

SWIM LESSONS. Our private lessons are provided by Raintree Athletic Club private swim instructors. Although these lessons are optional, *we strongly encourage your child to go through these lessons if they are not yet proficient swimmers.* The lessons are three times each week for 40 minutes from 9:20 - 10:00. We charge you exactly what we are charged - \$35.00. We will include a Swim Lesson Registration Form with your confirmation packet if you register for these lessons.

SUNSCREEN: Please provide a bottle for the summer to share with the camp. We recommend at least 30 SPF. We will keep it for them here at the center and help put it on each day. If your child requires a specific brand of sun screen, please let us know. *Please apply a first coat of sunscreen on your child each day upon arrival at our school or the O'Dea playground.* We recognize this will take extra time, but doing this application at our location ensures for us that it is done.

SUN HAT: We advise that you send a hat to protect your child's head, face, and eyes (we are outside a lot). This too should stay at YPLC so it will be available every day.

NAP TOWEL: This towel will be used for resting on each day at the park or at school (**NOT** for swimming). Please label the towel.

T-SHIRT: A KinderCamp T-shirt will be provided for every child and will be worn at different times throughout the summer. This is something that needs to stay at camp during the summer. We will wash it regularly and give it to you at the end of the summer.

SWIMMING SUIT & TOWEL: Your child will be using their suit and towel regularly, so we suggest you leave it at YPLC all summer. We will take care of the laundry. Remember that the swim towel is in addition to the "nap towel". **Please label these!**

SNEAKERS: These are better than sandals or jellies due to the walking and outside play. Due to safety reasons and experience, no flip-flops or crocs. These shoes have consistently caused safety issues in the past. If your child must wear sandals, please be sure they have a back-strap.

EXTRA MONEY: Please do not send extra money. We cover all costs and cannot be responsible for lost money.

SWIMMING: We swim at City Park Pool, EPIC, Mulberry Pool and take at least one trip to Lake Loveland. Please watch the schedule and *please* remember sunscreen!

MOVIE TIME: We will generally have a movie at the Center each week on Thursdays. We will post the name of the movie on our detailed weekly calendar. Children are always given options of doing a different activity and feel free to let us know if there is a movie planned you do not wish your child to watch.

TUESDAY TRIPS: We would love to have extra parents to help on some of these Big Field Trips. Please let us know ahead of time if you can join us so we can properly plan for that. We will need to know which trips you can help with, if you can drive, and how many children you can put in your car. We pay all the costs for you to attend. The weekly calendar will list those trips we need chaperones for.

COMMUNICATION: We will not be using the communication notebooks for this camp for the summer. If currently attending YPLC, your child will receive his/her notebook at graduation. Please talk to a staff member if you ever have any questions.

CAMP DIRECTORS: Jeff Birr, Amber Lousberg and Julie Hefner-Kerr who are currently our Pre-Kindergarten Teachers, will be our *KinderCamp* Directors this summer. We are proud to say this is Jeff's 10th year with us, Amber's 6th year with us and Julie's 10th year with us.

We are very happy with our schedule this year and are really looking forward to having a great fun summer with your kiddos!