

## Fun in the Sun/Kids on the Move Camp

These wholesome, educational, fun-filled, and stimulating summer programs offer a variety of activities for youth aged 5-12 years old. Don't miss an opportunity to make new friends and have fun at the same time. Monday-Thursday from 8 a.m.-5 p.m. or 1 p.m.-5 p.m. at various elementary schools. Site activities will include sports, games, arts/crafts, music/dance, character/leadership development, social activities, and many other exciting activities. Look for information on the camp dates, location, and registration process in the summer program guide available in late April. Flyers will also be circulated at the host schools. Details: Ericka Bynum, 748-1123, [bynume@chesterfield.gov](mailto:bynume@chesterfield.gov)

## Fun in the Sun/Kids on the Move LIT Program

The LIT (Leadership-in-Training) program provides an excellent growth experience for teens aged 15-17 who are interested in working with children and have the desire to develop leadership, problem solving and decision-making skills. Look for information on the camp dates, location, and registration process in the summer program guide available in late April. Flyers will also be circulated throughout various high schools. Details: Ericka Bynum, 748-1123, [bynume@chesterfield.gov](mailto:bynume@chesterfield.gov)

## HISTORY CAMPS

Details: Bryan Truzzie, 751-4946 or [truzzieb@chesterfield.gov](mailto:truzzieb@chesterfield.gov)  
To register, visit [www.chesterfieldhistory.com](http://www.chesterfieldhistory.com)

### Archaeology Summer Camp

This summer day camp will provide an introduction to archaeology with engaging activities to experience archaeology hands-on. A wide range of activities will include conducting site surveys, performing shovel test pits, site mapping, archaeological excavations, artifact repair and reconstruction, soil surveys and documentation. A field trip to the Chesterfield County Museum on Friday is included. Snacks and water provided. For children ages 8-12. Space is limited.

Historic Trinity Church, 10111 Iron Bridge Road  
Monday- Friday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. **\$100**  
Session 1: July 10-14  
Session 2: July 31-Aug. 4

### Heritage Crafts and Games Summer Camp

This camp will address period games that children would have enjoyed during the 17<sup>th</sup> and 18<sup>th</sup> centuries. Children will have the opportunity to engage in colonial and Native American craft activities and period games from pottery making, calligraphy, paper marbling, weaving, candle dipping, and butter churning. Craft activities range from tin pressing, plant bookmarks, medicine pouches and others. Snacks and water provided. For children ages 8- 12. Space is limited.

Castlewood, 10201 Iron Bridge Road  
Monday-Friday, July 17-21, 9 a.m.- 1 p.m. **\$100**

### Historic Crafts and Trades Summer Camp

This summer day-camp will give a limited number of children a journey back in time to experience period crafts and activities. Participants will dig like an archaeologist, learn how to repair artifacts, learn how to make bricks, build parts of early Virginia houses, experiment with architecture. Participants will be engaged in Native American crafts, weaving, tin punching, marble making, and paper quilling. They will learn about life in historic Chesterfield during this exciting new camp experience. With a myriad of hands-on activities, children will "live it, learn it and love it." For children ages 7-12. Space is limited.

Castlewood, 10201 Iron Bridge Road  
Monday-Friday, July 24-28, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. **\$100** (Fee includes snacks and drinks)

Register at [www.chesterfield.gov/parks](http://www.chesterfield.gov/parks) • 804-748-1623

## ADVENTURE/NATURE CAMPS

### Camp Red Tail Hawk

Explore the outdoors and make new friends during this adventure-packed week at Rockwood Park. Campers will learn target archery, meet live animals, go fishing, and investigate nature through games and crafts. For ages 8-10.

Shelter 1, Rockwood Park, 3401 Courthouse Road  
Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. **\$95**  
June 12-16 **Course 41884**  
June 19-23 **Course 41885**  
June 26-30 **Course 41886**  
July 10-14 **Course 41887**  
July 17-21 **Course 41888**  
July 24-28 **Course 41889**  
Details: Coline Hay, 804-717-6858 or [hayc@chesterfield.gov](mailto:hayc@chesterfield.gov)

### Fun in the Forest Mini Camp

There will be lots of fun in the forest as we take nature walks on the trails and awaken our imagination. There will also be fun stories, songs, games, and crafts. Each day will have a different theme. Both sessions cover the same curriculum, so register for only one. For ages 4-5.

Rockwood Nature Center, 3401 Courthouse Road  
Monday-Friday, 9:30-11:30 a.m. **\$50**  
June 19-23 **Course 41604**  
June 26-30 **Course 41605**  
Details: Denise Flora, 804-717-6860 or [florad@chesterfield.gov](mailto:florad@chesterfield.gov)



### Wild About Nature

Check out the salamanders, snakes, squirrels, birds, and many other creatures that live in Rockwood Park. Discover how each is uniquely adapted for life in its own habitat. We'll enjoy games, mini-hikes, and hands-on activities each day. Both sessions cover the same curriculum, so register for only one. For ages 6-7.

Rockwood Nature Center, 3401 Courthouse Road  
Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. **\$85**  
July 10-14 **Course 41602**  
July 17-21 **Course 41603**  
Details: Denise Flora, 804-717-6860 or [florad@chesterfield.gov](mailto:florad@chesterfield.gov)

**Robious River Camps**

Exciting outdoor camp along the James River in northern Chesterfield County. Activities include hikes, kayaking, nature exploration and awareness.

Robious Landing Park, 3800 James River Road  
Monday-Friday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m. **\$115**

Explorers (ages 7-9):

- July 10-14 **Course 41943**
- July 17-21 **Course 41944**
- July 24-28 **Course 41945**
- July 31-Aug. 4 **Course 41946**

Adventurers (ages 10-12):

- July 10-14 **Course 41939**
- July 17-21 **Course 41940**
- July 24-28 **Course 41941**
- July 31-Aug. 4 **Course 41942**

Details: Noel Losen, losenn@chesterfield.gov

**Wild and Wonderful West Virginia**

Spend four days and three nights in the mountains of West Virginia. Climb the crags of Senneca Rock, hike the Dolly Sods Wilderness Area that resemble the wilds of Canada, and on the last day, test your mettle on the via ferrata. Base camp will be tent camping at Seneca Shadows Campground. Fee includes all activities, transportation, three dinners, three breakfast, and two lunches, camping fee and tents. For ages 13-15 and must weigh between 88 and 265 pounds.

Parks Maintenance Building, 9201 Public Works Way  
Tuesday – Friday, June 20-23

**\$475** **Course 42022**

Details: Mark Battista, 804-318-8735

**Eco-Adventure Camp – From Ocean to Mountains**

Hike, paddle, and pedal through the rich and diverse environments of Virginia. On your first day, pedal through the remote and wild False Cape State Park, a barrier spit in southern Virginia Beach. On your second day, kayak from Warren Ferry to Scottsville. Finally, hike to the exposed summit of Cole Mountain and then to Panther Falls for a refreshing dip. For ages 12-14.

Parks Maintenance Building, 9201 Public Works Way  
Tuesday-Thursday, July 11 – 13

**\$250** **Course 41909**

Details: Mark Battista, 804-318-8735



**Horseback Riding Camps**

These camps are designed for beginners and beyond. They are for those who want to learn the fundamentals or improve on the skills they already have. This includes proper techniques in handling, mounting, riding, dismounting and maintenance. Each camp culminates with a horse show on the final day. Actual riding times may vary on the last day due to the show. For ages 8 and older.

Hunter Lane Stables, 3578 Hunter Lane

Monday to Friday, 8:30 a.m.-noon

**\$235**

June 19-23

**Course 42004**

July 24-28

**Course 42005**



**SAILING CAMPS**

**Sail Camps**

The Greater Richmond Sailing Association on Swift Creek Reservoir offers the chance to enter the exciting sport of sailing. Future sailors, age 8-15, can come out for the first time or come back to further enhance their skills. These one-week camps are taught by U.S. Sailing certified instructors. This adventure-based program promotes leadership, self-confidence, sportsmanship, safety awareness and respect for others. Important: Students must be able to pass a swim test of swimming 50 feet unaided. While on the water, all campers must wear a well-fitted Coast Guard approved Type III personal flotation device (PFD). High school students can earn PE credits in Chesterfield County and Richmond City for these camps (please ask your school's guidance department for details if interested). You will be emailed forms before the start of the course. \*Bring completed forms to class on the first morning and turn in to your instructor. Cancellation Policy: GRSA requires two weeks' notice for cancellations for a full refund. Any cancellations made within two weeks of the selected course will not be issued a refund. Drop off and pick-up at Greater Richmond Sailing Association, 4301 Woolridge Road on Swift Creek Reservoir in Midlothian.

Each session is Monday - Friday, 8:30 a.m. - 4 p.m. **\$400**

For questions about registration: Noel Losen, losenn@chesterfield.gov.

For questions about the camps: sailcamp@grsa.org or check the Learn to Sail page at GRSA.org.

## Level I Sail Camp

No experience required! This is our beginner class and the perfect introduction to fall in love with sailing. Sailors will learn how to rig sailboats, parts of a sailboat, sail trim, safety, how to read the wind, and steering. 8-11 years old will have the opportunity to be the captain of their own boat sailing Optimist dinghies, while 12-15 years old will be paired up to jointly operate our Collegiate 420 sailboats.

8-11 years old:

June 5-9  
 June 12-16  
 June 19-23  
 July 10-14  
 July 17-21

**Course 41947**  
**Course 41948**  
**Course 41949**  
**Course 41950**  
**Course 41951**

12-15 years old:

June 5-9  
 June 12-16  
 June 19-23  
 July 10-14  
 July 17-21

**Course 41952**  
**Course 41953**  
**Course 41954**  
**Course 41955**  
**Course 41956**

## Level II Sail Camp

Build on your experiences from Level I Camp! Learn intermediate/advanced sailing techniques, and experiment with the Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math components of sailing. In the 8-11 years old class, students will continue to expand their knowledge on sailing Opti's and learn more advanced sailing techniques. They will also experience a long-distance sail across Swift Creek Reservoir. In the 12-15 years old class, students will be introduced to flying a spinnaker and the basic of racing. This class will still utilize our International 420's.

8-11 years old:

June 26-30  
 July 24-28

**Course 41957**  
**Course 41958**

12-15 years old:

June 26-30  
 July 24-28

**Course 41959**  
**Course 41960**

## Level III Sail Camp

Only offered for 12-16 years old - must have completed at least two GRSA Sail Camps within the last four years. This class will take all the fundamentals learned over Level I and Level II and put them to work learning the ropes of sailing a Flying Scot. Students will be moved from our International 420's which are 13'9" into the larger Flying Scot, 19'! This class will challenge the adventurer in all students by exploring a larger boat and learning more race tactics!

12-15 years old:

July 31-Aug. 4

**Course 41961**



## HENRICUS HISTORICAL PARK CAMPS

### Camp Pocahontas

What did a Powhatan child do for fun during the 17th century? In our re-created Powhatan settlement of Arrohatock, campers will explore the environment and life of Pocahontas and the culture of the Powhatan people through demonstrations, activities, arts and crafts. Hands-on activities include cooking, farming, archery, music and dancing, engineering, canoe scraping, fish net weaving, and pottery. Registration is required by June 15 by calling 804-318-8797. For ages 6-9. Tuesday-Thursday, June 20-22, 9 a.m.-4 p.m. \$160/child; Henricus Members: \$135/child Details: 804-748-1611