



THE CITY OF
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RECREATION AND PARKS
DEPARTMENT

**Outdoor
Education
Summer Camps**

CAMPS

- Indian Village
- Camp Terra
- Camp Terra Preschool
- Counselor in Training Program

June 10—August 16, 2013

**For questions call 614.645.5980
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www.columbusrecparks.com**

This institution is an equal opportunity provider.

Indian Village

Ages: 6 - 12 years old (age as of June 10th)

Camp Location: Indian Village Outdoor Ed. Center: 3200 Indian Village Rd, Columbus 43221

Camp Director: Casey Smith, 614.645.3380 or cell 614.348.6248

Camp Hours and Fees: 9AM - 4PM

\$115 per week for Columbus Residents

\$130 per week for Non-Residents

Session 4: Session 4: \$92 / \$104

Drop Off and Pick Up Hours:
(Included in the price)

Drop Off 8AM - 9AM

Pick Up 4PM - 6PM



Session	Date	Theme
1	June 10 - June 14	The Adaptables
2	June 17 - June 21	Mission Impossible
3	June 24 - June 28	Simply Science
4	July 1 - July 5 (no camp July 4th)	Best of Indian Village
5	July 8 - July 12	Wet and Wild
6	July 15 - July 19	The Adaptables
7	July 22 - July 26	Mission Impossible
8	July 29 - August 2	Simply Science
9	August 5 - August 9	Best of Indian Village
10	August 12- August 16	Wet and Wild

Please register for each theme only once.

Children are grouped together by age, no exceptions.

Indian Village Themes

Each week campers will participate in a variety of activities including fishing, hiking, pontoon boat ride, building forts in the woods, group games, and activities and programs related to the theme.

Campers 6 years and older will take part in archery. Campers 8 years and older will also go canoeing. Campers 11 years and older may be able to go kayaking.

The Adaptables - Flying, night vision, and venom! Explore animals' amazing adaptations through games and programs. Check out some live animals and discover the ways they survive in their specific habitats.



Mission Impossible - Join us for a week of spy games, friendly competitions, and wilderness survival. This week we will use a compass to complete secret missions, and find a geocache with a GPS. Also, try your hand at the climbing wall.

Simply Science - Explore the mysteries of science this week through hands on interactive experiments and adventures. Build and test a miniature parachute, experiment with roller coasters, make art using science, and much more.



Best of Indian Village - Spend this week building forts and playing all your favorite games, including Sock Wars! With a new time slot called Counselor's Choice, this week will feature what the counselors are passionate about. Best of Indian Village week will conclude with an epic water balloon battle.

Wet and Wild - Stay cool this week while discovering the wild side of water. Fun activities and games will help keep us cool and get us soaked. Bring your water guns for all out water fun, get drenched in a water relay, and dive into our creek and study the critters that live there.



Camp Terra

Ages: 6 - 12 years old (age as of June 10th)

Camp Location: Antrim Park Shelter House: 5800 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus 43235

Camp Director: Cell 614.604.5351

Camp Hours and Fees: 9AM - 4PM

\$115 per week for Columbus Residents

\$130 per week for Non-Residents

Session 4: \$92 / \$104

Drop Off and Pick Up Hours:
(Included in the price)

Drop Off 8AM - 9AM

Pick Up 4PM - 6PM



Session	Date	Theme
1	June 10 - June 14	Edible Earth
2*	June 17 - June 21	Curious Minds
3	June 24 - June 28	Animal Expeditions
4*	July 1 - July 5 (no camp July 4th)	Sensible Survival
5	July 8 - July 12	Time Travelers
6*	July 15 - July 19	Edible Earth
7	July 22 - July 26	Curious Minds
8*	July 29 - August 2	Animal Expeditions
9*	August 5 - August 9	Sensible Survival
10	August 12- August 16	Time Travelers

Please register for each theme only once.

Non-starred sessions will offer canoeing for those 8 and older.

****Starred sessions will offer rock climbing for all campers.***

Children are grouped together by age, no exceptions.

Camp Terra Themes

Each week campers will participate in a variety of activities including fishing, hiking, building forts in the woods, group games, and activities and programs related to the theme. Campers 6 and older will experience archery (starred sessions). Campers 8 and older will go canoeing (non-starred sessions). All campers will participate in the climbing wall (starred sessions).

Edible Earth - What makes our gardens grow? Get hands on experience with growing your own food and exploring the land for edible wild plants. Learn about large scale farming all the way down to individual potted plants.



Curious Minds - Earth is a dynamic planet. Campers take on the role of science detective to uncover what's happening beneath our feet and up in the sky throughout this week of activities and experiments.

Animal Expeditions - From hummingbirds to hawks, campers will explore the characteristics that make birds unique and see how they differ from each other. Grab a net and bucket and prepare to get your feet wet to discover what lives in the water.



Sensible Survival - This week will be full of everyday adventures and excursions into the wilderness. Build an overnight shelter and learn to survive safely in the wild. Campers will be challenged during hunts for creatures, CITs, and other hidden treasures using a compass or GPS.

Time Travelers - Experience Ohio as you analyze fossils, learn about Native American cultures, and discover how early settlers experienced the land. Campers will take on many roles on this journey throughout time.



Camp Terra Preschool

Ages: 4 - 5 years old (age as of June 10th)

Camp Location: Antrim Park Shelter House: 5800 Olentangy River Rd, Columbus 43235

Camp Director: Cell 614.604.5351

Camp Hours and Fees:

AM Session: 9AM - 12PM

PM Session: 1PM - 4PM

\$50 per week for Columbus Residents

\$65 per week for Non-Residents

Session 4: \$40 / \$52

Drop Off and Pick Up Hours and Fees:

\$8 Early Drop Off 8AM - 9AM, AM Session Only

\$8 Late Pick Up 4PM - 5PM, PM Session Only

Session 4: \$6



Session	Date	Theme
1	June 10 - June 14	Edible Earth
2*	June 17 - June 21	Curious Minds
3	June 24 - June 28	Animal Expeditions
4*	July 1 - July 5 (no camp July 4th)	Sensible Survival
5	July 8 - July 12	Time Travelers
6*	July 15 - July 19	Edible Earth
7	July 22 - July 26	Curious Minds
8*	July 29 - August 2	Animal Expeditions
9*	August 5 - August 9	Sensible Survival
10	August 12- August 16	Time Travelers

Please register for each theme only once, up to five half day sessions. You may not sign up for AM and PM in the same week.

****Starred sessions will offer rock climbing for all campers.***

Preschool Themes

Each week campers will participate in a variety of activities including fishing, hiking, creeking, obstacle course, crafts, and other activities and programs related to the theme.

All campers will participate in the climbing wall during starred sessions.



Edible Earth - What makes our gardens grow? Get your hands dirty planting your own vegetable to take home and keep growing! Meet some worms, discover the soil they live in, and play many garden games.

Curious Minds - Discover volcanoes when you build one of your own! Spend time playing with bubbles and learning about clouds in this week of hands on and activity oriented learning.



Animal Expeditions - Become a bird for the week and find out what helps them soar through the sky. Use observational skills to spot some of Ohio's unique feathered residents.



Sensible Survival - Explore the wilderness while learning outdoor skills on action packed hikes. Bring a snack to eat at a camp you build. Learn to navigate your way with landmarks and maps.



Time Travelers - Take a trip in a time machine and experience Ohio as the early settlers did. See what it takes to travel without cars, go on expeditions, and take on the roles of pioneers and Native Americans.

Counselor In Training Program

Young adults ready to take a leadership role and learn more about caring for campers are encouraged to apply for the Counselor in Training (CIT) program. CITs work along side camp counselors where they teach campers, play games, hike, fish, canoe, and more.

AGES 13 – 17 (must have completed 7th Grade)



The CIT program runs for 10 weeks during the summer at Indian Village, Camp Terra and Camp Terra Preschool. CITs pay \$20 to participate, which covers the cost of two CIT shirts and an event at the end of the summer. Scholarships are available through the Outdoor Education Community Recreation Council. Please call for details.

**Mail applications to:
Casey Smith
3200 Indian Village Road
Columbus, OH 43221**



Application Process

Spaces are limited. Interested individuals are required to submit an application and interview for the position. Fill out an application and return it to Indian Village by April 12, 2013. Preference will be given to applicants who are able to volunteer three weeks or more. Applications are available at www.columbusrecparcs.com



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