

June Forest Camp 2024 Info Sheet

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Meeting Times, Dates and Location

Week One: Mon June 17th - Fri June 21st

Week Two: Mon June 24th - Fri June 27th

We will meet at the lawn at the end of 207th St behind the handball courts and Emerson Playground at **9am**.

Enter the park at the end of 207th St just West of Seaman Ave and you will find us. We will be moving through the forest during the class time, however we will end back at the same place at **2:00pm**, unless you are otherwise notified about where pickup will be.

Weather & Essential Clothing

You will receive an email (from sarah.inwoodforestcamp@gmail.com) with the weather forecast and clothing recommendations the night before each day of camp. It is essential that your child come appropriately dressed for the weather, as we are spending time outdoors in any non-dangerous weather that comes our way.

- Please make sure you have the following items before the first day of the session*:**
- a completely waterproof outer layer (waterproof jacket AND RAIN PANTS or all in one suit)**
- completely waterproof boots**

While June is typically warmer weather, it can be chilly so have warmer clothes on hand as well including:

- wool, polyester, nylon or silk base layers, i.e. long underwear (top and bottom). Avoid cotton for this layer in cool, cold or wet weather.
- fleece, wool or insulated mid-layers (i.e. heavy sweater or jacket/coat)
- sturdy socks (ideally wool or wool/polyester blend)

*If you have any trouble accessing these items, please do not hesitate to promptly reach out to Sarah so that we can find a solution. If your child is not appropriately dressed for the weather we will not be able to accept them in camp.

To Bring:

1. Snack and lunch, separately labeled
 2. Plenty of drinking water
 3. Change of clothes (pants, underwear, socks, top)
 4. Bug Spray if you would like it to be reapplied during camp.
- Please pack these items in a small backpack for your child to carry.

Bug Spray and Sunscreen:

There can be bugs in the forest at this time of year and while we will mostly be in the shade of the forest, you may want to apply sunscreen as well if your child is sensitive. **I would highly recommend applying bug spray ON TOP of any sunscreen to ensure it works optimally.**

Class Cancellation Policy

Classes will rarely be canceled due to weather. In the case of dangerous weather such as lightning or high winds, we will move temporarily to a nearby library or coffee shop and parents will be notified if pick-up location has changed. There will be no make-up classes.

Refund Policy

The cancellation fee is \$200 if canceled 14 days before the first day of the class. No refunds are issued less than 14 days before the first day of class.