



## **Session D: Monday, July 15<sup>th</sup> – Friday, July 19<sup>th</sup>**

**Camp Hours: 8:30 am - 4:00 pm**

**Camp Phone: (860) 462-7219**

**Camp Location: SWPRD (Old Orchard Hill) → 350 Foster St.**

**Camp Email: [campdiscovery.sw@gmail.com](mailto:campdiscovery.sw@gmail.com)**

Hello families and welcome to Camp Discovery! We are very excited to continue our summer with you and have lots of fun, including our exciting field trips! ☺

**Administration & Nurse Staff:** Alex Goslin is our Camp Director, accompanied by assistant directors Jamie Waldo and Connor Dunn. Additionally, Patty Albert, Teresa Twomey, Danielle Korzep, Jennifer Ward, and Lindsay Arnold will be joining us as Registered Nurses. Please feel free to speak with any of the directors regarding any questions, concerns, or to just say “Hi!” Please address all medical matters to the nurses. The nurses’ phone number is 860-221-9644.

**Sign In:** Sign-in will take place between 8:30-9:00 am. It will be located at the front of the rec department, by the gym. Please park in the front parking lot and be careful crossing the road as you make your way up to the sign in tables! Look for the people with the blue shirts - that's us! Sign in will be done alphabetically by last name, so be on the lookout when you arrive! Once your child is signed in, they will place their belongings behind their group's cone, which will be located under the big tents. Campers will then choose which morning rotation they would like to participate in before the daily schedule begins. The morning rotations will consist of soccer, kickball, arts & crafts, or they may stay under the tent.

**Sign Out:** Sign-out will take place between 3:30-4:00 pm. It will be under the green Parks and Recreation tent, located on the field next to the rec department. You may park in the same parking lot as sign-in. *Please have your ID ready, as it will be checked, and verified with the pick-up authorization form, in order for you to pick up your child. Reminder: anyone who is not on epact will NOT be allowed to pick up your camper.*

**\*\*Keep in mind that Sign In and Sign Out procedures are subject to change due to rain/inclement weather. We appreciate your flexibility in advance.\*\***

**Before Care:** Before Care will take place between 7:00-8:30 am. Please sign your child in at the sign-in table, located next to the gym. This is a separate registration, which you can sign up for on Rec Desk. It is called "Camp Discovery Clubhouse Care Session D AM" in the system.






**After Care:** After Care will take place between 4:00-6:00 pm. Snack will not be provided, but there will be a designated snack time at the beginning of After Care, so please pack your child an additional snack. After Care sign out will take place where sign in occurred. This is a separate registration, which you can sign up for on Rec Desk. It is called "Camp Discovery Clubhouse Care Session D PM" in the system.



**Groups:** Campers at Camp Discovery are grouped by age so the counselors can plan age appropriate and fun activities. *All groups for the week are final.*

**TO DO DURING SESSION D:**

- Sign pick- up authorization at sign in on the first day of camp

**NOTE: you do not need to do this if your camper was in a previous session**

<u>7/15- 7/19</u>	<u>SESSION D - THEME DAYS and FIELD TRIPS</u>	<u>You will need....</u>
<p><b>Monday</b> <b>7/15</b></p>	<p>WELCOME TO CAMP DISCOVERY SESSION D! We are so excited to see you at camp!</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Snack</li> <li>● Lunch</li> <li>● Water bottle</li> <li>● Additional snack (after care only)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Tuesday</b> <b>7/16</b></p>	<div style="text-align: center;">   <p><b>Sports Day</b></p>   </div>	<p>To WEAR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Sports attire! (uniforms, team gear, etc.)</li> </ul> <p>To BRING:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Snack</li> <li>● Lunch</li> <li>● Water bottle</li> <li>● Additional snack (after care only)</li> </ul> <p>NOTE - campers will receive their camp discovery shirt during the day</p>
<p><b>Wednesday</b> <b>7/17</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Hartford Athletic Game</b></p> <div style="text-align: center;">  </div>	<p>To WEAR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Camp Discovery shirt</li> </ul> <p>To BRING:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Snack</li> <li>● Lunch</li> <li>● Water bottle</li> <li>● Additional snack (after care only)</li> </ul>

<p><b>Thursday</b> <b>7/18</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Pirate Day</b></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;">   </div>	<p>To WEAR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Pirate attire</li> </ul> <p>To BRING:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Snack</li> <li>● Lunch</li> <li>● Water bottle</li> <li>● Additional snack (after care only)</li> </ul>
<p><b>Friday</b> <b>7/19</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>VMP</b></p> <p>We will leave for the pool at 11:00 am and return to camp around 3:20. If you are picking up from the pool, please arrive by 2:45.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Every camper will get free ice cream at the pool!</p>	<p>To WEAR:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Bathing suit</li> </ul> <p>To BRING:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Snack</li> <li>● Lunch</li> <li>● Water bottle</li> <li>● Towel</li> <li>● Additional snack (after care only)</li> </ul>

**Field Trips:**

**Hartford Athletic Game**

On Wednesday, all campers must arrive in their Camp Discovery shirts. Please sign your camper in by 9:00 so we can prepare to leave for the game at 10:00. Campers will be allowed to bring their waters and their lunches into the stadium. Please pack a disposable lunch! The game begins at 11:00 am and will end around 1:00. Once the game ends, we will make our way back to the recreation department. It will most likely be very sunny with minimal shade at the game. We will provide sunscreen, but it may be a good idea for your child to wear a hat. Prehydrating is also highly recommended in preparation for the field trip!! Please note campers will not be allowed to purchase anything from the stadium.

**VMP (NO WEDNESDAY)**

On Friday, please have your campers wear their bathing suits - they do not need to wear their camp discovery shirt on this day. We will depart for the pool at 11:00 am and once we get to the pool, campers will eat their lunch and get swim tested if they would like to swim in the larger pools. If a camper does not pass the swim test or does not take the swim test, they will get a red wristband, signifying they must stay in the circle pool. Red group will not do the swim test, unless requested by a parent/guardian. Campers will not be allowed to purchase anything from the snack shack. However, on Friday, each camper will be allowed one frozen treat from the snack shack. The options will be chocolate eclair, character pop, and screwball. You may sign your child out early from the pool. You can find us at the back gate where there will be a sign out table. If you plan to do this, please be no later than 2:45 pm.

**Snack & Lunch:** Your camper's group will have a designated snack time each day. Snacks are not refrigerated and they will be put in your camper's group snack bin. Refrigeration for lunches will be provided, but there will not be access to a microwave. Please label all lunch boxes, snacks, and water bottles with your camper's name. **Please note that for safety purposes our camp is peanut and tree nut free, so plan snacks and lunches accordingly. We appreciate your flexibility!**

**Sunscreen:** Children should come to camp with sunblock on their bodies as we will spend a good portion of our day outside. We will have extra sunscreen at camp to reapply. Please label all of your child(ren)'s belongings to help minimize lost items. We will have a lost & found, but we would like to avoid a large buildup of lost items.

**Absences:** If your camper will be out from camp, please inform a director or counselor so we can plan accordingly. You can call the camp phone at 860-462-7219 or email at [campdiscovery.sw@gmail.com](mailto:campdiscovery.sw@gmail.com).

**Before camp starts you will need:**

☆ Completed online Camper Medical Forms on E-Pact. Please complete ePACT from the email you have received. It is extremely helpful to us to have this at least one week before camp. Additional special needs or special accommodations requests can be communicated via the [Program Accommodations Request Form](#).

☆ Please remember to come to sign-out with a photo ID.

☆ Payment is due for this session IN FULL one week prior to the start of camp. Any payment or registration questions please contact the main office at 860-648-6355 or by email at [rec@southwindsor-ct.gov](mailto:rec@southwindsor-ct.gov)

Please make yourself familiar with the [Parent Packet](#), and feel free to call with any questions at (860) 462-7219. We can also be reached by email at [campdiscovery.sw@gmail.com](mailto:campdiscovery.sw@gmail.com)

We are looking forward to a summer filled with good times and loads of fun! Thanks for being a part of Camp Discovery! For more information, "like" South Windsor Parks & Recreation on Facebook, follow us on Instagram at Southwindsorparksandrecreation, or visit our website at [recreation.southwindsor.org](http://recreation.southwindsor.org) for upcoming Parks & Recreation events!

Happy Summer,  
Camp Discovery Directors

