

SUMMER CAMP



DEPARTMENT OF PARKS
RECREATION & CULTURE

CAMP

The Municipality of Port Hope Summer Day Camp provides children with a summer of memories that will last a life time. The Day Camp program follows the HIGH FIVE® standards of quality programming and is led by trained and qualified staff.

- ✓ Make new friends
- ✓ New experiences
- ✓ Develop new skills

Learn more about our camp programming at www.porthope.ca/day-camps

2018 CAMP DETAILS:

We offer two types of camps. Our regular summer Day Camp is offered July 2 - August 31 for ages 4-12 years. Our Speciality camps are offered on select dates for varying ages.

Summer Day Camp Dates:

Camps are run on a weekly basis starting July 2 - August 31, 2018.

Speciality Day Camp Dates:

Please see following camps for specific dates.

New: Canton Summer Day Camp

July 2-6 and August 6-10

Hours:

Monday-Friday 8:30am-4:30pm

Extended hours available:

7:00am-8:30am and 4:30pm-6:00pm, Please request when registering, additional fees apply.

All camps run out of Town Park Recreation Centre, unless otherwise stated.

Fees:

Daily **\$33.45**

Weekly **\$127.00**

Extended hours: **\$18.20 week/family**

Speciality camp: ***Unique to each camp**

Multi-Child Discount: 2nd child 5% off, each additional child 10% off.

Special Note: To be eligible for the Thursday trips campers must be registered in the full week option.

WHAT TO BRING TO CAMP

- ✓ Lunch
- ✓ Snacks for morning and afternoon
- ✓ Drinks and water bottle
- ✓ Indoor shoes
- ✓ Swim suit and towel
- ✓ Hat and sunscreen

CAMP: WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

Looking for something fun & engaging for your child this summer? Port Hope camps provide a lot of unique options! Here are some of the benefits:

- ✓ Sun and environmental protection & awareness
- ✓ Optional weekly trips
- ✓ Age-appropriate activities & crafts
- ✓ Visits to and from community groups
- ✓ Resource staff for children with special needs
- ✓ Subsidy & assistance programs available
- ✓ Daily plans based on physical activity
- ✓ Visual arts/crafts & cooperative games
- ✓ Nut-allergy sensitive environment

Registration Dates & Times for Camp

Summer Day Camps: July 2 - August 31, 2018. Early registration encouraged!

- **Registration dates: Starts May 22, 2018 Mon-Thurs 8:30am-8:00pm. Registration is ongoing. Children need to be registered no later than the Thursday prior to the week they plan to attend camp.**

REFUNDS AND CREDITS

Late registrations/changes/cancellations to registrations will be subject to a \$10 administration fee. The only exception is for refund requests that are accompanied with medical proof. Refunds requested after the start of a program are subject to prorating based on classes completed at the time of request.

STAFF

Our staff team consists of enthusiastic, trained counselors. All staff members are trained in the HIGH FIVE® Principles of Healthy Child Development, are First-Aid and CPR-certified and trained in delivering the values of inclusion. Goals of our staff team include offering your child a positive experience at camp, teaching them skills that help develop positive self esteem as well as encouraging physical activity while participating in camp activities.

NUT-SENSITIVE ENVIRONMENT

Due to nut allergies, we ask that NO NUTS or other nut-added products be brought to camp.

SUBSIDY SUPPORT /ASSISTANCE

If you are faced with financial barriers and would like your child to have a great camp experience, please contact Sherrie Aldred, Recreation and Culture Coordinator at the Town Park Recreation Centre to discuss assistance options. The Municipality of Port Hope, Department of Parks, Recreation and Culture is a recognized service provider for Northumberland County Children's Services. Those in receipt of Ontario Works Child Care Benefit can choose our program.

SICK /ABSENT CAMPERS

If your child is displaying signs of illness, please do not send them to camp for the consideration of other campers and staff. If your child will not be attending camp on a day that they are registered, please call the Town Park Recreation Centre at 905-885-7908 or e-mail daycamp@porthope.ca to notify staff.

TRIPS

Parents have the option to send their children on the bus trip each Thursday (with the exception of Tennis). Please ensure that your child arrives at camp on time. Participants that are not registered to go on the trip will participate in activities similar to other non-trip days. Participants are to be registered for the full week of camp to participate in trip option. Campers will need to purchase a camp shirt to wear on the trips.

MEDICATIONS

If a child requires prescription medication on a regular basis that is to be administered at camp, please note the following procedures for sending medication to camp: 1. Parents must indicate at registration the type of medication, dosage and optimum time of dispense. 2. Only send the correct dose for the week. 3. All medications must be in its prescription bottle with the child's name and dosage. 4. Staff are not permitted to administer nonprescription drugs at camp.

SWIMMING

Swimming will take place at Jack Burger Sports Complex, as well as some beach locations. All camps participate in swim days on Tues & Wed (except Canton Day Camp, 1/2 day Tennis and Camp Canvas). Qualified lifeguards are on duty for Day Camp participants. Please remember to send a swimsuit and towel every day with your child, even if it is not a swim day.

CAMPS - CHILD & YOUTH

SPECIALITY CAMPS - In addition to Day Camp, the following Specialty camps are available:

We offer a variety of specialty camps for both children and youth. Specialty camps are focused on skill development, team building, problem solving and new friendships with others with the same common interests.

Jr. Firefighters

Fee: \$149.35

Sign up for a week of firefighting, investigating and problem solving! Campers spend the week with the local Port Hope Firefighters learning about emergency situations, equipment and what it takes to be a leader. Led by program staff and firefighter volunteers.

Age: 6-10 years **Date:** July 9-13

Jr. Lifeguards

Fee: \$149.35

This program takes components from the Canadian Swim Patrol, Bronze Star and Bronze Medallion courses. Participants need to be strong competent swimmers. Drop-off and pick-up will be at the Jack Burger Sports Complex with the exception of trip day when drop-off and pick-up will be at the Town Park Recreation Centre. Level 4 swim kids required

Age: 8-12 years **Date:** July 30-Aug 3



Boys Only

Fee: \$149.35

Just for the guys! Come join us for a week of fishing, biking, basketball and many other activities. This camp is full of awesome sports, guest speakers & gadgets. Led by male staff and volunteers.

Age: 8-12 years **Date:** July 23-27

Just the Girls

Fee: \$149.35

There is no other girl in the world exactly like you! In this camp you will have fun with the girls with makeup, hair styling, crafts and special guests. Discover new friendships while developing self-esteem. Led by female staff and volunteers.

Age: 8-12 years **Date:** July 16-20

Kids in the Kitchen

Fee: \$149.35

This camp is designed to teach children the importance of a healthy diet through a creative cooking approach. Using the Canadian Food Guide as the starting point children will be able to create a food masterpiece each day to complement their daily lunch. Bring recipes home and share with family and friends.

Age: 6-10 years **Date:** Aug 6-10

Tennis Camp

Half day: \$129.35
Full day: \$157.22

In cooperation with the Port Hope Racquet Club. Campers will benefit from learning skills and techniques through professional coaching. New this year is the option to stay for the afternoon for more racquet sports as well as swimming. **Age:** 7-16 years

Dates: July 9-13, July 17-21,
Aug 14-18, Aug 20-24

Time: Half Day 8am-Noon Tennis only
Noon-4:30 - Racquet Sport Option

Camp Canvas

Fee: \$149.35

NEW

A week full of creative creations! Camp staff along with special guests will bring out your child's creative side through various forms of art including painting, sculpting, drama, dance and more.

Age: 8-12 years **Date:** Aug 20-24

Waterfront Camp

Fee: \$149.35

A fun interactive camp to try a variety of activities as well as build on coordination and balance, teamwork, and problem solving. Participants will have the opportunity to try canoeing, paddle boarding, water sports as well as attend the Thursday trip.

Maximum of 10 registrants.

Age: 8-12 years **Date:** Aug 13-17

SUMMER DAY CAMP

OUR SUMMER DAY CAMP RUNS THE ENTIRE SUMMER

With flexible registration options, you can select individual dates that you need with week-at-a-time or full-summer options. Our trained staff will be sure to offer your child a fun and unique experience.

Our fun, weekly schedule includes:

- ✓ Wild Science
- ✓ Eco-art
- ✓ Kitchen creations
- ✓ Sports of all Sorts
- ✓ Wacky waterways
- ✓ Swimming and local tours

Other fun, weekly activities include:

Local Tour Mondays!

Mondays are the days that we will check out Port Hope! Visits to the parks, trails and beaches.

New Day Camp in Canton: 5325 County Rd 10, Port Hope July 2-6 and August 6-10

Day Camp staff plan a fun filled week for the campers including water activities, sports, crafts and so much more. Please bring your own lunch, snacks, refillable water bottle, bathing suit and towel as well as a backpack to carry it all in. Campers at the Canton location will also be attending the trip.



Spend time outdoors

Fun in the pool

KEEP YOUR EYES OPEN FOR THE CAMP BROCHURE COMING IN MAY!!!

The brochure will also be available on the Municipality of Port Hope website www.porthope.ca and will outline all the details for the Port Hope Summer Day Camp!