

Sunsational Summer Camp

Sunsational Summer Camp, an extension of Grace School-Aged Childcare, believes that summer vacation should be a time for children to enjoy their favorite summer pastimes. Through fun field trips and daily activities, children 5 thru 12 years of age build important life skills, expand their world-view, and create life-long memories.



Summer Camp activities include:

Swimming	Join us 2-3 times per week as we paddle our way around five area pools (weather permitting).
Library Program	Weekly trips to area libraries encourages and fosters a love of reading in your child.
<u>Field Trips</u>	Sunsational Summer Camp is always on the move; be it daily trips to local parks and attractions or large excursions to Duluth, Wis. Dells and the Minnesota Zoo.
<u>Arts & Crafts</u>	Whether creating in the classroom, singing on the bus, or attending area plays, Sunsational Summer Camp believes in the arts.
<u>Geo-Caching</u>	Discover Geo-Caching where children can "treasure hunt" while learning life skills such as map reading, compass and GPS use, and critical thinking skills in a fun teambuilding atmosphere.
day, cookouts, bo show, lunch a Glaze 'n Glass	<u>Ither Activities Have Included:</u> novies at Micon, the circus, water play- owling, mini-golf, Scheers Lumberjack at Red Robin, Great Lakes Aquarium, a, Fawn-Doe-Rosa Wildlife Sanctuary, s. Crystal Cave, Pioneer Village, and

much more!

Services Offered

Location and Hours	Altoona Intermediate School
	<i>Monday—Friday, 6:30 am - 6:00 pm</i> 1903 Bartlett Ave, Altoona
<u>Registration Fee</u>	\$60.00 per child (includes 1 t-shirt) \$75.00 per family (includes 2 t-shirts) \$15 for each additional t-shirt

Camp Rates

You must commit to a Full or Part-time schedule. There will be a limitednumber of <u>variable space</u>.





- You will receive vacation days (no charge) equivalent to one week of scheduled service. If you have used up all of your vacation you will then pay your regular rate. Your first days missed will be counted as your vacation even if you have a scheduled vacation in July or August.
- If parents are splitting accounts, vacation days will be split between the two individuals. For example, if your child comes 5 days a week, each parent will have 2.5 days of vacation to use. If your child comes 3 days a week, each parent will have 1.5 days of vacation to use.
- All rates include swimming fees and most field trips. However, there will be one major field trip in each month that will require an additional fee (usually around \$15 per child). If we feel the group is young we will follow this schedule: None in June, one in July and two in August
- There is a required deposit equal to one week of care. To avoid this fee, sign up for automatic withdrawal. This deposit must be paid at the time of registration and will be held as payment for your final week of camp. Billing statements will be sent via email every week, reflecting charges that you have incurred in the last 5 days. Billing statements will reflect the services that have been used; therefore, it is imperative that you stay current with your account to avoid disruptions of services.

Grace Lutheran Foundation also offers an automatic payment plan. (ACH)

If you decide to take advantage of this service, funds will automatically be withdrawn from your bank account on the following dates:

6/22, 6/29, 7/6, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27, 8/3, 8/10, 8/17, 8/24, 8/31, 9/7

The amount withdrawn will be on your most recent statement. To sign up the Automatic Payment Request Form must be completed before the first payment is due. Also

no deposit is required if utilizing the ACH payment plan.

MyWIChildcare EBT Card families are welcome please go to our website or contact Nancy for how this type of payment will work for summer.

Schedule

If your schedule varies, we must be notified every Thursday morning of your child's schedule for the following week. Failure to turn in schedule by deadline will result in a charge and may limit what we have available for space.

Enrollment Information

If your child is currently enrolled in our school-age childcare program, we do not need new enrollment information for the summer. However, you do need to fill out the attached two registration forms. If you are not currently using our services, we will send you an enrollment packet. These forms must be completed and returned to us before your child can attend the summer camp program.

Lunch/Snack

Sunsational Summer Camp will provide a healthy morning and afternoon snack.

CHILDREN MUST BRING THEIR OWN LUNCH.

We are a PEANUT fee zone! If you have questions please ask with the help of everyone we can keep all save.

(Unless otherwise specified in the camp schedule.)

A complete list of events and field trips for June will be sent out May 17th.



If you have any questions regarding any aspect of the program, please contact

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