

CELEBRATE SUMMER IS BACK!!!

Wing's Celebrate Summer staff is committed to encouraging campers to learn, grow, and thrive.

By choosing Celebrate Summer, you are empowering your child to get up, get outside, and explore the world beyond your home. This is especially true this summer.

Doesn't time outside, under the sun, away from computer screens, with friendly, supportive high school mentors and caring staff sound absolutely perfect? The social, emotional, and physical benefits camp provides are needed more this summer than ever before. We're thrilled to be back, and are dedicated to helping your child build confidence, and learn, all while having fun!

Camp Dates:

Week 1- July 12, 2021- July 16, 2021 9:00*-3:00

Week 2- July 19, 2021- July 23, 2021 9:00*-3:00

Week 3- July 26, 2021- July 30, 2021 9:00*-3:00

Kindergarten Orientation- August 16-20 9:00 -12:00

Open to ALL children entering kindergarten- Grade 5

*Early drop off available beginning at 8AM for breakfast if desired. (not available for Kindergarten Orientation)

To register click here! Hurry, space is limited!

OR send registration to Wings, 1 School ST Wilmington, VT 05363 OR bring to TVES BEFORE June 1



Celebrate Summer may look a little different this year, but the important stuff stays the same.

Wing's wants every child to have the opportunity to discover who they are and what they can achieve. Wing's Celebrate Summer nurtures the curiosity of every camper and challenges them to explore new things. Campers will explore new skills, and relationships that lead to practicing positive behaviors, better health, and educational achievement. Campers practice social-emotional skills, appreciate the importance of physical activity, and most importantly, learn how to be themselves.

Healthy meals will be provided at breakfast (if early drop off is chosen) and lunch.

Summer focuses on JOY, FUN and CONNECTION!

Some things that may look a little different...

*Each week will follow a theme for all campers that includes hands-on learning and plenty of time-honored favorites.

Week 1

Focus is on cool STEM activities, like exploding science experiments and nature walks.

Week 2

Is all about Imagination and Literacy. Creating story walks, Harry Potter wands and traveling around the pages of the world await campers.

Week 3

Highlights community, friendship, and connectedness! Team building games and outdoor adventures await!

*Campers will be grouped by age (no longer have to chose just one activity) and include a variety of interests throughout the day.

'Flexible drop off schedule. Campers have the option of coming as early as 8AM and enjoy breakfast with their assigned high school counselor or arriving at 9AM to start the day with their program leader.

*Camp ends at 3:00 this year.

*Camp is FREE to ALL WSWSU students!

Wings must remain a community that prioritizes safety. While COVID -19 is unlike any other challenge we've faced, we're confident that by following best practices shared by the WSWSU and guidelines set forth by the CDC and state health authorities, we will provide our campers with safe, beneficial, and unforgettable experiences.

These protocols are intentional, yet broad for now and flexible as we move forward, encounter inevitable changes, and are provided additional guidelines from the experts. We hope our initial Covid Safety Protocols (CSP) offer our families assurance that this summer will be both fun AND safe. In the coming weeks and months, we will be digging deeper into the steps our families and staff can take leading up to camp, we will root our protocols in our core values, and we will offer a more detailed plan of this summer's policies and procedures. We thank you for your understanding and patience as we seek to communicate clearly and effectively – and we thank you for your trust in us and partnership with us as we prepare for Summer 2021.

INITIAL COVID-SAFETY PROTOCOLS (CSPs)

- Reducing the total number of campers and staff that intermingle at camp each session. This reduction allows for greater space between one another when gathered inside for activities.
- Capitalizing on our outdoor facilities and moving more classes, activities, and meals to outside spaces. With additional tents, we will be able to offer more opportunities to eat, play and learn outside more than ever.
- Proper masking will be enforced this summer. We will adhere to clear masking protocols. Specifics expectations will be included in later communications. As guidelines change, Wings will continue to follow the recommended best practices as shared by the CDC and local health officials.
- Engaging others in our community from a distance. This summer our motto will be "Spread Out to Hang Out." We can still come together, make friends, and have a great time while honoring social-distancing guidelines.



Celebrate Summer Staff



Julie Moore, Director

Granny Moore enjoys reading, children, local history (History of Wilmington book recently published with son), gardening, walking, camping, traveling motorcycling and driving my 1969 VW Beetle:)



Crystal Benz, Stepping Stones

Ms Crystal lives with her husband and two boys. When not at school she enjoys gardening and homesteading.



Tucker Boyd, Assistant Director

Tucker recently graduated from Skidmore College. He loves long walks, books, theater and dogs.



Sherry Brissette, Grade 1

Ms. Sherry has worked with children for 20 years. Sherry enjoys children of all ages, digging in her garden, playing baseball with her grandson, and reading every book she can find!



Cyndal Ellis, Grade 2

Cyndal is a founder & Director of SoBo Studio in Brattleboro. She is a dancer, nature-lover, and mother. She's been creating and teaching dance to for over 14 years.



Paul Hoak, Grade 3 Mr Hoak is a guidance counselor at TVES, and enjoys doing group challenges and team building activities. He is excited to lead outdoor adventure camps again.



Jessica Horton, Grade 5

Mrs. Horton is a math teacher at TVMHS. She loves all experiments and making art. She has a 3 year old daughter and 2 big goofy rescue dogs.



Missy Jutras, Carol Millett, Grade 3

Mrs Millett and Mrs Jutras are going to be co leaders for the Reading Magic and Musical Adventures team. Together they bring a combined <u>67</u> years of experience teaching students in our valley. They both love reading, writing and teaching!





Mary Mihuta, Grade 2

Ms. Mary speaks Spanish, loves being in nature, working with children, playing sports, travelling and promoting cultural diversity and inclusion.



Stacey Skwirut, Grade 5
Ms. Skwirut has experience gardening and working in construction. She is currently studying Environmental Science and Education.



Jill Sachs, Grade 4

Jill is a yoga therapist, musician and the Wings Site Coordinator at TVES. She enjoys sprinkling music and movement and singing around campfires.



Stephanie Spring, Stepping Stones

Ms Spring began her career at Halifax School and then taught at TVES. She loves teaching and looks forward to Stepping Stones this summer.



Lauren Sumner, Grade 3 & 5

Lauren graduated from Palm Beach Atlantic University and is now earning her Masters in Publishing at University of Roehampton in London. She loves reading, writing, dancing, and being involved with theatre.



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