

2016 Summer Camps & Fun Activities



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On-Line Camp Information

www.acacamps.org

The American Camp Association is a community of camp professionals who share their knowledge and experience to ensure the quality of camp programs. As a leading authority in youth development, ACA works to preserve, promote, and improve the camp experience.

www.kidscamps.com

This website provides a Directory for finding summer camps and summer programs worldwide. Camps are broken down by Sports, Academics, Adventure, Arts, Teen, Special Interest, Religious, Special Needs and more.

www.mysummercamps.com

This is a Camp Resource Guide for kids, teens, and youth. This complete source connects you with summer camps, summer camp jobs, and a camp forum for parents, Camp Directors, and Job Seekers worldwide.

RedTreehouse.org

Ohio's online resource promoting and supporting physical, emotional, intellectual, and social development of children and young adults ages pre-natal to 25 years of age. Resources are always being updated specific to Summer 2016.

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- Camp: **A, B, C's Day Camp**
- Disability: Vision Impairment
- Contact: Sylvia Snyder
- Address: Cleveland Sight Center
1909 E. 101st St.
Cleveland, OH 44106
- Phone: 216 658-8777
- Website: www.clevelandsightcenter.org
- E-mail: ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org
- Fees: \$450 + transportation
- Ages: 5-8 (kindergarten – 3rd grade)
- Dates: July 18 - August 4, 2016 (Monday-Thursday)
- Time: 9:00 am – Noon

ABC's Camp is a 3 week day camp for 5 to 8 year old children with vision impairment who are entering kindergarten to grade 3. This half day summer camp experience includes activities that are planned and implemented by professional staff to promote independence, mobility and literacy. Compensatory skills such as Braille, orientation & mobility, and daily living skills are emphasized. Camp is staffed by a team including Teacher, Occupational Therapist, Physical Therapist, Speech Pathologist, Orientation & Mobility Instructor and Teacher of the Visually Impaired. May serve as ESY option.



- Camp: **Adapted Triple Threat Camp**
- Contact: Beyond Words Center
- Address: Beyond Words
6048 Royalton Road
North Royalton, OH
- Website: www.beyondwordscenter.org
- Fees: registration and early-bird discounts available on-line
- Ages: 6-12 years
- Dates: August 1-5, 2016 (Monday-Friday)
- Time: 9:00 am –12:00 pm

Campers (6-12) are introduced to the foundations of musical theatre through singing, dancing, and acting. Programming will be tailored to the individualized needs of all participants, allowing for self-expression and exploration into musical instruments, costumes, and fine and gross motor skills, ending with a final performance on the last day of camp!



- Activity: **Adaptive Golf Classes – Challenge Golf**
- Disability: Accessibility
- Ages: 6-Adult
- Contact: Ron Tristano, Manager/PGA Professional
- Address: Challenge Golf Course and Driving Range
1596 Flickinger Rd.
Akron, OH 44312

- Phone: 330 784-5400
- Fax: 330 784-7038
- Website: esr.challengegolf@gmail.com
- Dates: Session 1 – April 16-May 14, 2016 Session 2 – May 21-June 25, 2016
- Fees: \$80.00 per session.
- Accessibility: Yes

Session 1 – Class Curriculum: Fundamentals of Golf Swing, Chipping, Putting, Use of Woods, Strengthening/Flexibility and Rules of Etiquette.

Session 2 – Class Curriculum: On-Course Instruction and Play



- Activity: **Adaptive Sports Program of Ohio**
- Disability: Physically Disabled
- Ages: 5+
- Contact: Lisa Followay
- Address: 2829 Cleveland Rd., Suite B, Wooster, OH 44691
Satellite Office: 555 Meridian Road, Youngstown, OH 44509
- Phone: 330 262-1200
- Website: AdaptiveSportsOhio.org
- Email: Director@adaptivesportsohio.org
- Dates: Year-Round Programs
- Fees: Vary

Programs are seasonal. Calendar may be viewed at: AdaptiveSportsOhio.org

See information about Dream Camp.

- Activity: **Akron Zoo** - Fun Activity
- Disability: Accessible
- Ages: All
- Address: 500 Edgewood Ave.
Akron, OH 44307
- Phone: 330 375-2550
- Website: akronzoo.org
- Dates: Year-Round Programs
- Hours: April – October (Regular Season) 10:00 am – 5:00 pm
- Fees: Adults - \$12
Senior Citizens (62+) - \$10
Children (2-14) - \$9
Akron Zoo Members – Free
Non-Member Parking - \$3
Single Stroller - \$6 Double-Stroller - \$10
Electric Scooter - \$25 Wheelchair - free

Upcoming Events at the Zoo:

Party for the Planet – April 23 – Earth Day Festivities

Mother’s Day – May 8 – All Mothers & Grandmothers receive 50% off admission

World Ocean’s Day - June 8

Scout Day – June 11 – All Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts in uniform receive 50% off admission

Pancakes with Penquins – June 18 – Adults \$28, Children \$25 for non-members

Father’s Day – June 19 – All Fathers & Grandfathers receive 50% off admission

Extra fun: Train Rides \$2 – open April-October, Farmland Animal Feed \$2 – open year round, Carousel \$2 – open April-November (will open in March dependent on weather), It’s a Wild World Live Show \$2 – show times are 12:30 pm & 2:00 pm Tuesday – Saturday. Shows last 20 minutes.

ZooCamp Programs available throughout the summer at the Akron Zoo. Please refer to their website for information, dates, and prices. ZooCamp for Grades K-9. Children must have completed kindergarten by June 2016 to participate in these camps. Camp activities include a tour of the zoo, a chance to meet zoo staff and animal keepers, animal encounters, a T-shirt, a daily snack, a photo of your ZooCamper’s experience and a take-home craft.

- Camp: **Bright Futures Summer Day Camp**
- Disability: Vision Impairment/Multiple Disabilities with Vision Impairment
- Contact: Sylvia Snyder
- Address: Cleveland Sight Center, 1909 E. 101st St. Cleveland, OH 44106
- Phone: 216 658-8777
- Website: www.clevelandsightcenter.org
- E-mail: ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org
- Fees: \$500.00 + transportation
- Ages: 2-5 years of age – entering or returning to preschool
- Dates: June 13, 2016 – July 14, 2016 (Monday – Thursday)
- Time: 9:00 am – Noon

Bright Futures is a half day summer camp program for preschool aged children with primary or secondary vision impairments. The program includes pre-academic activities, outdoor play, therapies, socialization activities and fun. Compensatory skills, such as pre-Braille, pre-mobility, and daily living skills are emphasized. Camp is staffed by a team including a Pre-school Teacher, Teacher of the Visually Impaired, Occupational Therapist, Physical Therapist, Speech Pathologist and Orientation & Mobility Instructor. May serve as an ESY option.



- Camp: **Camp A.B.C. (Always Be Communicating)**
- Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Hearing Impairment, Intellectual Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impairments, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Visual Impairment including Blindness, and Developmental Delay.
- Ages: 3-6 years
- Contact: Holly Reimann, MA, CCC-SLP, Speech Therapist, Camp Director
- Phone: 330 405-8776
- Email: contact@PeakPotentialTherapy.com
- Website: www.campabc.com
- Location: Peak Potential Therapy, 8848 Commons Blvd., Ste. 101, Twinsburg, OH 44087
- Dates: June 6 – August 26, 2016, weekly sessions, Tuesday-Thursday
- Time: 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
- Fees: \$280/week early registration by March 15th \$330/week

Therapeutic, center-based, day camp developed for preschoolers with speech and language delays. We want them to have a fun first-camp experience. Children with aggressive behaviors or with multiple disabilities can attend with support of an individual aide. We want to provide a fun and interactive way to further develop their communication skills and have a better summer. Kids are engaged in a variety of activities to also improve their social, fine and gross motor skills, emotional regulation, eating, and play skills.

Camp is purposefully kept small so each child will get direct instruction from the therapist. Space is limited to a max of 6 kids per week. Staff includes: a therapist and aide to maintain ratio (3 kids to 1 adult). Reserve your child's place with a \$100 deposit and complete our easy online registration form. Camp tuition includes supplies, visual schedules, transition visual supports, and daily data collection on IEP goals. Optional services: progress report and photo album. We can bill for camp to County Boards of DD, Autism Scholarship Program, Jon Peterson Scholarship, school districts, Anthem, Aetna, SummaCare, and more. Camp Fills – Don't Delay – Register Today!!! If a third party is paying for camp and funds are confirmed, then no deposit is required.



- Camp: **Camp Nuhop - Residential**
- Disability: ADD, ADHD, LD, Asperger's Syndrome, and other disabilities
- Phone: 419 289-2227
- Website: nuhop.org Email: info@nuhop.org
- Camp Office: 404 Hillcrest Drive, Ashland, OH 44805
- Summer Camp: 1077 Hanover Township Road 2916, Perrysville, OH 44864
- Fees: Fees and ages vary according to camp
- Ages: 6-18 years
- Dates for Session: **Orientation** – June 4, 2016 (3 Presentation times)
Recommended for first-time campers and families

Session 1 – June 13-18, 2016

Session 2 – June 20-25, 2016

Session 3 – June 27-July 2, 2016

Session 4 – July 11-16, 2016

Session 5 – July 18-23, 2016

Session 6 – July 25-July 30, 2016

Prices range from \$820- \$975 per week depending on age/camp

Two-Week Camp Dates:

June 13-25, 2016	Walkabout – Age 11-13	\$2,100
July 11-25, 2016	Walkabout – Age 14-16	\$2,100
July 18-30, 2016	National Trip – Smoky Mountains	\$2,400

On-Campus Based Programs

Traditional Camp (Ages 8-18), Sports Skills Camp (Ages 14-16), Science Camp (Ages 8-16), Exploration Camp (Ages 6-7), Art Camp (Ages 11-17), Leadership Camp (16-18).

Off-Campus Based Programs

These camps are more rustic in nature than the On-Campus Programs. Aqua Camp (Ages 14-18), Bike Camp (Ages 12-14), Crusoe Camp (Ages 12-18), Lake Erie Islands Camp (Ages 13-18), and Ohio Adventures Camp (Ages 14-17), Expedition Camp (18+, return campers only).

Two Week Camps

National Trip Camp (Ages 14-17, return campers only) and Walkabout Camp (Ages 11-16). The easiest way to sign up for camp is by visiting nuhop.org/apply and complete the online application. If you have any questions, please give them a call and they'll be happy to assist you.

- Camp: **Camp Nuhop – Respite Weekends**
- Disability: ADD, ADHD, LD, Asperger’s Syndrome, and other Disabilities
- Phone: 419 289-2227
- Website: nuhop.org
- Email: info@nuhop.org
- Camp Office: 404 Hillcrest Drive, Ashland, OH 44805
- Summer Camp: 1077 Hanover Township Road 2916, Perrysville, OH 44864
- Fees: Fees and ages vary according to camp
- Ages: 8 and older

There are five Respite Weekends during the school year for return and prospective new campers to attend. Respite Weekends are a great way for return campers to connect with summer friends as well as participate in some of their favorite summer activities. For prospective campers, Respite Weekends give campers a taste of what summer camp would be like, and a chance to meet some new friends and become acquainted with our camp program. The focus of the weekend is to enjoy the outdoors in the company of friends.

Respite Weekends are usually scheduled for the third weekend in January, the second weekends of March and May, the third weekend in September, and the second weekend of November.

- Camp: **Camp Paradise**– Adult Camps
- Disability: Developmental Disabilities
- Contact: Chandler Laux/Camp Director
- Address: 4283 Paradise Road, Seville, OH 44273
- Phone: 330 722-1900 ext. 165
- Website: www.shc-medina.org
- Email: camp@shc-medina.org
- Age: Adult
- Accessible: Yes
- Fees: Waiver funded services: A copy of the ISP designating SHC as the provider of service must be submitted with your application to reserve your space. Call for waiver rates, (330) 722-1900 ext 165 –no fee required.
 Non-waiver funded services:
 Overnight: \$800/week
 Day Camp: \$400/week
 Non-refundable fee: \$75/week

Camp Themed weeks listed below:

- Movie Magic:** June 20-June 24, 2016
- Artistic Antics:** June 27-July 1, 2016
- Chefalicious:** July 11-July 15, 2016
- One Big Holiday:** July 18-July 22, 2016
- Under the Sea:** July 25-July 29, 2016
- Parks & Recreation:** August 1-August 5, 2016
- Sports:** August 8-August 12, 2016

General Camp information: Overnight camp begins at 9:00 am on Mondays and ends at 5:00 pm on Fridays. Pick-up is between 4:00 pm – 5:00 pm on Friday.

Day Camp is 9:00 am – 5:00 pm daily, and all facilities are accessible.

Highly trained staff with a ratio of 1:4 during awake hours.

- Camp: **Camp Paradise – Youth Camp**
- Disability: Developmental Disabilities
- Contact: Chandler Laux/Camp Director
- Address: 4283 Paradise Road, Seville, OH 44273
- Phone: 330 722-1900 ext. 165
- Website: www.shc-medina.org
- Email: camp@shc-medina.org
- Age: School-aged youth
- Accessible: Yes
- Fees: Waiver funded services: A copy of the ISP designating SHC as the provider of service must be submitted with your application to reserve your space. Call for waiver rates, (330) 722-1900 ext 165 –no fee required.
 Non-waiver funded services:
 Overnight: \$800/week
 Day Camp: \$400/week
 Non-refundable fee: \$75/week
 Buddy week special:
 Add a Buddy without a disability (ages 7-14)
 Overnight: \$500/week
 Day Camp: \$250/week
- Dates: June 13-June 17, 2016

Superheroes – Plan for a week of adventure of heroic proportions! Celebrate your inner superhero by creating your own superhero identity, and learn about heroes of every kind, like athletes who achieve the extraordinary! *This week is geared for campers with a disability and a buddy without a disability. Special reduced rate for buddy, ages 7-14.*

- Camp: **Camp Quality of Ohio** – Residential Camp
- Disability: Serving children with cancer
- Ages: 4-18 years
- Contact: Sharon Quinn, Camp Registrar
- Address: Camp Otyokwah & Retreat Center, 3380 Tugend Rd., Butler, OH 44822
- Phone: 330 239-1859
- Website: www.campqualityusa.org/oh
- Email: sharon.quinn@campqualityusa.org
- Dates: July 31, 2016 – August 6, 2016

Our motto is “letting kids with cancer be kids again.” Each child is paired with an adult companion who spends 24/7 through the week with the child as their cheerleader, friend, and mentor.

Companions go through a rigorous application process, background check, and training. Each of our fun activities at camp is carefully selected to ensure that the activity encourages group interaction amongst campers and companions, and/or offer a high impact of lasting memories.

Activities include a Prom, Talent Show, inflatable, karaoke, dances, games, etc. Children with cancer ages 4-18 are welcome to attend five camps within six years of diagnosis. Two siblings ages 6-16 are allowed for the first two years if space is available. We offer year round support and activities that are free.



- Camp: **Camp Suntastic** – Day Camp
- Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Intellectual Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impairments, Orthopedic Impairment, Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Developmental Delay
- Ages: 9 to 13 years
- Contact: Holly Reimann, MA, CCC-SLP, Speech Therapist, Camp Director
- Phone: 330 405-8776
- Email: contact@PeakPotentialTherapy.com
- Website: www.CampSuntastic.com
- Address: Peak Potential Therapy, 8848 Commons Blvd., Ste. 101, Twinsburg, OH **Weekly field trip locations change; see website for details.**
- Dates: June 3 – August 26, 2016, Fridays only Time: 11:30 am – 2:30 pm
- Fees: \$135/day early registration before March 15, 2016 after \$165/day

The “mini-SMILE Camp” for those who cannot attend a full week! Therapeutic, recreational, community-based, day camp developed for high-functioning children with various disabilities. Children with aggressive behaviors, non-verbal, or with multiple disabilities can attend with support of an individual aide. We want to provide a fun and interactive way to further develop their social skills and have a better summer. Kids are encouraged to use their skills in different settings with small group instruction. Plus they get to interact with typical peers naturally in a fun environment. A different field trip every week! Parents are responsible for dropping off and picking up their kids at the field trip locations, and packing a ready-to-eat lunch. This may include: Great Lakes Science Center, Cleveland Zoo, Fun-n-Stuff, Twinsburg Water Park, Waterworks, Jump Palace, Roseland Lanes, Zip City, and more. Camp is purposefully kept small so each child will get direct instruction from the therapist throughout the day plus has the opportunities to interact with peers.

Space is limited to a max of 6 kids per week. Staff includes: a therapist and aide to maintain ratio (3 kids to 1 adult). Reserve your child's place with a \$100 deposit and complete our easy online registration form. Camp tuition includes daily field trip costs, visual schedules, transition visual supports, social stories, and daily data collection on IEP goals. Optional services: progress report, bound social story book, and photo album. We can bill for camp to County Boards of DD, Autism Scholarship Program, Jon Peterson Scholarship, school districts, Anthem, Aetna, SummaCare, and more. If a third party is paying for camp, and funds are confirmed, then no deposit is required!

- Camp: **Dream Camp**
- Disability: Physical Disabilities
- Ages: Youth (ages 5-18)
- Phone: 330 262-1200
- Website: AdaptiveSportsOhio.org
- Address: 2829 Cleveland Road, Suite B, Wooster, OH 44691

Camp Address:

Recreation Unlimited
7700 Piper Road
Ashley, OH 43003

- Dates: July 8 - 10, 2016
- Fees: \$115.00

ASPO's **Dream Camp** is an Adaptive Sports Camp for youth the physical and visual disabilities. Activities include: Wheelchair Basketball, Power Wheelchair Soccer, Wheelchair Football, Red White and Blue Dance, Sitting Volleyball, Wheelchair Softball, Adaptive Kayaking, Campfire, Wheelchair Track, Swimming, Hiking, Games and More!

- Camp: **Early Childhood ZooCamp - with Caregiver**
- Address: 500 Edgewood Ave.
Akron, OH 44307
- Phone: 330 375-2550
- Website: akronzoo.org
- Fees: Akron Zoo Members - \$30
Non-Zoo Members - \$35
- Ages: 2-5 years who have not completed kindergarten by June 2016
- Dates: June 6, 2016 through August 8, 2016
- Times: 9:30 am – 11:30 am

Camp activities include: free play, stories, music, take-home crafts, snacks, an animal encounter, a T-shirt and a short tour of the zoo.

Family Ties (FT) – Learn about animal families and how animals – do or don't take care of their offspring.

FT1–June 6 (ages 2-3) **FT2**–June 10 (ages 4-5) **FT3**–July 11 (ages 4-5) **FT4**–July 15 (ages 2-3)

Z is for Zookeeper (ZZ) – What does a zookeeper do all day? Find out in this fun camp!

ZZ1-June 13 (ages 2-3) **ZZ2**-June 17 (ages 4-5) **ZZ3**-July 18 (ages 4-5) **ZZ4**-July 22 (ages 2-3)

Garden Party (GP) – Gardens are pretty, but did you know they help animals, too? Learn how animals use plants and what you can grow at home for wild animals.

GP1-June 20 (ages 2-3) **GP2**-June 24 (ages 4-5) **GP3**-July 25 (ages 4-5) **GP4**-July 29 (ages 2-3)

Peek-a-Boo at the Zoo (PB) – Play hide-and-seek with some of nature's best camouflage artists.

PB1-June 27 (ages 2-3) **PB2**-July 1 (4-5) **PB3**-August 1 (ages 4-6) **PB4**-August 5 (ages 2-3)

2+2 = Math at the Zoo (MZ) – Practice your counting as we discover animals throughout the zoo.

MZ1-July 5 (ages 2-3) **MZ2**-July 8 (ages 4-5) **MZ3**-August 8 (ages 4-5) **MZ4**-August 12 (ages 2-3)

- Camp: **Fine Motor Readiness**
- Purpose: Support developing fine motor skills
- Address: LLA Therapy, 33 Milford Drive, Hudson, OH 44236
LLA Therapy, 750 E. Washington, Suite C3, Medina, OH 44256
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy
- Ages: 3-5 years
- Dates: June 10, 2016 through August 12, 2016 - Hudson location Fridays
June 6, 2016 through August 15, 2016 – Medina location on Mondays
- Times: Check with LLA therapy

For Campers who need support developing fine motor skills. Fun and creative multi-sensory and motor activities that include yoga and crafts will be used along with the program “Handwriting Without Tears.” These will improve Campers independence with using writing utensils for pre-writing skills; self-help skills such as buttons, zippers and snaps; and eye-hand coordination skills like cutting or catching a ball. Led by occupational therapy staff.



- Camp: **Fundamentals for Success** (Summer Youth Work Experience) – Residential
- Disability: Vision Impairment
- Contact: Sylvia Snyder
- Address: Cleveland Sight Center
1909 E. 101st St.
Cleveland, OH 44106
- Phone: 216 658-8777
- Website: www.clevelandsightcenter.org
- E-mail: ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org
- Fees: \$8,900.00
- Ages: 16 – 21 years
- Dates: June 12, 2016 – July 15, 2016

Fundamentals for Success (FFS) is a 5 week residential program for 16-21 year olds providing a 20 hour a week work experience and training in activities of daily living, adaptive technology, orientation and mobility, and social skills to prepare the young adult for employment in a competitive integrated setting and teach vocational skills, appropriate work behaviors and basic skills to become independent. This is a “summer youth work experience” option through BSVI (OOD).



- Camp: **Hattie Larlham's Camp Connect**
- Disability: Developmental Disabilities
- Contact: Julie Lowe, Program Director
- Address: Akron, Ohio
- Phone: 330 760-3395
- Website: <http://www.hattielarlham.org/v/disability-camps.asp>
- Fees: Price varies depending on the camp – contact Julie for more information!
- Ages: children and adults
- Dates: August 1-5, 2016 at the Summit Art Space
August 15-19, 2016 at Rotary Camp Site

Camp Connect is a Hattie Larlham summer camp for Northeast Ohio children, teens, and adults with developmental disabilities. Hattie Larlham hosts these summer camp programs at select community locations. Summer camps keep campers active, help to develop new friendships, and encourage learning and growth. Hattie Larlham summer camp staff has experience working with people with developmental disabilities. Medical services not provided at camp.



- Camp: **Highbrook Lodge Residential Camp**
- Disability: Vision Impairment, Multiple Disabilities, Vision Impairment including Blindness
- Contact: Greg McGrath and Lindsay Lowe
- Address: 12944 Aquilla Road, Chardon, OH 44024
- Phone: 216 658-8777
- Website: www.clevelandsightcenter.org
- Fees: \$130-\$585 (varies by session)
- Ages: All – infants, children, young adults, adults and families
- Dates: June 20, 2016 – August 7, 2016

Good things are happening at Highbrook Lodge! Cleveland Sight Center Highbrook Lodge welcomes campers of all ages who are visually impaired or blind. Bright Futures is a family camp for children 0-6 years with a disability and their families. Sleep away camp begins with concurrent sessions for children 8-11 years and 12-14 years (who may, if they prefer, be accompanied by sighted siblings), Teen Rule for 15-18 years, and family sessions. Sessions vary in length from weekends to 9 or 10 days.

You will enjoy our maintained facilities, registered nurse on site, well trained staff, beautiful mix of nature, resort, and camping, busy and active program, emphasis on skill development and friendship. Located nearby in historic Geauga County. Highbrook may be your best value for summer camp, for kids, and family.



- Camp: **Lil' Lighthouse**
- Purpose: To promote language, socialization, play and motor skills
- Address: LLA Therapy, 150 North Miller Rd., Akron, OH 44333
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy
- Ages: 2-5 years
- Dates: June 6, 2016 through August 8, 2016 Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
- Times: 8:30 am – 10:00 am

For the little lighthouse in your family! Aimed at promoting language, socialization, play and motor skills, this camp was developed by a multidisciplinary team of professionals including speech, occupational, and behavioral (ABA) therapists. Specialized centers will focus on sensory, cognition, fine and gross motor and pre-speech/oral motor skills. Children will participate in circle time, educational play, crafts, and snack each day under the supervision of ST and OT staff members.



- Camp: **LLA Adventurers**
- Purpose: Social Camp
- Address: LLA Therapy, 150 North Miller Rd., Akron, OH 44333
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy
- Ages: 8-12 years
- Dates: June 6, 2016 through August 8, 2016 Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday
- Times: 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm

Social camp for your school age kiddo! Adventurers will focus on 5 main areas: social skills, communication, problem solving, self-control and positive self-concept. Campers will learn and practice the skills necessary to develop and maintain friendships with their peers in a supported environment. Speech and occupational therapists will incorporate activities geared for each camper's specific needs.



- Camp: **LLA Explorers**
- Purpose: To focus on building communication and social skills
- Address: LLA Therapy, 150 North Miller Rd., Akron, OH 44333
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy
- Ages: 5-9 years
- Dates: June 6, 2016 through August 8, 2016 Tuesday, Wednesday, & Thursday
- Times: 10:30 am – 12:30 pm

This camp will focus on building communication and social skills while addressing sensory processing and motor planning through play. Children will develop an understanding of appropriate social behaviors through fun activities and learning opportunities, including our daily lunch bunch. Led by speech and occupational therapy staff.



- Activity: **North Coast Tutoring Services: “The Education Problem Solvers”**
- Disability: Autism, Cognitive Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impaired, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury
- Contact: Carole Richards, Executive Director/Nikki Locker, Director of Student Services
- Address: 31300 Solon Rd., Suite 1, Solon, OH 44139
- Phone: 440 914-0200
- Website: www.northcoasted.com
- E-mail: info@northcoasted.com
- Fees: \$50.00/hr. one-on-one
- Ages: 5-22 years – also adults
- Dates: Year round, available seven days a week, conveniently scheduled with client and tutor throughout NE Ohio.

Our specialty is helping children in all grades when they get stuck in a subject or course. We have skilled tutors for all subjects and all grades.

We also specialize in basic skills – reading and math. And we are known for working with children with learning differences: learning disabilities, dyslexia, ADHD, cognitive delay, Autism, Asperger’s Syndrome, PDD and other struggling learners.

When students fall behind, schools and parents sometimes find themselves in bitter meetings point fingers and blaming one another. Often we can help resolve these “sticky” situations with our neutral understanding of both sides of the issues. Our goal is to turn these challenges into academic successes.

Why bring North Coast Tutoring into the picture? Because we can provide answers, solutions, and tutors. We provide customized learning plans for each student.

All tutoring is done in your home or a nearby public location. We serve seven northeast Ohio counties. We are an Autism and Jon Peterson Scholarship Provider. And, we have many private pay clients.

- Camp: **OYO Camp for Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing**
- Disability: Deaf and Hard-of-Hearing
- Contact: Michael Repas – Advocate for Kids
- Phone: 614 224-3667 Video Phone: 614-569-0204
- Location: 1500 W. 3rd Ave., Suite 223, Columbus, OH 43212
- Fees: OYO Camp (ages 10 – High School) \$125 on or before June 1, 2016
\$150 June 2 – July 15, 2016
OYO Junior (ages 7-9) \$60 on or before June 1, 2016
\$75 June 2 – July 15, 2016
- Ages: 7 – High School Age
- Dates: OYO Camp (age 10-High School) July 31, 2016 - August 6, 2016
OYO Junior (ages 7-9) August 3, 2016 – August 6, 2016

Camperships are available! OYO Camp is open to all deaf/hard-of-hearing campers in Ohio, regardless of mode of communication. OYO Camp provides a communication barrier-free, overnight camp experience that empowers each camper. Located at Nuhop Center for Experimental Learning in Mohican Forest, near Mansfield.

- Activity: **Richland Carrousel – Fun Activity**
- Ages: All
- Contact: Willie Hunn, Sharon Bishop, or staff
- Address: 75 North Main Street, Mansfield, OH 44902
- Phone: 419 522-4223
- Fax: 419 522-4227
- Website: www.RichlandCarrousel.com
- Dates: Open Year Round – Seven days a week.
- Fees: Admittance is free. Ride tickets start at \$1.00
- Accessibility: Yes

This is the first hand-carved carrousel to be built and operated in the U.S. since the 1930's. Our figures are carved in the style of G.A. Dentzel, revered carver of the early 1900's. Open seven days a week. See our gift shop for Ohio and U.S. made products. Ladies Boutique, water globes, carrousels, children's toys starting at 50 cents.

Call our friendly staff for information on birthday parties, weddings, receptions, class and family reunions, home school programs, mother's get-togethers, pot luck luncheons, and celebration of life. Our parties and private rentals are the most economical in the area. Contact us for information on School Group Programs and Scout Patch Program. We do these programs for any group.

- Camp: **Rockin' Readers (Wilson Reading Intervention)**
- Purpose: Reading Intervention
- Ages: 5-22 years
- Contact: Holly Reimann, MA, CCC-SLP, Speech Therapist/Peak Potential Therapy
- Phone: 330 405-8776
- Website: www.PeakPotentialTherapy.com
- Address: Peak Potential Therapy, 8848 Commons Blvd., Ste. 101, Twinsburg, OH 44087
- Dates: June-August 2016
- Fees: Starting at \$62/session at the Therapy Center or \$75/session in-home (for private reading instruction).

Does your child need extra help with his or her reading skills? Here is a great opportunity! Private sessions are available for individual attention to meet your child's unique needs. Improve key reading skills, such as vocabulary, phonics/decoding, fluency, and comprehension! Sessions are led by an Intervention Specialist with the reading endorsement, who is licensed to teach reading to special needs students, as well as students from the general education classroom. The fun and motivating activities are incorporated throughout the session; kids have fun while improving their reading skills. Discover how Miss Ashley can help your child. Don't delay – register today!

- Camp: **S'Camp at Old Trail School**
- Purpose: Various Programs
- Address: LLA Therapy, 150 North Miller Rd., Akron, OH 44333
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: Go to www.oldtrail.org to register
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy

Led by LLA Therapy Speech-Language Therapy Staff:

<u>Fairytale Fantasies</u>	June 6-10, 2016	(ages 4-7)
<u>Magic Tree House Club</u>	June 13-17, 2016	(ages 6-9)
<u>Monkey Around with Curious George</u>	June 20-24, 2016	(ages 4-7)
<u>Seuss Series</u>	June 27-July 1, 2016	(ages 3-6)
<u>Storytellers Summit</u>	July 5-8, 2016	(ages 7-10)
<u>Magic School Bus Adventures</u>	July 11-15, 2016	(ages 6-9)
<u>Phun with Phonics</u>	July 18-22, 2016	(ages 4-7)

Led by LLA Therapy Occupational Therapy staff:

<u>Wiggly Writers</u>	June 27-July 1, 2016	(ages 5/entering K -8)
<u>Fine Motor Readiness</u>	June 27-July 1, 2016	(ages 3-5)
<u>The Lost Art of Cursive Handwriting</u>	July 11-15, 2016	(ages 8-11)

- Camp: **School Readiness Camp**
- Purpose: Practice School Skills
- Address: LLA Therapy, 33 Milford Drive, Hudson, OH 44236
LLA Therapy, 750 E. Washington, Suite C3, Medina, OH 44256
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy
- Ages: 5 – 7 years
- Dates: June 6, 2016 through August 15, 2016 - Hudson Location – Mondays
9 am – 11:30 am
June 8, 2016 through August 10, 2016 – Medina location – Wednesdays
10 am – 12:30 pm

This camp provides children the opportunity to use and practice school skills all summer long in the areas of socialization, language, reading, writing, motor skills, and creative arts & music. Led by speech-language and occupational therapy staff, specific skills such as identifying letters, blending sounds, rhyming words, handwriting, tying shoes, problem solving, playing, sharing, exploring music and many other areas will be addressed. This is a great way to get your child ready for the upcoming school year!



- Camp: **S.M.I.L.E. Summer Camp (9th Year; Special Memories Include Laughter and Enrichment Day Camp)**
- Disability: Autism, Emotional Disturbance, Intellectual Disability, Multiple Disabilities, Other Health Impairments, Orthopedic Impairment, Specific Learning Disability, Speech or Language Impairment, Traumatic Brain Injury, and Developmental Delays.
- Ages: 4-8 years, 9-13 years, and 13-18 years (alternating weekly sessions)
- Contact: Holly Reimann, MA, CCC-SLP, Speech Therapist, Camp Director
- Phone: 330 405-8776
- Email: contact@PeakPotentialTherapy.com
- Website: www.SMILESummerCamp.com
- Address: Peak Potential Therapy, 8848 Commons Blvd., Ste. 101, Twinsburg, OH 44087
- Dates: June-August 2016 (Monday-Friday, 9:00 am – 3:00 pm)
- Fees: \$599/week early registration by March 15th with \$100 deposit then \$699/week.

Therapeutic, community-based, day camp developed for high-functioning children with various disabilities. Children with aggressive behaviors, non-verbal, or with multiple disabilities can attend with support of an individual aide. We want to provide a fun and interactive way to further develop their social skills and have a better summer. Kids are encouraged to use their skills in different settings with small group instruction. Plus they get to interact with typical peers naturally in a fun environment. A different field trip every day! We begin our day at the therapy center then we transport the kids to the field trips, and come back to the center at the end of the day. This may include: Great Lakes Science Center, Cleveland Zoo, Fun-n-Stuff, Twinsburg Water Park, Waterworks, Jump Palace, horseback riding, Roseland Lanes, Zip City, and more. Camp is purposefully kept small so each child will get direct instruction from the speech therapist throughout the day plus have the opportunities to interact with peers. If you cannot attend a full week, then “Camp Suntastic” is good fit for you.

Space is limited to a max of 6 kids per week. Staff includes: a full-time speech-language therapist and camp assistant. Reserve your child's place with a \$100 deposit and complete our easy online registration form. Weekly camp tuition includes daily field trip costs, visual schedules, transition visual supports, social stories, daily data collection on IEP goals, daily communication log, and daily kid's journal. Optional services: progress report, bound social story book, and photo album. We can bill for camp to County Boards of DD, Autism Scholarship Program, Jon Peterson Scholarship, school districts, Anthem, Aetna, SummaCare, and more. Camp Fills – Don't Delay – Register Today!!! If a 3rd party is paying for camp, and funds are confirmed, then no deposit is required.

- Activity: **Spree for All (13th Annual) - Summit Metro Parks – Fun Activity**
- Disability: Hiking Series for people of all abilities
- Ages: All
- Phone: 330 867-5511
- Address: 975 Treaty Line Road, Akron, OH 44313
- Website: spreeforall.summitmetroparks.org
- Fees: Hikes and rewards are free for all Summit County residents. Out of county residents pay to receive rewards - \$10 for first year hikers, \$5 for veteran hikers.
Accessible - yes
- Dates: May 1, 2016 – June 30, 2016

Hikers on foot and those with strollers, wheelchairs, walkers, and canes enjoy flat, easy trails during this award-winning hiking series. To receive rewards, complete five hikes on five different trails, the same trail, or any combination of trails—and submit a completed hiking form. Starting point at each trailhead is at the information kiosk, which has a legend with the following symbols:

Blue Circle = ¼ mile round trip

Yellow Square = ½ mile round trip

Green Triangle = 1 mile round trip

Rewards/Forms may be obtained at: F.A. Seiberling Nature Realm, 1828 Smith Rd., Akron from noon until 5 pm Tuesday - Sunday, The Administration Offices, 975 Treaty Line Rd., Akron from 8am – 4:30 pm Monday – Friday.



- Activity: **Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens – Fun Activity**
- Ages: All
- Contact: info@stanhywet.org
- Address: 714 N. Portage Path Akron, OH 44303
- Phone: 330 836-5532 local
888-836-5532 toll free
- Website: www.stanhywet.org
- Fees: check website for pricing and details
- Accessibility: Yes

Each year guests visit historic Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens to enjoy the beautiful landscaped gardens and grounds. Many activities appeal to children of all ages and all abilities, including our very popular Play garden (open April-October) and our Butterfly Habitat (open late June-early September) both part of a gardens and grounds admission. Family-friendly special events include the Easter Egg Hunt (0-9years), Father's Day Car Show, Vintage Baseball and our holiday event, Deck the Hall, featuring the Dazzle light show and Gingerbread Land. Visit www.stanhywet.org for pricing and details.



- Camp: **Stars and Stripes** – Day Camp
- Purpose: Increase Communication & Social Skills
- Address: LLA Therapy
150 N. Miller Road
Akron, OH 44333
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: \$300/week. Buy 5 weeks and get the 6th week FREE (\$1500 max)
- Ages: Pre-K through High School
- Dates: Medina Location – weeks of: 6/14, 6/21, 7/5, 7/12, 7/26, 8/2/16
Copley Location – weeks of: 6/21, 6/28, 7/12, 7/19, 8/2, 8/9/16
Times: 9:00 am – 12:00 pm Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday

This 6-week long camp extends throughout the summer for students to have a place to participate in structured activities in a fun and educational camp-like atmosphere. The main goals are to increase overall communication and social skills. The camp has a 2:1 staff to student ratio which is led by certified educators, speech language pathologists, occupational therapists, physical therapists and students in training. Each week there is a different theme so campers can participate in any or all 6 weeks of camp. The structure of the camp provides consistent expectations each week.

- Camp: **Stepping Stones for Success (Career Exploration) - Day**
- Disability: Vision Impairment
- Contact: Sylvia Snyder
- Address: Cleveland Sight Center
1909 E. 101st St.
Cleveland, OH 44106
- Phone: 216 658-8777
- Website: www.clevelandsightcenter.org
- E-mail: ssnyder@clevelandsightcenter.org
- Fees: \$1,150
- Ages: 14 – 16 years
- Dates: July 18 – August 5, 2016

Stepping Stones for Success (SSS) is a 3 week commuter Career exploration program designed for the 14 to 16 year olds. Program aspects include: a career interest survey, determination of strengths and needs, job shadowing, tours of businesses, discussions and presentations from employers while learning work related “soft skills.” Disclosure of disability to a potential employer, time and money management, problem solving on the job and workplace ethics and behavior are also covered. May serve as an ESY option. This is a “career exploration” option through BSVI (OOD).



- Activity: **Summit Metro Parks – Fun Activity**
- Ages: All
- Phone: 330 865-8065 ext. 207
- Address: 975 Treaty Line Road, Akron, OH 44313
- Fees: vary by activity
- Website: www.summitmetroparks.org

Summit Metro Parks offers a large array of activities to enjoy year round including: Spree for All, Metro Parks Running Spree, Summer Biking Spree, Fall Hiking Spree, fishing, camping, and boating. Swimming is available at Munroe Falls and Silver Creek Metro Parks. Different nature programs are offered monthly for children and adults. Check their website for program offerings.



- Camp: **The Lost Art of Cursive Handwriting**
- Purpose: Improve Writing Skills
- Address: LLA Therapy, 33 Milford Drive, Hudson, OH 44236
LLA Therapy, 750 E. Washington, Suite C3, Medina, OH 44256
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy
- Ages: 8 – 11 years
- Dates: June 10, 2016 through August 12, 2016 - Hudson location on Fridays
June 8, 2016 through August 10, 2016 – Medina location on Wednesdays
- Times: Check with LLA therapy

For Campers who are beginning or refining their cursive handwriting skills. Fun and creative multi-sensory and fine motor activities will be used along with the program "Handwriting Without Tears." Campers will focus on forming cursive upper and lower case letters as well as connecting them to form words and sentences. Additionally, posture and core strengthening will be addressed. Led by occupational therapy staff.



- Camp: **Triple Threat Summer Camp**
- Contact: Beyond Words Center
- Address: Beyond Words
6048 Royalton Road
North Royalton, OH

- Website: www.beyondwordscenter.org
- Fees: registration and early-bird discounts available on-line
- Ages: 6-13 years
- Dates: July 11-29, 2016 (Monday-Thursday)
- Time: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm

Campers (6-13) rock the fundamentals of musical theater through singing, dancing, and acting while focusing on stage direction, character development, improvisation, vocal technique, choreography and PERFORMING! Campers increase their physical control, self-expression and self-esteem, ending with a final performance on the last day of camp!



- Camp: **Wiggly Writers**
- Purpose: Improve Writing Skills
- Address: LLA Therapy, 33 Milford Drive, Hudson, OH 44236
LLA Therapy, 750 E. Washington, Suite C3, Medina, OH 44256
- Phone: 330 867-2240
- Website: www.LLATherapy.org
- Fees: check with LLA Therapy
- Ages: 5 years entering K-8
- Dates: June 10, 2016 through August 12, 2016 - Hudson location Fridays
June 6, 2016 through August 15, 2016 – Medina location on Mondays
- Times: Check with LLA therapy

For Campers who need to improve printing skills. Fun and creative multi-sensory and motor activities that include yoga and crafts will be used along with the program “Handwriting Without Tears.” Campers will address letter formation, spacing, and line placement while working on improved posture and core strength necessary for good printing. Led by occupational therapy staff.

