

CAMP SUNBEAM VOLUNTEER INFORMATION

I will contribute my talent. Please circle one or more: Music - magic - crafts - dance - sports - storytelling Other _____

I will contribute food _____ I will contribute time in the kitchen _____ day(s) of the week _____

First Session _____ Second Session _____ (please check one or both) E-mail Address _____

I enclose a scholarship for \$750 (actual cost) _____ \$500 (billed fee) _____ a contribution \$ _____

Name _____ Address: _____

City, State, Zip _____ Home phone # _____ Cell phone # _____

Business phone # _____ Camper's name if applicable _____

We urge parents, if at all possible, to volunteer.
Camp Sunbeam's volunteer coordinator will call you upon receipt of this form.
For information, call Christ Church Greenwich, 203.869.6600.



The Parish of Christ Church
254 East Putnam Avenue
Greenwich, CT 06830-4871

CAMP SUNBEAM

A Day Camp for Children 5 to 8 Years Old

OUR 43RD SUMMER!



- Swimming Lessons
- Island Beach
- Music
- Games & Sports
- Arts & Crafts
- Picnics
- Dance
- Friends

2010 Season
Session One: June 28 - July 16
Session Two: July 19 - August 6

CAMP SUNBEAM CELEBRATES 43 YEARS

Since 1968, Camp Sunbeam has been a unique place where children of many races, religions and economic backgrounds come together to play and participate in a wide range of activities. The camp provides children with an exciting, fun-filled summer experience. An interdenominational committee oversees the daily operation of the camp and financial sponsorship is provided by members and friends of Christ Church Greenwich and Temple Shalom. The campus includes the facilities of Christ Church and Temple Shalom.

To enhance the relationships among our campers, Camp Sunbeam strongly encourages children to attend all four years at camp. As a result, the camp gives preference to returning campers. **They must reserve their places by March 15, 2010, otherwise registration will be on a first come, first served basis.**



A CARING STAFF

We are pleased to welcome back Donald Kyle as our Camp Director. Donald is currently a teacher/administrator at Rye Country Day School and a semi-professional musician. This will be his twentieth summer with Camp Sunbeam.

We expect to have a ratio of one counselor for every four children. Our other paid staff includes:

- Assistant Director/Sports Coach
- Art Director
- First Aider
- Certified lifeguards
- Twelve counselors who are students at area high schools and universities.

The program is enhanced by, and counts on, volunteer support from parents and friends (which keeps our fees low). Help can come in many forms: preparing or contributing food, reading a story, playing a game, singing a song, or assisting in other ways.

THE PROGRAM

Two, three-week sessions with about 55 children in each. Monday through Friday, 9 AM to 3 PM. Campers must be age 5 (**and entering kindergarten**) through age 8. Campers must provide their own transportation to and from Christ Church. The camp provides a freshly prepared lunch each day.

A DAY AT CAMP

The children arrive at 9 AM to meet their counselors, have a snack, and divide into age groups. Morning activities take place at the church and temple. These include: theatre/dance, arts and crafts, sports, story time, play time in the playground, and musical activities. After lunch at Christ Church Greenwich, the children are bused by a professional bus company (hired full time by the camp) to the Yerwood Center in Stamford, for pool time, both instructional and recreational. Swimming instruction and all pool time are supervised by the certified lifeguards of Cunningham Aquatics. Following swimming, the children return to the church for a snack before going home at 3 PM. In addition, field trips are planned for each Friday.

COSTS

While the actual cost per camper is \$750, Camp Sunbeam's fee is \$500 for each three-week session. A limited number of partial scholarships are available. The low fees are funded by community generosity through grants, scholarships and individual (tax exempt) gifts. We urge camp parents and others to join this group of sponsors. If you wish to be considered for financial aid, please check the appropriate line on the camp application.

Camp Sunbeam was the beneficiary in 2009 of grants from the Greenwich Rotary Club, The Lily Palmer Fry Memorial Trust and the George and Grace Long Foundation.

Camp Sunbeam Application Please complete and mail this form with a check or money order to: Camp Sunbeam, c/o Christ Church Greenwich, 254 E. Putnam Ave., Greenwich, CT 06830-4871. Returning campers reserve by March 15 for preference. A separate application is needed for each child. This form may be duplicated. All applications must be in by May 10 at the latest with a non-refundable down-payment of \$200.

Child's Name _____ Birth Date _____ / _____ / _____ Applying for: First Session: _____ Second Session: _____
 M _____ F _____ Returning Camper _____ Name of School _____ Grade completed as of July 1, 2010 _____
 Name of Parent _____ Work phone # _____ E-mail Address: _____
 Parent's Address _____ Home phone # _____

Enclosed is fee \$ _____ Contribution \$ _____ Please consider me for financial assistance _____
 I understand that a medical certificate must be submitted by June 4 or my child will not be able to enter camp. I understand that while all responsible precautions will be taken for the safety of all campers and staff, neither Christ Church Greenwich, Temple Shalom, St. Frances AME Zion Church nor any of their staff is legally liable in case of accidents.

Signed _____