



## Joint Summer Recreation Program ~ 2018

The Joint Summer Recreation Program is a donation only, part-time summer camp provided by the Village of Newark Valley and Towns of Newark Valley, Berkshire and Richford. If your child has completed kindergarten then he/she is eligible to participate. The program offers fun, creativity, physical activities and some field trips. In accordance with NYS law, campers must be registered prior to attending camp. Pre-registration dates and times are also listed on the camp calendar on the back side of this information sheet.

**The Program will begin on Monday, June 25<sup>th</sup> @ 8:00 am.** Pick-up time is 11:30 am during Morning Rec. only days. Morning Sessions will include: games, contests, arts and crafts, outdoor play and sports-oriented games. Afternoon Sessions: will include 6 bussed trips to Greenwood for swim lessons and free swim time. Pick up time is at 2:15 @ the Newark Valley High School. We are pleased to announce that we have received funding for program expansion and will be picking up in Berkshire and Richford, via bus, on swim mornings and dropping of there as well on swim days.

**Field Trips:** Field trips are TBD (separate permission slips are required and individual student fee). There will be no morning sessions held on field trip days. Greenwood Trip eligibility (age specifics) will be based on numbers attending and camper to counselor ratios.

**Free Food Program:** June 25<sup>th</sup>-July 20<sup>th</sup>. Free Breakfast daily served at 8:00am. Free Lunch will be served daily at 11:00am. The Summer Food Program is open to any child in the community ages birth-18 years. Walk-ins are welcome.

**Registration:** Will be held at Rawley Park in Richford Thursday, June 21<sup>st</sup> 6-7 pm and also on Saturday, June 23<sup>rd</sup> 9:00-10:30am in Newark Valley in the Noble Room. You may also register campers on June 25<sup>th</sup>, 26<sup>th</sup> and 27<sup>th</sup> 8:00-8:30am. Mandatory registration requirements note that Parents **MUST** attend with campers until the registration process is completed. All campers in attendance require a completed Registration form, provided by the Summer Recreation Program, and an updated immunization and allergy form. The camp health director will also be available to complete the mandatory health check at all registration dates and times. If you would like to register a camper, but cannot attend the above listed dates and times, please contact the Director, Heidi Cardone @ 607-229-2462 to arrange a time to meet and register your camper. Thank you for your attention to this matter. If your child does not meet the camp age requirement you are welcome to attend with them, however they will not be under the responsibility of camp counselors. (you still must provide immunization records for under-age children)

**Donations:** Due to the Joint Summer Recreation Program being donation based to provide engaging and fun opportunities for children in Northern Tioga County, donations of \$30.00 per child, or \$70.00 for families with 3 or more children are not only appreciated, but also needed to ensure a strong summer program. We are also accepting sponsors to assist families with financial needs to ensure that their children have an enjoyable summer as well. If you prefer the contribution to be in the form of a check, please make it payable to: The Village of Newark Valley. Residents of Berkshire and Richford only attending swim days are asked to provide a donation of \$15.00 per child if possible. Full Registration procedure is required.

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**Change in camp location to Nathan T. Hall this year!!!!!!**

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**Camp calendar on reverse side of this information sheet.**