

Playground Summer 2016 - **Half Day Program**

Pricing -

- Half Day Camp - \$75 per 2 Week Session, per Child - from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm**
- **\$50 per One Week Registration, Half Day program only**
 - **\$15 per Day, Daily Registration, Half Day program only**

Back This Summer!!!

Early Drop-Off - \$40 per 2 Week Session, per Child - between 8:15 am - 8:30 am

Ages 6-12 -

Age verification of a birth certificate copy is required for children under 8

- Session 1 June 27, 2016 - July 8, 2016 (Not Monday July 4th)**
- Session 2 July 11, 2016 - July 22, 2016**
- Session 3 July 25, 2016 - Aug 5, 2016**
- Session 4 Aug 8, 2016 - Aug 19, 2016**

Drop-Off and Pick-Up -

Playground begins each day at 9:00 AM. **Drop-off is between 8:55 - 9:10 am.** Upon arrival, children should be walked into the gymnasium of the Harwich Community Center by their parents. Parents should accompany them when they check in with their counselors, as well. **Pick-up is between 11:45 am - 12:00 pm.** Children need to be picked up and signed out by their parents by 12:00 PM. On the first day of each session, your child's name and counselor assignment will be posted on the inner doorway of the gymnasium. **If children are leaving with someone other than their parents, parents must notify the Playground Director, as well as the counselor, to make sure they are aware of the situation. Written permission must also be provided to the Director.**

Early Drop-Off -

Early drop off is an option again this summer for our half day Playground.

Early drop-off is between 8:15 am - 8:45am for the additional charge of \$40 per session.

Daily Activities -

Children are generally divided into two age groups (6-8 years old and 9-12 years old), where they will participate in age appropriate activities. Upon arrival, children will participate in an organized activity from 9:15-10:30am. At 10:30am, both groups will come together for snack time from 10:30-10:45am. We ask that all children bring a snack with them each day. We ask that children bring a snack rather than money for the vending machine, as problems have arisen in the past. After snack, children will then break into groups for the second activity held from 10:45-11:45am. Children also have the option of participating in other activities such as arts and crafts, board games, and the games in the game room throughout the morning.

Special Activities-

Tie-Dye - On tie-dye days we ask that children bring in something white (cotton) that they would like to tie dye (T-shirt, socks, pillowcase, etc...) if they wish to participate. Also, please have your children wear darker clothing, or clothing that you do not mind getting stained.

Talent Shows - If your children are interested in participating in our talent shows, they will be able to rehearse their act/talents prior to the show. Families are invited to attend. Please refer to the playground calendar for talent show dates and times.

Field Days - On field days, we ask that children wear sneakers and appropriate clothing, and bring extra water.

New and Noteworthy Beach Day change -

We will be enforcing Christian's Law which mandates swim testing for all children in groups that swim at fresh or salt water public beaches. We do not have the ability to individually swill test program participants and will not be offering beach days this year.

Medical Concerns-

If your child has any medical concerns, we ask that you please notify and provide us with all necessary information in writing on your child's registration form. Also, please notify the Playground Director so we can properly address any needs, as well as inform the rest of the staff. All staff members are First Aid and CPR certified. A refrigerator on site will be available for required emergency medications only.

Behavior-

We ask that all children respect each other, patrons, staff, the facilities and its rules in addition to the equipment. If you have any additional concerns please feel free to address the Playground Director or call the Recreation Office at 508-430-7553. We look forward to having a safe, fun and successful summer!

Harwich Recreation Department
508-430-7553.