

# CASTLEGAR 2026 SUMMER CAMPS

Registration Start Date: Monday, April 13 7:00am



## Camp Details

### HOURS OF OPERATION:

**8:30 am – 3:30 pm Daily**

### Additional Support

Children who benefit from 1 to 1 support may be eligible to bring a family provided support worker during the 2026 summer camp season. Contact the Recreation Services Supervisor in your area for more information.

### Check – in: 8:30 am

Staff will start the check-in process at **8:30 am**. All campers must be accompanied into the centre and signed into camp daily by a parent/guardian. Later check-in times are accommodated.

### Pick – up: 3:30 pm

Parents/Guardians are responsible for picking up their child no later than **3:30pm**. Please confirm the pick-up location each day with staff during drop-off. Earlier pick-up times are accommodated.

**Confirm account details, including email address, when registering for important camp information!**

## Bring to Camp Checklist

- ✓ Weather appropriate shoes for walking and running
- ✓ Hat, sunscreen and long sleeve shirt
- ✓ Swimsuit and towel (*Swimming included in July Camps, Outdoor water activities included in August camps, Pool is closed in August*)
- ✓ Spare set of clothes
- ✓ Backpack with name visible on the outside
- ✓ Lunch and 2 – 3 snacks (*no nuts please*)
- ✓ 2 water bottles full of water

## Safety of your child is our top priority!

Not feeling well? – Please stay home and get better! Please refer to the Cancellation Policy which can be found on our webpage at [www.rdck.ca](http://www.rdck.ca)

## Withdrawal Guidelines

72 hours advanced notice is required before the start of the program to receive a full refund for single day or multi day camps.

## We are here for you!

We encourage you to call your local RDCK recreation department to ask questions about Summer Camps prior to registering to avoid disappointment. We are always striving to improve our programs so please feel free to share any of your comments or suggestions.

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Thank you for choosing the Castlegar Recreation Summer Camp program. Castlegar Recreation offers quality summer camps for children ages 6-12 (or completed kindergarten), providing a fun, safe place to play and meet new friends. These experiences nurture creativity, build self-esteem, improve social interaction and increase physical stamina. All of our summer camps share a similar daily routine where campers will enjoy arts and crafts, games, outdoor activities, pool time and opportunities to unleash their imagination each week.

**Pool will be  
closed  
in August**

\*Outdoor water activities and/or visits to local parks during August for all camps

\*Please still pack a swim suit and towel for all camps

## 6 - 8 YEAR OLD CAMPS

The 6-8 year old camp program is designed to offer a variety of activities to keep campers active, creative and engaged. The Summer Camp Staff create a positive environment which encourages participation in age appropriate activities, trying new things and building self-confidence in a safe and supervised setting. Each week, the campers will enjoy at least 1 activity/day based on the theme for the week, along with summer camp favourites and plenty of time in the pool. It is sure to be a memorable summer camp experience for everyone!

## 8 - 12 YEAR OLD CAMPS

The 8-12 year old camp program is designed to offer a variety of activities to keep campers focused on building confidence, enhancing social skills and staying active. The Summer Camp Staff create a positive environment which encourages participation in age appropriate activities, trying new things and just some good old fashioned fun with friends. Each week, the campers will enjoy at least 1 activity/day based on the theme for the week, along with summer camp favourites and plenty of time in the pool. It is sure to be a memorable summer camp experience for everyone!

## 9 - 12 YEAR OLD SPECIALIZED CAMPS

The 9-12 year old specialized camp program is designed to offer an opportunity for the older campers to experience a higher level of instruction from a local professional. Each Specialized Camp will include at least 2 hours each day of specific instruction in the designated activity, providing a high quality experience for the campers. Castlegar Recreation is excited to offer a wide variety of activities to choose from in 2026, and look forward to working with our talented community members. Additionally, campers will also get to enjoy their favourite summer camp activities with our amazing summer Camp Staff.

## AGES 6 - 8 CAMPS

<b>WEEK 1</b>	<b>JULY 2<sup>ND</sup> - 3<sup>RD</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>PIRATE PARTY</b>	<b>\$75/2 days</b>	<b>102690</b>
<b>WEEK 2</b>	<b>JULY 6<sup>TH</sup> - 9<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>CRAFTY CAMPERS</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102691</b>
<b>WEEK 3</b>	<b>JULY 13<sup>TH</sup> - 16<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>WORLD CUP WEEK</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102692</b>
<b>WEEK 4</b>	<b>JULY 20<sup>TH</sup> - 23<sup>RD</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>DINO DAYS</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102693</b>
<b>WEEK 5</b>	<b>JULY 27<sup>TH</sup> - 30<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>WACKY WATER DAYS</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102694</b>
<b>WEEK 6</b>	<b>AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup> - 6<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>FLIGHT FACTORY</b>	<b>\$115/3 days</b>	<b>102695</b>
<b>WEEK 7</b>	<b>AUGUST 10<sup>TH</sup> - 13<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>JUNIOR OLYMPICS</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102696</b>
<b>WEEK 8</b>	<b>AUGUST 17<sup>TH</sup> - 20<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>SILLY SCIENCE</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102697</b>
<b>WEEK 9</b>	<b>AUGUST 24<sup>TH</sup> - 27<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Child Care Centre</i>	<b>SUMMERTIME WIND-UP</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102698</b>

## AGES 8 - 12 CAMPS

<b>WEEK 1</b>	<b>JULY 2<sup>ND</sup> - 3<sup>RD</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Selkirk Room</i>	<b>SUMMERTIME SCIENCE</b>	<b>\$75/2 days</b>	<b>102699</b>
<b>WEEK 2</b>	<b>JULY 6<sup>TH</sup> - 9<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Selkirk Room</i>	<b>WATER WARRIORS</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102701</b>
<b>WEEK 3</b>	<b>JULY 13<sup>TH</sup> - 16<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Selkirk Room</i>	<b>WORLD CUP WEEK</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102702</b>
<b>WEEK 4</b>	<b>JULY 20<sup>TH</sup> - 23<sup>RD</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Purcell Room</i>	<b>CRAFTY CORNER</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102703</b>
<b>WEEK 5</b>	<b>JULY 27<sup>TH</sup> - 30<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Selkirk Room</i>	<b>DETECTIVE ACADEMY</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102704</b>
<b>WEEK 6</b>	<b>AUGUST 4<sup>TH</sup> - 6<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Selkirk Room</i>	<b>BUILDERS AND INVENTORS</b>	<b>\$115/3 days</b>	<b>102705</b>
<b>WEEK 7</b>	<b>AUGUST 10<sup>TH</sup> - 13<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Selkirk Room</i>	<b>FLIGHT FACTORY</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102706</b>
<b>WEEK 8</b>	<b>AUGUST 17<sup>TH</sup> - 20<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Selkirk Room</i>	<b>CAMP OLYMPICS</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102707</b>
<b>WEEK 9</b>	<b>AUGUST 24<sup>TH</sup> - 27<sup>TH</sup></b> <i>*CDRD – Purcell Room</i>	<b>SUMMERTIME WIND-UP</b>	<b>\$150/4 days</b>	<b>102708</b>

## AGES 9 - 12 \*SPECIALIZED\* CAMPS

WEEK 1	JULY 2 <sup>ND</sup> - JULY 3 <sup>RD</sup>	NO SPECIALIZED CAMP	
WEEK 2	JULY 6 <sup>TH</sup> - 9 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Purcell Room</i>	POTTERY CAMP <i>*Instructor - Lana Jamieson</i>	\$180/4 days 102716
WEEK 3	JULY 13 <sup>TH</sup> - 16 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Purcell Room</i>	DRAMA CAMP <i>*Instructor - Melanie Chartres</i>	\$180/4 days 102719
WEEK 4	JULY 20 <sup>TH</sup> - 23 <sup>RD</sup> <i>*CDRD - Selkirk Room</i>	ARCHERY CAMP	\$180/4 days 102720
WEEK 5	JULY 27 <sup>TH</sup> - 30 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Purcell Room</i>	STEM CAMP <i>*With Tadpole Technologies</i>	\$180/4 days 102721
WEEK 6	AUGUST 4 <sup>TH</sup> - 6 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Millennium Park</i>	CHEF CAMP <i>*Instructor - Kim Clark</i>	\$145/3 days 102722
WEEK 7	AUGUST 10 <sup>TH</sup> - 13 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Purcell Room</i>	ART CAMP <i>*Instructor - Rachel Simoni</i>	\$180/3 days 102723
WEEK 8	AUGUST 17 <sup>TH</sup> - 20 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Purcell Room</i>	POTTERY CAMP <i>*Instructor - Lana Jamieson</i>	\$180/4 days 102724
WEEK 9	AUGUST 24 <sup>TH</sup> - 27 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Selkirk Room</i>	ARCHERY CAMP	\$180/4 days 102725

## FRIDAY CAMPS

Friday camps are designed for ultimate fun in a flexible, single day format. Campers will get to enjoy the best activities from the week and also the opportunity to enjoy different parks throughout the community. Castlegar Friday camps are bringing back the joys of TGIF!

*\*Field Trips to local parks are all weather and activity dependent. Transportation will occur by bus. Field Trip locations are Millennium Park, Kinnaird Park or Kinsmen Park. Please wear appropriate attire and remember sunscreen and a water bottle.*

### AGES 6 - 12

WEEK 1	JULY 3 <sup>RD</sup>	NO FRIDAY CAMP
WEEK 2	JULY 10 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102726
WEEK 3	JULY 17 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102727
WEEK 4	JULY 24 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102728
WEEK 5	JULY 31 <sup>ST</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102729
WEEK 6	AUGUST 7 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102730
WEEK 7	AUGUST 14 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102731
WEEK 8	AUGUST 21 <sup>ST</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102732
WEEK 9	AUGUST 28 <sup>TH</sup> <i>*CDRD - Child Care Centre</i>	\$40/1 day 102733