

NELSON 2026 SUMMER CAMPS

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



Camp Details

HOURS OF OPERATION:

8:30 am – 4:30 pm

Monday - Friday

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 Assistant Recreation Services Supervisor in your area for more information.

Check – in: 8:30 am – 9:00 am

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

Pick – up: 4:00 - 4:30 pm

Parents/Guardians are responsible for picking up their child no later than **4:30pm**. Please confirm the pick-up location each day with staff during drop-off.

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 most camps, weather and facility dependent*)
- 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

Withdrawal Guidelines

72 hour 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 Nelson Recreation Summer Camp program. Nelson Recreation offers quality summer camps for children ages 5-12, 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 or lake time and opportunities to unleash their imagination each week.

5 - 7 YEAR OLD CAMPS

The 5 - 7 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. It is sure to be a memorable summer camp experience for everyone!

8 - 10 YEAR OLD CAMPS

The 8 - 10 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, as well as be given the opportunity to try out some paddle equipment and spend plenty of time in the lake. It is sure to be a memorable summer camp experience for everyone!

7 - 9 YEAR OLD CAMPS

The 7 - 9 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. 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 Speciality Camp will include at least 2 hours each day of specific instruction in the designated activity, providing a high quality experience for the campers. Nelson 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 5 - 7 CAMPS

WEEK 1	JULY 2ND - 3RD <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	PIRATE PARTY	\$75/2 days	102738
WEEK 2	JULY 6TH - 9TH <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	WORLD CUP WEEK	\$150/4 days	102782
WEEK 3	JULY 13TH - 16TH <i>* Taghum Hall</i>	SPACE ODYSSEY	\$150/4 days	102956
WEEK 4	JULY 20TH - 23RD <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	DINO DAYS	\$150/4 days	102909
WEEK 5	JULY 27TH - 30TH <i>* Taghum Hall</i>	BUILDERS AND INVENTORS	\$150/4 days	102959
WEEK 6	AUGUST 4TH - 6TH <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	CRAFTY CRITTERS	\$115/3 days	102919
WEEK 7	AUGUST 10TH - 13TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	WACKY WATER DAYS	\$150/4 days	102940
WEEK 8	AUGUST 17TH - 20TH <i>* Taghum Hall</i>	SILLY SCIENCE	\$150/4 days	102960
WEEK 9	AUGUST 24TH - 27TH <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	JUNIOR OLYMPICS	\$150/4 days	102932

AGES 7 - 9 CAMPS

WEEK 1	JULY 2ND - 3RD <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	SILLY SCIENCE	\$75/2 days	102962
WEEK 2	JULY 6TH - 9TH <i>* North Shore Hall</i>	DETECTIVE ACADEMY	\$150/4 days	102992
WEEK 3	JULY 13TH - 16TH <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	WORLD CUP WEEK	\$150/4 days	102993
WEEK 4	JULY 20TH - 23RD <i>* Taghum Hall</i>	CRAFTY CORNER	\$150/4 days	102998
WEEK 5	JULY 27TH - 30TH <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	FLIGHT FACTORY	\$150/4 days	102994
WEEK 6	AUGUST 4TH - 6TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	WATER WARRIORS	\$115/3 days	102989
WEEK 7	AUGUST 10TH - 13TH <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	BUILDERS AND INVENTORS	\$150/4 days	102995
WEEK 8	AUGUST 17TH - 20TH <i>* Nelson Christian Community School</i>	CAMP OLYMPICS	\$150/4 days	102996
WEEK 9	AUGUST 24TH - 27TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	SUMMERTIME WIND-UP	\$150/4 days	102997



AGES 8 - 10 CAMPS

WEEK 1	JULY 2ND - 3RD <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	BEACH PARTY	\$75/2 days	103045
WEEK 2	JULY 6TH - 9TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	WATER WARRIORS	\$150/4 days	103046
WEEK 3	JULY 13TH - 16TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	WORLD CUP WEEK	\$150/4 days	103051
WEEK 4	JULY 20TH - 23RD <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	SUMMERTIME SCIENCE	\$150/4 days	103054
WEEK 5	JULY 27TH - 30TH <i>* North Shore Hall</i>	CREATIVE CAMPERS	\$150/4 days	103075
WEEK 6	AUGUST 4TH - 6TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	CAMP OLYMPICS	\$115/3 days	103061
WEEK 7	AUGUST 10TH - 13TH <i>* North Shore Hall</i>	DETECTIVE ACADEMY	\$150/4 days	103084
WEEK 8	AUGUST 17TH - 20TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	FLIGHT FACTORY	\$150/4 days	103063
WEEK 9	AUGUST 24TH - 27TH <i>* Lakeside Beach Building</i>	SUMMERTIME WIND-UP	\$150/4 days	103066

AGES 9 - 12 *SPECIALIZED* CAMPS

WEEK 1	JULY 2ND - 3RD	NO SPECIALIZED CAMP		
WEEK 2	JULY 6TH - 9TH <i>*NDCC - Upper Multi Purpose Room</i>	INTRO TO LEGO ROBOTICS <i>*Instructor - Eric Bibby</i>	\$180/4 days	103096
WEEK 3	JULY 13TH - 16TH <i>*NDCC - Upper Multi Purpose Room</i>	ACROBATICS CAMP <i>*Instructor - Discover Circus</i>	\$180/4 days	103102
WEEK 4	JULY 20TH - 23RD <i>*North Shore Hall</i>	POTTERY CAMP <i>*Instructor - Lana Jamieson</i>	\$180/4 days	103105
WEEK 5	JULY 27TH - 30TH <i>*NDCC - Upper Multi Purpose Room</i>	ART CAMP <i>*Instructor - Rachel Simoni</i>	\$180/4 days	103109
WEEK 6	AUGUST 4TH - 6TH <i>*Cube Climbing Gym</i>	CLIMBING CAMP <i>*With Cube Climbing Gym</i>	\$145/3 days	103119
WEEK 7	AUGUST 10TH - 13TH <i>*NDCC - Upper Multi Purpose Room</i>	LATIN DANCE CAMP <i>*Instructor - Fabiola Gascon</i>	\$180/4 days	103116
WEEK 8	AUGUST 17TH - 20TH <i>*North Shore Hall</i>	ARCHERY CAMP	\$180/4 days	103117
WEEK 9	AUGUST 24TH - 27TH <i>*North Shore Hall</i>	SCENIC THEATRE ART <i>*Instructor Michelle Janzen</i>	\$180/4 days	103118





FRIDAY CAMPS

Friday camps are designed for ultimate fun in a flexible, single day format. In certain instances the group will be divided into 2 groups to ensure maximum enjoyment with age appropriate activities. Campers will get to enjoy the best activities from the week and have the opportunity to splash around in the lake. Nelson Friday camps are bringing back the joys of TGIF!

AGES 5 - 10 FRIDAY CAMPS

WEEK 1	NO FRIDAY CAMP	
WEEK 2	JULY 10TH <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103120
WEEK 3	JULY 17TH <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103121
WEEK 4	JULY 24TH <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103122
WEEK 5	JULY 31ST <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103123
WEEK 6	AUGUST 7TH <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103124
WEEK 7	AUGUST 14TH <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103125
WEEK 8	AUGUST 21ST <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103126
WEEK 9	AUGUST 28TH <i>*Lakeside Beach Building</i>	\$40/1 day 103127