



4-H Summer Programming in Olmsted County

July 2020

Register at:
z.umn.edu/DayCampRegistration

“Camp In a Box”

Cost: \$25

Format: Day Camp In A Box will include supplies for activities you can do weekly at your own pace.

Deadline: These camps have a rolling deadline so you can join us anytime throughout the month of July.

July Cloverbud Camp in a box:

Recommended age: Grade K-2

Our **Cloverbud Camp in Box** was designed for youth grades k-2. This box will include the supplies for 1-3 activities per week for the month. Families can participate in an offline version with the provided printed lesson plans or visit our online campsite where Day Camp Counselors will post recorded videos explaining and walking you through the activities. This will also include an optional engagement opportunity to upload mini videos and pics of your camper doing the activities! **Our July theme is Outdoor Adventures and will include a variety of experiments, crafts, and activities!**

Children's Garden In Residence Program

Recommended age: Early elementary school
Cost: \$25

Our Children's Garden in Residence Program is traditionally offered alongside schools and community gardens, this summer we are bringing it to you! This partnership between Extension Master Gardeners, SNAP-ED and 4-H provide 7- weeks of learning surrounding gardening, science in the garden and food and nutrition.

Prior to the first week, campers will receive a box with supplies for the activities. When registering you will have an option to indicate whether you will be gardening in a plot in your yard or in pots. All campers will also receive access to a website. We will post our lessons and instructions via recorded videos that can be done at your own pace throughout the week. There are also options to engage online, post videos and pictures, and show our other participants your progress.

***This 7- week program launched July 22, but can be joined at any time and done at your own pace.**

STEAM In a Box

Recommended age: Grades 4-12

Interested in Science? Engineering? Art? Join us for our fun STEAM activities in a new format. Supplies will be provided for 1-3 weekly activities that can be done at your own pace. Families can log into our STEAM camp page to learn from our staff and counselors how to do the activities. Find an activity piques your child's interest? We will include a list of additional activities and resources to explore so the learning doesn't stop!

These activities could be done solo or as a family. Order multiple boxes if you want enough supplies for all participants to have their own

August Programming Information will be coming shortly

Want to make sure you hear about other summer programs. Enter your email here to be put on our summer programming email list: z.umn.edu/SummerOfferings

Camp Mini Sessions

Cost: \$10

Looking for some fun activities to do? Sign up for one (or all) of our camp mini-sessions! We will provide you with the supplies needed for the activity. You can join us live from 10-11am on the day of our mini session to participate or access the recorded instructions from our camp counselors at a later time.

These activities are open to any grade level. Participants 3rd grade and under will require the assistance of a parent older youth.

July 9 - Fun with Art!

Love arts and crafts. Looking for some new techniques or inspiration? Join us for our fun with art mini-camp session.

July 13 - Rockets!

Join us as we make stomp rockets! We will walk you through building the launching device and the base of the rockets. You can build during this time, or build and launch on your own. You can even record your best launch and share it with our group later!

July 16 - Exploring The Environment

We will learn about the environment around us well doing some hands-on activities!

July 23 - Crafts

Love arts and crafts. Looking for some new techniques or inspiration? Join us for our fun with art mini-camp session.

Grades 6-8 Camps:

Animal Science 101

Cost: \$25

In-person - July 14

Virtual - July 15

Whether you spend lots of time with your own animals, or you just like learning about them, this camp is for you! Campers will explore a variety of animal-related topics from vet science to farm animals and everything in between.

We are excited to offer this camp both with an in-person and a virtual option! For full details on these formats, please see the notes below.

Format- Virtual: Campers will receive a box of supplies needed for the day camp activities*. The day will run 8:30- 2:30 (with a lunch break). The schedule will include online portions led by counselors and with interaction with other campers. There will also be "offline time" to do/make/experiment with activities and supplies before bringing it back to the group. A full schedule will be included in the pre-camp email as well as in the day camp box.

*You will be notified of any supplies not included (such as coloring utensils or any perishable items). Note: these items will be very minimal.

Format - In-Person: This camp will take place in Rochester (exact location tbd). Due to current social distancing guidelines this camp will be open to a limited number of spots. This day camp will run 8:30-2:30, lunch will not be provided.

*Prior to camp, we will send you an email with pre-camp information including any safety protocols you/your child should be aware of. This is subject to changes in Department of Health guidelines. In the event, any changes occur you will be contacted and given the option to switch to the virtual format or request a refund.

