ST. CROIX BIG ISLAND ADVENTURE CAMP AT AZ ACADEMY

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Week 7 Adventures

July 30—Aug 3

Don't Forgat

All PERMISSION SLIPS & FEES for those Field trips which cost more are due MONDAY!

Bag Lunch or preordered lunch with us, snack & H2O in bottle needed on all Full Day Field Trips.



Calendar of Events

Mon

Today is the 1st Day of the 7th Week! All Permission Slips & Fees for those Field Trips that cost more are DUE TODAY!

Tue

6 yr olds: Beach Fun

Depart: 9:00 am Return: 2:30 pm

7-8 yr olds: Bowling

Cost: \$10

Cost: \$5

Depart: 8:45am Return: 11:30pm

11 yr olds: Open Taxi Beach Hopping Cost: \$25

Depart: 8:45am Return: 2:30pm

Wed \

12-13 yr olds: Open Taxi

Cost: \$25

Depart: 8:45 am **Return:** 2:30 pm

9-10 yr olds: Farm Pods

Cost: \$5

Depart: 8:45 am **Return:** 11:30 am

Thu

3-5 yr olds: Beach Fun

Cost: \$5

Depart: 8:45 am Return: 12:00 pm

9-10 yr olds: Open Taxi

Cost: \$25

Depart: 8:45 am Return: 2:30 pm

11-13 yr olds: Bowling **Cost**: \$10

Depart: 8:45am **Return:** 11:30pm

Fri

11-13 yr olds: Soul Kalloloo

Cost: \$0

Depart: 9:30 am Return: 11:45 am

SPELLING AND MATH BEE!



Monday, July 30th Today is the First Day of the 7th Week of the Thirteenth Year of the World Famous STX Big Island Adventure Camp & Country Club HEY! @ AZ

Theme: 2018 = RISE—Resilient, Inspiring, Soar & Envision

Tuesday, July 31st

6 yr olds: Beach Fun - We will travel to Tamarind Reef. There, campers will engage in hands on awareness activities that will make them more aware of trash, the impact it makes and the responsibility for each to keep our island clean. The afternoon will be filled with building an obstacle course and competing.

Needed: Bag Lunch, Closed Toe Shoes or Sneakers, Comfortable Clothing, Water Bottle, a Towel for Picnicking and a Swim Suit.

<u>7-8 yr olds:</u> Bowling—We will travel to our local bowling alley! There campers will enjoy several games of bowling with their camp friends and CIT's—<u>SOCKS ARE A MUST!!!</u> We will return back to camp for lunch and afternoon activities.

11 yr olds: Open Taxi Beach Hopping—We will travel in an open air taxi to explore several beaches on our beautiful island! Supplies needed: lunch, sunscreen, towel, swim suit, and water bottle.

Wednesday, August 1st

12-13 yr olds: Open Taxi Beach Hopping—see Tuesday's description

9-10 yr olds: Farm Pods—This is the farming technique of the future! Farm pods are vertical, hydroponic growing containers that produce a high volume of yield, using very little space, and driven by technology that runs it all. We are excited to share this agricultural advancement with our campers!

Thursday, August 2nd

3-5 yr olds: Beach Fun- see Tuesday's description

9-10 yr olds: Open Taxi Beach Hopping—see Tuesday's description

11-13 yr olds: Bowling—see Tuesday's description

Friday, August 3rd

8:30 am: Opening Celebration-Crowning Week 7 Campers of the Week. Please get to camp on time!!

11-13 yr olds: Soul Kallaloo Cruzan Style - We are on a mission to impact STX/ the world by awakening all to what's really important. We will travel to the Banco Popular area engaging shoppers to participate in a variety of impromptu activities designed to touch their soul! Hopefully you will be one of the lucky ones who randomly come upon us and experience one of these awesome activities. Guaranteed to WOW all and bring a smile to your face.

1:55 pm: Spelling and Math Bee—time to get geared up for school!

CAMPER OF THE WEEK



CIT's Lillyrose Gordon Monique Mendez Gloria Leo

3-5 yr olds - Lauren Dunn 6 yr olds - Aliyana Mason 7 yr olds - J'Noah Battiste 8 yr olds - Jayden Morales 9 yr olds - Lila Berkeley 10 yr olds—Talyzandra Garcia 11 yr olds—Emma Bevocqua 12/13 yr olds - J'Neolise Green



Staff Patricia Bradshaw Denyell Kainth

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS



PM PICK UP: If an older camper has a sibling or car rider camper in a younger age group then he/she is expected to be picked up with this group. All groups will be picked up as you enter AZ's property new 1st stairwell. PLEASE STAY IN YOUR CAR!

CONCESSION: The concession stand is open from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm. Items vary in cost from \$. 25 to \$3.00 Computerized Concession Accounts: Mandatory for all 4 yr olds thru 10 yr olds. It is the easiest way to keep track and not lose money.

LUNCH: The Federal Lunch Program is in full swing

Campers must bring a Bag LUNCH or a Pre-Ordered Lunch with us and water on all field trips. Cost: Pre ordered Lunch \$25/Week or \$8/Day

The Field Trip Lunches - Campers must bring a BAG LUNCH for day long field trips! If they don't bring a lunch on field trips one will be provided and your account will be charged. (\$8 per daily lunch)

IMMUNIZATION RECORDS: Per the DHS, all campers must have on file a current immunization record in order to attend camp. Campers will not be allowed to start the first day of camp without these on file!! LIABILITY WAIVERS are completed through the registration process!

THANK YOU for choosing to attend the STX BIAC @ AZ Academy. We are truly honored that you have chosen to spend part of your summer with us. We look forward to a summer filled with fun, sun, excitement and adventure! We are here to serve our campers and their parents. Please feel free to call us should you have any questions, comments or requests.

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WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING ON MY FIELD TRIP?

- * Hat
- * Sunscreen
- * Bug Spray
- * Closed Toe Shoes (if hikina)
- * Bag Lunch
- * Snack
- * Swimsuit * Towel
- **★ Water Bottle** ★ Backpack

NUTS AND BOLTS OF CAMP

CAMP T-SHIRTS: For safety reasons and easy identification, campers, CIT's & Staff members are expected to wear his/her camp T-shirt every day.

SHOES: Campers are asked to wear sneakers (not sandals/slippers) due to outdoor games and activities. Please remember this is camp. Please do not dress your camper in his/her best sneakers or shorts. They may get lost, torn or stained.

Please, Please! NO Cell Phones, Jewelry, Electronics, Games or Toys!!!! Campers are allowed to use camp phones, just ask. We are not responsible for any lost, stolen or misplaced items.

EVERY DAY each camper should have a tote bag for a swimming suit (No cut offs), towel, water bottle, sunscreen and a hat.

PLEASE CLEARLY MARK ALL ITEMS WITH YOUR CAMPER'S NAME!

CAMP AFTERCARE: Location: After closing ceremonies and traffic from car riders has cleared, aftercare campers will be escorted from the mahogany stage/car riders to the AZ upper campus. Aftercare Campers: Aftercare closes at 5:30 p.m. sharp! Please be on time! A \$20.00 late fee will be charged per camper each time a camper is picked up late. Please call if you are running late. (340-244-7035). Aftercare Pick Up: All aftercare campers must be signed out by the person picking up your camper. If it is not a parent or guardian picking up your camper, please call the office to let us know!

MAGIC ENVELOPE: It is EASY & Efficient!! Mark with your camper name, purpose, and give it to our before care camp staff or your camper's group leader. There is a procedure in place for all staff members to accept money, notes, etc! All necessary newsletters, forms, and permission slips can be found and downloaded from www.azvi.org.

LOST & FOUND: We have piles of lost items! Please, please, please stop by to claim these items. We will periodically bring them to the animal shelter flea market.

DROPPING OFF LUNCHES FOR CAMPERS &/or CIT'S: Please either pack a lunch or use the federal lunch program. Dropping off lunches usually disrupt the flow of our activities because of timing issues.

REMINDERS

- Field Trip Payment Option: Pay for all field trips in advance ONLINE
- Before Care Campers: 7:00am— 8:20am
- Arrival Time for Regular Campers: 8:20am
- Communication: Please make us aware of any changes in your phone numbers, addresses & E-mail addresses.
- Before & Aftercare Payments: Due on the first Monday prior of the week you need our
- Payments: Due on the first Monday of each week. Thanks for being prompt!
- **Camper Not Attending:** Please call the camp office if your camper is not attending camp for that day. You will be charged for all weeks you have registered for, whether your camper attends or not.