

ST. CROIX BIG ISLAND ADVENTURE CAMP AT AZ ACADEMY

August 2017 Volume 12 Issue 9

AZ Academy 340.718.7909 Camp Cell 340.244.7035 email: camp@azvi.org



The Weekly
What's
up?

Week 8

Don't
Forget

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

Bag Lunch or pre-
ordered 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 8th Week!
All Permission Slips & Fees for those Field
Trips that cost more are DUE TODAY!
Theme: SPIRIT WEEK

Tue

CRAZY HAIR DAY!!!!
3-5 yr olds: Picnic & Hotel on the Cay Cost: \$0
Depart: 11:00 am Return: 2:30 pm
6 yr olds: Art w/ Barb Cost: \$20
Depart: On Campus Return: On Campus
9/10 yr olds: Fort Fun w/ Croquet Cost: \$25
Depart: 9:00 am Return: 2:30 pm
11/12/13 yr olds: Jeep Tours Cost: \$75
Depart: 9:00 am Return: 4:00 pm
CIT's: Leadership Training
Start: 3:30 pm End: 5:00 pm

Wed

SUPER HERO DAY!!!!
6 yr olds: Picnic & Hotel on the Cay Cost: \$0
Depart: 11:00 am Return: 2:30 am
7/8 yr olds: Bowling Cost: \$0
Depart: 9:00 am Return: 11:30 pm
9 & 10 yr olds: Open Taxi Cost: \$25
Depart: 9:00 am Return: 4:00 pm
12/13 yr olds: Ocean Explorers Cost: \$0
Depart: 9:00 am Return: 2:30 pm

Thur

TWIN DAY!!!!
3-13 yr olds: Whole Camp Movie Cost: \$8.50
Depart: 12:00 Return: 2:30
11/12/13 yr olds: Fort Fun w/ Croquet Cost: \$25
Depart: 9:00 am Return: 2:30 pm
CIT's: Open Taxi Cost: \$25
Depart: 9:00 am Return: 3:00 pm

Fri

3-5 yr olds: Art w/ Barb Cost: \$20
Depart: On Campus Return: On Campus

Wind Down Wet and Wild Day w/ Patsy the
Clown and Bouncy Houses!!
Special Appearance by the Fire Dept.



DETAILS OF FIELD TRIPS AND SPECIAL EVENTS FOR THE WEEK

Monday, July 31st Today is the First Day of the 8th Week of the TWELTH Year of the
World Famous STX Big Island Adventure Camp & Country Club HEY! @ AZ

EIGHTH WEEK for ALL CAMPERS

Theme: 2017 = L.O.V.E. - Leadership, Opportunity, Victory, Energy

SPIRIT WEEK!!!!

Tuesday, August 1st

3-5 yr olds - Picnic & Hotel on the Cay - We will travel to Christiansted fort where will picnic before heading
over to Hotel on the Cay for an afternoon swim and beach activities. **Needed:** Lunch, Water and a Snack.

6 yr olds - Art w/ Barb - Our 6 year old campers will be doing the an on campus art activity with artist, Barbara
Gelardi.

9/10 yr olds - Fort Fun w/ Croquet - We will travel to the fort where our campers will be playing soccer style
croquet and quad capture the flag as well other activities. **Needed: Lunch and LOTS of Water**

11/12/13 - yr olds: Jeep Tours - A camp favorite. Campers will load up in Tan Tan jeeps and travel all over the
island. Great way to learn about the history of STX, experience it's beauty and have a blast! **Supplies Needed:**
Sneakers, beach attire, sunscreen, towel, water bottle and a bag lunch.

Wednesday, August 2nd

6 & 7 yr olds - Picnic & Hotel on the Cay - Please see Tuesday's description.

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

9/10 yr olds - Open Taxi - We will travel in the famous open taxi to various beaches all over the island plus a
few historic sites! Beach attire, lunch, water and a snack is a must. Another camp favorite. **LIMITED SPACE,**
register NOW!

12/13 yr olds - Ocean Explorers - We will travel to Cane Bay. There the Staff of Cane Bay Dive will present to
our campers in the morning. The afternoon will be filled a huge Tri-obstacle race, a beach swim, and a challeng-
ing tug of rope competition.

Thursday, August 3rd

3-13 yr olds - Whole Camp Movie - We will be shuttling kids to Caribbean Cinemas where our camper will get
to watch the "Emoji Movie" and have the theatre all to themselves.

11/12/13 yr olds - Fort Fun w/ Croquet - Please see Tuesday's description.

CIT's - Open Taxi - Our CIT's will travel in the famous open taxi to various beaches all over the island plus a few
historic sites!

Friday, August 4th

8:30 am: Opening Celebration: We will start off our morning with a grand celebration, crowning our campers/
CITs/Staff members of the week!!

3-5 yr olds - Art w/ Barb - Our Kool Kids will be doing the an on campus art activity with artist, Barbara Gelardi.

Wind Down Wet and Wild Day w/ Patsy the Clown and Bouncy Houses!!
Special Appearance by the Fire Dept.

CAMPER OF THE WEEK



CIT's

Alex Schmidt
Kyle Lewis
Damari Williams
Sirr Green

Week 7:

3/4 yr olds - K'nia Joseph
5 yr olds - Gianna Gaumont
6 yr olds - J'Noah Battiste
7 yr olds - Nattay Cherubin
8 yr olds - Tsumia Tutein
9 yr olds - Kira Moses
10 yr olds - J'Neolise Green
11 yr olds - Mikailah Rodgers
12/13 yr olds - Gloria Leo



Staff

Ms. Sarah
Ms. Kia
Ms. Drue
Ms. Inari

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 3 yr olds thru 10 yr olds. It is the easiest way to keep track and not lose money.

LUNCH: The Federal Lunch Program Began Week 4!!

Campers CAN still bring a Bag LUNCH if they please. There will be **NO** Pre-Ordered Lunch. For field trips, please bring a bag lunch and **WATER** on all field trips.

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.

Like Us on Facebook! Big Island Adventure Camp @ AZ or **Find Us @** www.azvi.org

WHAT DO I NEED TO BRING ON MY FIELD TRIP?

- | | | | |
|--------------------|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|
| ★ Hat | ★ Closed Toe Shoes (if hiking) | ★ Bag Lunch | ★ Swimsuit |
| ★ Sunscreen | | ★ Snack | ★ Towel |
| ★ Bug Spray | | ★ 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 - PLEASE BE ON TIME!
- **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 service.
- **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.