



# CAMP TUSCALOOSA

400 S. Chew Rd., Hammonton, NJ 08037  
(609) 567-3321 or (609) 561-1688  
Tax ID 22-322-1518

Dear Parents:

Enclosed you will find the necessary information and registration forms to register your child for Camp Tuscaloosa. Our 2024 three-week sessions will be:

**First Session** – June 17 – July 5  
**Second Session** – July 8 – July 26  
**Third Session** – July 29 – August 16

Camp hours are 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. Extended care is available from 7:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m.

To enroll your child, or children, please complete the enclosed forms. **Submit these five forms when submitting your application: Application for Enrollment, Tuition and Fees Policy (signed), Health History, Permission for Photos and Video (signed), and completed Credit and Debit Card form (if applicable).** Please return them to us with your **\$100 non-refundable application fee.** (The application fee is waived for additional siblings.) Children will be put into groups as their applications are received, on a first come, first served basis. **In order to be processed, applications must include the application fee.** Camp is tax deductible if you are eligible for a child care tax credit.

Our activities include swimming in 2 heated pools, swimming lessons, miniature golf, archery, soccer, paddle tennis, dance, T-ball and batting cage with a pitching machine, BB guns, cooking, arts and crafts, low organizational and team games. All instructors are certified teachers. Once a week we also hold a special theme day, such as Hawaiian Day and Ninja Day. Camp Tuscaloosa will follow the American Red Cross Learn to Swim Curriculum on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, and have American Red Cross swim instructors and lifeguards on site.

The minimum registration required is three consecutive weeks. After those three weeks, you may select one or more additional weeks, whether or not consecutive. You also have the option of choosing a 2, 3, 4, or 5 day per week program. Our groups are limited in size, and days will close out as they reach capacity.

## REGISTER BEFORE APRIL 30<sup>th</sup> 2024 TO ENSURE PREFERRED SCHEDULING

Daily rate	Price
For 2, 3 or 4 days per week, from 9am-3pm	\$75/day
For 5 days per week from 9am-3pm, when camper <b>attends at least 6 weeks</b>	\$73/day
Sibling discount	
For 5 days per week, from 9am-3pm, when the sibling <b>also attends at least 6 weeks</b>	\$72/day
Pre-signed extended care	\$5/hour

Please indicate any vacation weeks on your application. You will be billed only for weeks registered. You may make changes to your application until June 1<sup>st</sup>. After June 1<sup>st</sup> there will be a \$50 change fee for **EACH** dropped day. **Note: Supplemental health records such as immunizations can be forwarded after submitting the initial paperwork required for application.**

Children must bring a bag lunch. All lunches are refrigerated. We will give children a snack at the end of the day. We suggest water shoes for the youngest campers to protect sensitive feet in the pool.

The first session payment is due the week before camp starts, and as soon as you receive your child's group assignments. All remaining session payments will be due the Monday of the week before the second and third camp sessions start. Please make checks payable to Camp Tuscaloosa. Feel free to call us at 609-567-3321 or 609-561-1688 if you have questions or need more information. You can also contact Lisa at LisaSeitles@outlook.com.

**We are looking forward to a fun filled summer!!**



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## SWIMMING LESSONS

Camp Tuscaloosa is excited to inform you about the **swimming lessons** offered by trained American Red Cross instructors at our two pools!

Swimming lessons will be provided for children ages 3 to 14! New swimmers can grow confident in the water and learn how to swim, while more advanced swimmers can learn the mechanics of various strokes in preparation for becoming a lifeguard or joining a swim team!

Every swim class will include safety skills, swim instruction, and stroke mechanics. Children will be screened and tested to assess their swimming skills. Instruction will be geared to their skill level.

Our beginning swimmers will start by learning basic swim techniques, such as water safety, blowing bubbles, treading water, floating, and bobbing. Once these and other skills are mastered, they will progress to learning swimming strokes.

More advanced swimmers will be taught water safety, as well as various swimming strokes and stroke mechanics.

Instruction will include the following swimming strokes: the American crawl, elementary backstroke, backstroke, breaststroke, sidestroke, and the butterfly stroke. Diving will also be taught.

Children in group numbers 7 and below, who are not yet old enough to experience free time at camp, will automatically experience our swimming lessons if they are present on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Please keep in mind that Special and free choice days are sometimes held on a Monday, Wednesday, or Friday and therefore may occasionally interfere with swimming lessons for the older children, in groups 8 and above. While we are thrilled to offer swimming lessons to older children, they must decide of their own free will if they will join in the lessons! To encourage their participation, we do everything we can to make our swimming lessons fun and exciting to help them learn and grow as swimmers. Please remember, swimming lessons are offered at zero extra cost. They are a bonus of attending Camp Tuscaloosa!

**AMERICAN RED CROSS certified SWIM INSTRUCTORS and LIFEGUARDS** are on site! Camp Tuscaloosa will be following the American Red Cross Learn To Swim Curriculum.

The 2024 camp season is from June 17 to August 16.

Learn to swim at Camp Tuscaloosa while enjoying all the other activities we offer,  
all for the same price!



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## APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT

(There is a \$100, non-refundable application fee. The application fee is waived for additional siblings.)

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Sex: \_\_\_\_\_ Age: \_\_\_\_\_ Grade completed this June: \_\_\_\_\_

Allergies/Medical Condition(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' Names: \_\_\_\_\_ Place of Employment: \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City, State and Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Parents' E-Mail: \_\_\_\_\_

**Check the Session Weeks Requested – 3, 4, and 5 day programs are recommended.**

<b>First Session</b>	_____	June 17 – 21
	_____	June 24 – 28
	_____	July 1 – July 5*
Circle Days Requested		M T W Th F
<b>Second Session</b>	_____	July 8 – 12
	_____	July 15 – 19
	_____	July 22 – 26
Circle Days Requested		M T W Th F
<b>Third Session</b>	_____	July 29 – Aug 2
	_____	August 5 – 9
	_____	August 12 – 16
Circle Days Requested		M T W Th F

**Camp hours are from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.**

However, we are open from 7:00am to 5:30pm for those of you requiring extra hours. There is a \$5.00 per hour charge for overtime.

**Check if extended time is needed:**

\_\_\_\_\_A.M. \_\_\_\_\_P.M.

Please indicate arrival and departure time:

\_\_\_\_\_

\*Camp is closed on July 4<sup>th</sup>. A make-up day will be assigned.

Individuals authorized to pick up my child (include yourself):

- |          |          |
|----------|----------|
| 1. _____ | 2. _____ |
| 3. _____ | 4. _____ |

If there is a custody issue, please indicate and attach court order. Otherwise, we will assume both parents have a legal right to pick up their child.

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## **2024 TUITION AND FEES POLICY**

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1. There are 9 billable weeks, split into 3 Sessions, in the 2024 Camp year. The first session payment is due the week before camp starts as soon as group assignments are received. All remaining session payments will be due July 1 for the second session and due July 22 for the third session.
2. Session payments are calculated by taking the total Camp cost for your child and dividing that amount by the number of sessions they are attending. Example: If your child is attending 3 days a week for 8 weeks (is taking 1 vacation week), we would multiple the number of days (24) by \$75 per day. That total (\$1,800) is then divided by the 3 sessions attending = \$600 per session. Attending 1 session means making 1 payment, and attending 2 sessions means 2 equal payments.
3. A fee of \$5.00 will be charged for every 30 minutes to the nearest half hour if a child arrives before or departs after his or her scheduled time without being prearranged. Example: If a child should be picked up at 3:30 but is not picked up until 4:00 or after, \$5.00 will be charged up to 4:00; an additional \$5.00 until 4:30. Payment must be made at time of drop off or pickup.
4. Camp closes at 5:30 p.m. All children must be picked up by this time. A late fee of \$10.00 for each 15 minutes after 5:30 will be charged and must be paid at time of pickup.
5. As noted in the tuition policy, if any payment is not received by the payment deadline, the child will not be re-admitted to camp until the tuition is paid.
6. If a check is returned due to insufficient funds or with the designation "return to maker," you will be responsible for paying the service charge administered by our bank, \$25, as well as a \$25 administrative fee. These fees will also apply to a declined credit/debit card.
7. Overtime that has not been pre-arranged as part of the tuition payments, but is requested as needed, will be charged \$10.00 per hour. Overtime will be on an as-available-only basis and the fee will be added to camp tuition.
8. **No make-up days or refunds are given for missed days.**
9. There will be a \$25 late fee and your child's spot will no longer be reserved if payment is not received by the time you get your child's group assignment for the first session, by July 1 for the second session, and by July 22 for the third session.
10. There will be a \$50 change fee for **EACH** day dropped after June 1, 2024.

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## **2024 TUITION AND FEES POLICY**

I have read, and understand, the tuition and fees policy.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Parent/Guardian Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

\_\_\_\_\_  
Child's Name

Forms you need to return for a completed camp application.

\_\_\_\_\_ Application for Enrollment

\_\_\_\_\_ Tuition Policy (signed)

\_\_\_\_\_ Health History

\_\_\_\_\_ Permission for Taking Photos, Video, and Audio (signed)

\_\_\_\_\_ Credit and Debit form, if applicable

Please also keep a copy of pages 1, 2, and 4 of this application packet for your records (Camp description, Swimming Lessons, and 2024 Tuition and Fees Policy). They describe the Camp's schedule, activities, fees, and other useful information.

# CAMP TUSCALOOSA HEALTH HISTORY

Camper \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Which of the following conditions has your child experienced recently? Please check all that apply.

- |   |   |
|---|---|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Asthma               | <input type="checkbox"/> Fainting spells            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diabetes             | <input type="checkbox"/> High blood pressure        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Convulsions          | <input type="checkbox"/> Contact lenses             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Heart trouble        | <input type="checkbox"/> Ear problems               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Dizziness            | <input type="checkbox"/> Night sweats               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tires easily         | <input type="checkbox"/> Shortness of breath        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Hernia (rupture)     | <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent leg or joint pain |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Abdominal pain       | <input type="checkbox"/> Speech difficulty          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Persistent cough     | <input type="checkbox"/> Squinting                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent headaches   | <input type="checkbox"/> Crossed eyes               |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Twitching movements  | <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent sweats            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Running ear          | <input type="checkbox"/> Blurred vision             |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent nose bleeds | <input type="checkbox"/> Frequent sore throats      |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mouth breathing      |   |

Please detail any reactions to food, plants, insect toxins, immunizations, medications, or other allergies.

Does your child have any other medical conditions that may require special/emergency care or medication?

*This section must be completed.* Please list the dates when your child received the following immunizations **or submit their immunization records to us before camp starts.**

- |   |                                      |
|---|--------------------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> Tetanus        | <input type="checkbox"/> Measles     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Diphtheria     | <input type="checkbox"/> Mumps       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Polio          | <input type="checkbox"/> Rubella     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Whooping Cough | <input type="checkbox"/> Chicken pox |

When was your child's most recent physical examination? Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Does your child currently have any health problems? \_\_\_\_\_ If yes, please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

# CAMP TUSCALOOSA HEALTH HISTORY (cont.)

Is your child now taking, or ever been taking, any medications? Yes \_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_

If yes, please describe: \_\_\_\_\_

Has your child had any surgery, illness, allergy, medical condition, or other change in health since their last physical examination?

\_\_\_\_\_

Circle all that apply and provide the appropriate information:

	Year	Details
Serious illness	_____	_____
Serious injury	_____	_____
Surgery	_____	_____
Ears	_____	_____
Eyes	_____	_____
Chest	_____	_____
Appendicitis	_____	_____
Heart murmur	_____	_____
Rheumatic fever	_____	_____
Kidney/bladder infections	_____	_____
Hernia/rupture	_____	_____
Back/limbs/joints	_____	_____

Permission to Administer: Sunscreen \_\_\_\_\_ Advil \_\_\_\_\_ Tylenol \_\_\_\_\_ Benadryl \_\_\_\_\_

To the best of my knowledge, this health history is correct and complete. I know of no reason to restrict my child's/applicant's activity, and give my permission for participation in all activities, except as specifically noted herein. I realize that children can become injured at camp. I hereby assume all risks of injuries to my child/applicant and hereby release and discharge Camp Tuscaloosa from any and all liability which may result in injury to my child/applicant. I further agree that insurance protection is my responsibility. In the event that I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give my permission to the camp director to secure proper treatment for my child/applicant as named above.

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Parent/Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

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## FOR CAMP USE ONLY

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Review by Camp Staff \_\_\_\_\_



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## PERMISSION FOR TAKING PHOTOS, VIDEO, AND AUDIO

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

We have a Camp Tuscaloosa web site ([www.camptuscaloosa.com](http://www.camptuscaloosa.com)). It contains camp information, as well as pictures, videos, and audio of our daily camp days, including special theme days, tournaments and more. We also have a presence on Facebook, Instagram, Youtube, Twitter, Podbean, Spotify, iTunes, and other broadcasting media.

Please check below whether or not you would approve of us placing your child's pictures, video, and audio on our website and social media.

\_\_\_\_\_ Yes, I give my permission for pictures, video, and audio of my child to appear on CampTuscaloosa.com and associated Camp Tuscaloosa social media.

\_\_\_\_\_ No, I do NOT give permission for pictures, video, and audio of my child to appear on CampTuscaloosa.com or associated Camp Tuscaloosa social media.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_





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## CREDIT AND DEBIT CARD OPTIONS FOR PAYING FEES AND TUITION

We accept VISA, Mastercard, Discover, and American Express  
(There is a 3% surcharge for paying by credit card.)

Child's name: \_\_\_\_\_

Card information:

Type of card: \_\_\_\_ Credit \_\_\_\_ Debit

Card number: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_

Full name on credit card: \_\_\_\_\_

Billing address & zipcode: \_\_\_\_\_

Email (for your receipt): \_\_\_\_\_

I give permission for Camp Tuscaloosa to charge my credit or debit card for the following.  
Check all that apply.

- ☐ Application fee of \$100
- ☐ Prepay of full tuition of \$ \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Tuition for first session of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (charged when due)
- ☐ Tuition for second session of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (charged when due)
- ☐ Tuition for third session of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (charged when due)
- ☐ One time payment of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Signature)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Print name)

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)