



SUMMER CAMP INFORMATION SHEET

Weekdays 9:30 AM* – 1:00 PM

Children Ages 32 months to 5 years

SUMMER CAMP DATES & LOCATION ~ The Five Mile River Nursery School Summer Program meets Monday – Friday 9:30am – 1:00pm at the nursery school, 5 Pennoyer Street, Rowayton, CT 06853. Each week offers a different theme allowing children to choose from a variety of experiences, including dramatic play, outdoor equipment, puzzles, books, art, sand and water play.

COSTS ~ Our camp allows for tremendous flexibility. Choose any day or combination of days. The camp is open to FMRNS and NON-FMRNS families. If you wish to sign up for additional days after you submit your registration form, please email us at director@fmrns.com. **DURING THE PANDEMIC PLEASE SIGN UP FOR CONSECUTIVE DAYS.**

CHECK IN ~ You must download and use the BrightWheel App and use it daily to check your child in and out each day. This is a requirement of the State of Connecticut Office of Early Childhood.

Per Day Cost: \$50 per day

5% DISCOUNT for sign up by the week in June or any 5 days in July or August: (the short week around the 4th of July will be counted as a full week and receive the discount)

Registration Fee (for non-FMRNS families only): There is an additional \$37.50 registration fee per child not enrolled at the Five Mile River Nursery School to cover administrative costs.

WEEKLY ENRICHMENT PROGRAMS ~ Features a special experience including:

- Mr. Bungles Bubbles
- Pied Piper Ponies
- Acting Out With Miss Karen
- Critter Caravan (twice during the summer)
- Cool Foods
- Mr. Bungles Again
- Dance Party
- **DURING THE PANDEMIC ONLY STAFF WILL BE ALLOWED INSIDE THE BUILDING OR ON THE PREMISES SO WE WILL NOT BE ABLE TO OFFER SPECIAL PROGRAMS**

LUNCH ~ Campers bring their own lunch **AND DURING THE PANDEMIC WILL ALSO BRING THEIR SNACK. DUE TO SEVERE ALLERGIES, NO FOODS CONTAINING NUTS OR PEANUTS ARE ALLOWED.** An ice pack must be included in each lunch to maintain food at 40°.

AGES SERVED ~ A child must be fully 32 months to attend the summer program. Families of children not fully 3 must acknowledge in a signed permission form that their child will be included in the preschool group with ratios and group sizes that apply to preschool children. Please dress your child in a bathing suit and send a change of clothes and towel in their backpack or bag. Children should come in underclothing that they currently use at home.

FORMS ~ In addition to both Summer Camp Registration Forms, we must have on file:

- Emergency Information Card
- Permission Agreement Form
- Alternate Pick Up Permission Form
- Current Health Record (physical date within the year)
- Medical Care Plan for any child needing special care.
- Permission to administer medications if necessary.

***Early Drop Off** is Available from 8:30am until 9:30 am for \$12 per day **DURING THE PANDEMIC AVAILABLE BEGINNING JUNE 29TH**



SUMMER CAMP OTHER IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please make note of the following important information regarding your child(ren's) participation in camp:

- **EMERGENCY FORMS** ~ In order to attend FMRNS Summer Camp, children must have up-to-date health and emergency forms on file at the school. All forms can be found at www.FiveMileRiverNurserySchool.com **DURING THE PANDEMIC SPECIAL PERMISSION FORMS MUST BE SIGNED AND ALL PROTOCOLS FOLLOWED.**
- **PAYMENT** ~ Payment is due at sign up. We employ staff according to our advance sign up. There are no refunds, but credit may be issued for days cancelled 24 hours in advance. If there is room, you may add days by calling 203-838-4266 or emailing director@fmrns.com the day before or early the day you wish to attend. Any additional days will be invoiced at the end of the week.
- **CHILDREN'S CAMP ATTIRE** ~ Please dress your child in a swimsuit with cover up each day, bring a towel and a change of clothes. Please wear water shoes or sneakers that can get wet.
- **SUNSCREEN/INSECT REPELLENT** ~ Please apply sunscreen and insect repellent before leaving children at the program. If you would like your child to reapply his or her own sunscreen or insect repellent during the day, please label it with your child's name and leave it with the teachers at sign in. Wearing hats and sun shirts is recommended.
- **LABELS** ~ Please label all your children's items, including shoes, towels, clothing and lunch boxes.
- **WEATHER** ~ In very hot weather, when the relative humidity causes the temperature to feel greater than 92° F, we will take children into the air-conditioned classrooms. In case of an air quality alert, children or staff with asthma or other lung conditions, are advised to stay home. Children will be encouraged to drink fresh water frequently, given opportunities to play in sun and shade, and to cool off in the sprinkler.
- **SUPERVISION/DISCIPLINE POLICIES** ~ The policies for discipline and supervision are outlined in our Parent Handbook, which can be viewed on our website at www.FiveMileRiverNurserySchool.com. If you would like a copy of the handbook, you may request one from the office. Please review the supervision and discipline policies with the director or any of the teachers if you are unfamiliar with our policies. In addition, please note that:
 - **Supervision** is by sight and sound at all times.
 - **Discipline** is primarily positive redirection, verbal guidance and feedback. Warm, positive interactions and high-interest experiences define how we manage groups for meaningful and engaging learning.
 - **Snack and water** are offered as a choice in the shade outdoors at the picnic table, **lunch** is eaten in small groups indoors, **and story time** is held in the shade on the wall awaiting dismissal at pickup time.
 - Children are not permitted to behave aggressively in any way
 - Staff take their responsibility seriously to provide **a safe and stimulating day for all children**. A successful program depends on prompt and clear communication. Please speak to the director or staff if any question or concern arises so that we may address your concerns immediately.

Thank you for choosing the Five Mile River Nursery School Summer Program. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to call 203-838-4266 or email us at director@fmrns.com