



Dear Parents and Campers,

We extend a warm “welcome” to our new camp families joining us for the first time this summer and to our returning campers and families. Summer Camps at Maclay started more than thirty years ago and has grown into a fun, full summer filled with a variety of academic, athletic, artistic, and just plain fun activities for all ages. We like to say it's more than a camp – it's an experience!

We have your child registered for **Maclay Sewing Camp- Monday July 10th through Friday July 21st**. Our Summer Camp team has worked over the several months preparing for an awesome camp for your child. Please review the information below before the first day of camp. **THIS IS A TWO WEEK CAMP!**

The camp for beginners runs from 9:00 am to 10:30 am.

The camp for Advanced runs from

- **Week 1**
 - Monday, 7/10: 11 to 1
 - Tuesday, 7/11: 11 to 1
 - Wednesday, 7/12: 11 to 1
 - Thursday, 7/13: No camp
 - Friday, 7/14: 11 to 1
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- **Week 2**
 - 11:00 am to 12:30 pm.

For questions on Robotics Camp contact Kristy Herzog
For general camp questions contact

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What to bring to camp each day:

- Snack
- Water bottle
- Writing Utensil

The goal of the sewing camp is to accomplish the following:

- become familiar with the universal knobs and levers of basic sewing machines
- learn how to thread and maintain a sewing machine
- learn how to properly cut and pin fabric
- gain a knowledge of how to make basic stitches, both with and without a sewing machine

Students will construct various projects throughout this two-week camp.

Arrival procedures for campers:

- Enter from Maclay Road and veer left and take the perimeter road towards the Dining Hall & Performance Center, past the PreK (on your right), pass the Main Office and then pull up to the front of the Middle School. Someone will be there from 11:50 - 1200 to walk your child to room 51 in the Middle School and get them checked in. If you arrive after noon, please walk your child to room 51 and check him or her in.
- **Early drop off (pre-registered only):** Enter from Maclay Road and veer left towards the Dining Hall. Cartee Gym is located directly behind the Dining Hall & Performance Center. Please pull up to the Cartee Gym's west doors (last doors on the right before the playground) between 7:30 am and 8:30 am. Do not get out of the car. Someone will be there to walk your child into the gym.
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- **Transfers:** Any camper going from one Maclay camp to another will be supervised between camps. Those going from a camp that ends at noon to Robotics Camp can pack a lunch or purchase lunch from the dining hall for the week by adding the "Purchase Lunch" option for \$35/week.
 - **Lunch:** Lunch is included for campers in the Dining Hall.
 - Monday: Chicken Nuggets
 - Tuesday: Hot Dogs
 - Wednesday: Hamburgers
 - Thursday: Cheese pizza
 - Friday: Turkey subs

Pick up procedures for campers:

- Please pull up to the **Middle School drop off/pick up area**. Do not get out of the car. Someone will be there to radio for your child to be escorted out to your vehicle. If you need to pick up prior to 3:00 pm please go to room 49 in the Middle School and sign him or her out. **Make sure you know your family's PIN (4 digit number) to pick up the camper.**
- **After Care:** (pre-registered only) Please pull up to the Dining Hall's east doors (facing the grass parking lot) between 5:00 pm and 5:30 pm. Do not get out of the car. Someone will be there to radio for your child to be escorted out to your vehicle. If you arrive before 5:00 pm, please call 850-894 -0908. **Make sure you know your family's PIN (4 digit number) to pick up the camper.**

Camp safety:

Maclay has a registered nurse on campus to help support the safety and wellness of our campers. All campers must sign a waiver, produce immunization records, and follow our safety protocols. Before arrival to camp each morning, please screen your child for presence of acute illness symptoms. Any camper with symptoms present will be asked to stay home until symptoms have resolved (without the use of medication) for at least 24 hours. As always, seek medical attention and testing when appropriate.

The following is a list of symptoms:

- Fever \geq 100.0 or chills
- Nausea or vomiting
- Diarrhea
- Cough
- Congestion or runny nose*
- Shortness of breath or difficulty breathing*
- Fatigue
- Muscle or body aches
- Headache*
- New loss of taste or smell

** We understand some of these symptoms are present with chronic medical conditions (i.e., migraines, allergies, asthma, etc.) Please have medical conditions and diagnoses listed on camper's medical form prior to enrollment.*

Thank you for practicing and modeling good hand hygiene and staying home when sick.

Please communicate with the Health Center if you are keeping your child home for illness and/or injury related reasons so that we may discuss our return to camp guidelines related to specific diagnoses. For these discussions or any questions about our health and safety protocols please contact the Health Center at 850-893-5030 or healthcenter@maclay.org