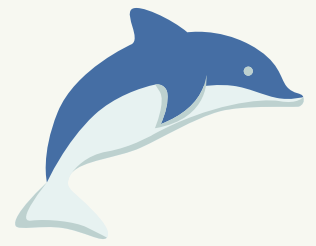


SF Day Summer Camp Newsletter



Week 1

June 12-16

ADVENTURE & EXPLORATION

Adventure & Exploration Camp this week was **MAGICAL!**

Through our adventures, we earned the team name "Squashbuckling Whale-Birds" and had a blast exploring parks all over the city, taking on challenges, and connecting with nature. Some highlights include sharpening our observation skills, getting to know carnivorous plants in the Conservatory of Flowers, and spotting special animals like whales, hawks, and sand crabs! We closed out the week with tie-dye and a game party in Rossi Park. What an amazing week!



DUNGEONS & DRAGONS

The adventurers in the Dungeons and Dragons camp delved deeply into their campaigns this past week, taking on many challenges from fighting manticores to a fungal-covered octopus (with a few dragons thrown in there)! Throughout the week, we learned how to create characters and roll up a character, learned the basic rules of 5th edition Dungeons and Dragons, created miniatures to use on our battle maps, and of course, play the game with each other. It's been incredible to watch all of them play this amazing game together. Adventure on!

ART ADVENTURES

Art Adventures did the impossible this week: time travel. We built time machines and visited Ancient Egypt (where we made new hieroglyphs), Ancient Rome (put on a play), the Vikings (built ships), and then.... we even went forward to help design a colony on Mars. We got into drawing, making 3d crafts with paper and tape, some playwriting, and lots of group work made all these activities very fun! Great job time travelers!





SILLY SCIENCE

This week in Silly Science we learned about many topics including DNA, molecules, density, acids and bases, fossils, and rainbows. Some of the kids' favorite "experiments" included revealing the DNA from strawberries, making special ingredient lemonade, and film canister rockets. We had discussions about what we noticed and recorded our observations in our Silly Science notebooks. Ask your camper about their drawings and their favorite part of camp (but don't be surprised if the answer is "bingo!") Contact Jun Stephens if your camper would like instructions of any of the activities for you to try at home.



