

A vibrant blue background featuring a variety of colorful icons representing different activities and subjects. These include a sun, clouds, a football, a paint palette, a butterfly, a star, a tree, a magnifying glass, a musical note, a book, a flower, a pencil, a microscope, a soccer ball, a cap, a globe, a guitar, a robot, a backpack, and a flower. Dashed white lines connect some of these icons, creating a sense of movement and exploration. The text 'SUMMER CAMPS' is prominently displayed in the center, with 'Battle Ground Academy' below it. A dark blue banner at the bottom contains the registration information.

Camps run  
**MAY 28  
THROUGH  
AUGUST 2**

# SUMMER CAMPS

Battle Ground Academy™

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89

students in the  
Class of 2023 went to

52



different colleges and universities  
in 23 states and Washington, D.C.

98%

were admitted to at  
least one of their  
top three college  
choices.

EARNING MORE THAN

**\$8.5 million**

in scholarship offers



Graduates were awarded  
some of the nation's **most  
prestigious competitive  
scholarships**, including  
the Morehead-Cain at  
University of North  
Carolina at Chapel Hill.

14



graduates signed to  
continue their athletic  
careers at the collegiate  
level, **nine of whom will  
play NCAA Division I.**

## Battle Ground Academy™

BGA has been the educational leader in Williamson County for 135 years. Today, we refer to our commitment to each student and to fulfilling our mission as "Education Elevated."

Each day in every class, our goal is to provide an inspiring and nurturing environment that piques students' curiosity and furthers their academic, social, and emotional development.

The result: a community of learners who are prepared to establish and accomplish their academic, professional, and personal goals, becoming successful graduates at some of the nation's top colleges and universities, including:

American University  
Auburn University  
Arizona State University  
Baylor University  
Belmont University  
Boston Conservatory at  
Berklee  
Boston University  
Boston College  
Carnegie-Mellon University  
Case Western Reserve U.  
Centre College  
Clemson University  
College of Charleston  
College of William & Mary  
Dartmouth College  
Duke University  
Elon University  
Emory University  
Furman University  
George Washington U.  
Georgetown University  
Harvard University  
Howard University  
Indiana University  
Johns Hopkins University  
Lehigh University

Miami University, Oxford  
New York University  
Northwestern University  
Pennsylvania State University  
Pepperdine University  
Princeton University  
Ohio State University  
Rensselaer Polytechnic  
Institute  
Rhodes College  
Rice University  
Samford University  
Savannah College of Art  
& Design  
Sewanee: U. of the South  
Southern Methodist  
University  
Spelman College  
Syracuse University  
Texas Christian U. (TCU)  
Texas Tech University  
Tufts University  
Tulane University  
Southern Methodist U. (SMU)  
UNC-Chapel Hill  
U.S. Military Academy  
U.S. Naval Academy

University of Alabama  
University of CA, Berkeley  
University of CA, Los Angeles  
University of Chicago  
University of CO at Boulder  
University of Denver  
University of Florida  
University of Georgia  
University of Miami  
University of Mississippi  
University of Notre Dame  
University of Oregon  
University of Pennsylvania  
University of Richmond  
University of Southern  
California  
University of TN, Knoxville  
University of Virginia  
University of Washington  
Vanderbilt University  
Virginia Tech  
Wake Forest University  
Washington & Lee University  
Washington University in  
St. Louis  
Yale University

# Greetings from

## Battle Ground Academy™

Each summer, we host hundreds of campers from across Middle Tennessee – and it's one of our favorite times of the year.

As you plan which summer camps you'll attend, we hope the following information will be helpful to you:

- » Summer camps are for rising kindergarten through 12th-grade students.
- » Full-day and half-day camps are available.
- » Early care, lunch, and aftercare are available for an additional fee.
  - Early care: 7:30-9 a.m., \$55 per week
  - Lunch: \$40 per week (includes supervision)
  - Aftercare: 4-5:30 p.m., \$55 per week
- » Camps are closed once capacity is met, so register early!

Cancellation/Withdrawal Policy: BGA reserves the right to cancel a camp if a minimum number of participants do not sign up for the camp. A full refund will be given in the event of such cancellation. If after registering your student for a camp you withdraw your student, a registration fee equal to 1/3 the cost of the camp will be charged. If the camp/clinic withdrawal is received less than two weeks prior to the start of camp, the processing fee is 50% of the cost of the camp. Once the camp has started, we cannot issue any refunds.

If you have any questions, please contact us at [bgacamps@mybga.org](mailto:bgacamps@mybga.org) or 615-567-9025.

We look forward to seeing you this summer!

**MELISSA SIEGEL**  
Summer Camp Director

## WEEK OF MAY 28 - MAY 31 (4-DAY WEEK)

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
5/28 - 5/31	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
5/28 - 5/31	Tennis Fundamentals Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	K-6	\$152
5/28 - 5/31	Baseball Fundamentals Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	K-8	\$152
5/28 - 5/31	Boys Basketball Fundamentals Camp	1-4 p.m.	K-8	\$152

## WEEK OF JUNE 3 - JUNE 7

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
6/3 - 6/7	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
6/3 - 6/7	Football Camp: All Positions	9 a.m. to Noon	5-9	\$190
6/3 - 6/7	Soccer: Junior Academy	9 a.m. to Noon	K-2	\$190
6/3 - 6/7	Soccer: Rec Academy	9 a.m. to Noon	3-8	\$190
6/3 - 6/7	Sports Management	9 a.m. to Noon	3-5	\$275
6/3 - 6/7	Culinary I	9 a.m. to Noon	5-12	\$290
6/3 - 6/7	Science Camp: Challenge It!	9 a.m. to Noon	4-5	\$220
6/3 - 6/7	Wrestling Fundamentals Camp	1-4 p.m.	K-8	\$190
6/3 - 6/7	All Sports Camp	1-4 p.m.	K-6	\$190
6/3 - 6/7	My First Lemonade Stand	1-4 p.m.	K-2	\$275

## WEEK OF JUNE 10 - JUNE 14

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
6/10 - 6/14	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
6/10 - 6/14	Chess: The Knight School's Summer BlastCamp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
6/10 - 6/14	Football Camp: All Positions	9 a.m. to Noon	K-6	\$190
6/10 - 6/14	Girls Basketball Fundamental Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	K-8	\$190
6/10 - 6/14	Culinary II	9 a.m. to Noon	5-12	\$290
6/10 - 6/14	Dance Camp: Hair in the Air!	9 a.m. to Noon	K-5	\$190
6/10 - 6/14	Science Camp: Explore It!	9 a.m. to Noon	3-4	\$220
6/10 - 6/14	Boys Basketball Fundamentals Camp	1-4 p.m.	K-8	\$190
6/10 - 6/14	Color Wheels Art Camp: On The Road Again	1-4 p.m.	1-5	\$275



## WEEK OF JUNE 17 - 18 & JUNE 20 - 21 (4-DAY WEEK)

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
6/17 - 6/18 6/20 - 6/21	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
6/17 - 6/18 6/20 - 6/21	Baseball Fundamentals Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	K-8	\$152
6/17 - 6/18 6/20 - 6/21	Softball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	K-8	\$152
6/17 - 6/18 6/20 - 6/21	Culinary III	9 a.m. to Noon	5-12	\$276
6/17 - 6/18 6/20 - 6/21	Dodgeball Camp	1-4 p.m.	1-6	\$152

## WEEK OF JUNE 24 - JUNE 28

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
6/24 - 6/28	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
6/24 - 6/28	Culinary I	9 a.m. to Noon	5-12	\$290
6/24 - 6/28	Kids on Broadway Musical Theatre	9 a.m. to Noon	K-4	\$220
6/24 - 6/28	Jr. Inventors	9 a.m. to Noon	3-5	\$275
6/24 - 6/28	Little Inventors	1-4 p.m.	K-2	\$275

## WEEK OF JULY 8 - JULY 12

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
7/8 - 7/12	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
7/8 - 7/12	Kids on Broadway Musical Theatre	9 a.m.-4 p.m.	3-8	\$480
7/8 - 7/12	Volleyball Skills Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	4-8	\$190
7/8 - 7/12	Culinary II	9 a.m. to Noon	5-12	\$290
7/8 - 7/12	My First Bake Sale	9 a.m. to Noon	K-2	\$275
7/8 - 7/19	Strings Camp (2-week camp)	9 a.m. to Noon	K-5	\$420 (for both weeks)
7/8 - 7/12	Dodgeball Camp	1-4 p.m.	1-6	\$190
7/8 - 7/12	My First Food Truck	1-4 p.m.	3-5	\$275
7/8 - 7/10	Football: Fundamentals of Blocking and Tackling (Full Pads)	5:30-7:30 p.m.	3-8	\$120

## WEEK OF JULY 15 - JULY 19

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
7/15 - 7/19	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
7/8 - 7/19	Strings Camp (2-week camp)	9 a.m. to Noon	K-5	\$420 (for both weeks)
7/15 - 7/19	Girls Basketball Fundamental Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	K-8	\$190
7/15 - 7/19	Culinary III	9 a.m. to Noon	5-12	\$345
7/15 - 7/19	Dance Camp: Movie Magic	9 a.m. to Noon	K-6	\$190
7/15 - 7/19	Wrestling Fundamentals Camp	1-4 p.m.	K-8	\$190
7/15 - 7/19	Color Wheels Art Camp: Catch Some Rays	1-4 p.m.	1-5	\$275
7/15 - 7/19	G.I.R.L.S. Camp	1-4 p.m.	4-7	\$240

## WEEK OF JULY 22 - JULY 26

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
7/22 - 7/26	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
7/22 - 7/26	Chess: The Knight School's Summer BlastCamp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
7/22 - 7/26	My First Piggy Bank	9 a.m. to Noon	K-2	\$275
7/22 - 7/26	Aspiring Fashionistas	1-4 p.m.	3-5	\$275
7/22 - 7/26	Boys Basketball Fundamentals Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	K-8	\$190

## WEEK OF JULY 29 - AUGUST 2

DATES	CAMP	TIME	RISING GRADES	PRICE
7/29 - 8/2	Cannon Ball Camp	9 a.m. to Noon 1-4 p.m.	K-5	Varies
7/29 - 8/2	Track and Field: MS Throwers Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	5-8	\$190
7/29 - 8/2	G.I.R.L.S. Camp	9 a.m. to Noon	2-4	\$240
7/29 - 8/2	Little Wildcat Cheer Camp	1-4 p.m.	K-6	\$190
7/29 - 8/2	Track and Field: US Throwers Camp	1-4 p.m.	9-12	\$190



## WEEKLY CAMPS FOR RISING K - 5TH GRADE

## SPLASH INTO SUMMER WITH BGA'S CANNON BALL DAY CAMP!

Half-day sessions run from 9 a.m. to noon or 1-4 p.m., and full-day sessions run from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

### **COST:**

Half-day sessions: \$180 (prorated weeks) to \$225 per week

Full-day sessions: \$320 (prorated weeks) to \$400 per week

Full summer: \$3,000

\*Lunch included with all options

Are you looking to try new things and meet new friends? Do you like picking up new skills and hobbies? If so, Cannon Ball Camp is for you! Join us as we explore a variety of academic, athletic, and enrichment areas. Each week campers will dive into a different theme through art and science, water games, and enrichment activities! Team-building allows us to work together towards a common goal. Campers will spend time doing not only things they love, but they will also spend time trying new things.

Students will build relationships with campers as well as our BGA camp counselors. We have also added lots of new surprises and water day every week, with fun games and inflatables, as well as special guest visitors and in-house "field trips." You won't want to miss out!

## SESSION DATES

**May 28-31:** Lost in Space

**June 3-7:** Rainforest

**June 10-14:** Camp Olympics

**June 17-21:** Around the World

**June 24-28:** Party in the U.S.A.

**July 8-12:** Mad Scientist

**July 15-19:** Outback

**July 22-26:** Rock Star

**July 29-Aug. 2:** Under the Sea

Those who sign up for our full-summer Cannon Ball Day Camp package will also receive a fun **summer surprise pack!**

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### **ALL SPORTS CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-6

**Dates:** June 3-7

**Time:** 1-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** Cherry Sports Center

Campers will spend the week playing various sports, such as basketball, kickball, straddle ball, dodgeball, 15-second tag, ultimate frisbee, king of the court, soccer, jump rope, beach ball chaos, relay races, and more! Campers should wear comfortable clothes and athletic shoes.

**Instructor:** BGA Lower School Wellness Faculty Member Kevin Wells, Additional BGA Faculty and Staff, BGA Students

### **BASEBALL FUNDAMENTALS CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-8

**Dates:** May 28-31, June 17-21 (no camp on 6/19)

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$152

**Location:** Fleming-Wilt Baseball Field

BGA baseball camps are designed to develop and enhance each player's skills by teaching them the fundamentals in a dynamic and fun learning environment. Campers will be instructed by the BGA varsity baseball staff as well as former and

current BGA players. The camp will focus on building character, leadership, and personal growth. We accomplish our focus by executing drills to improve fundamentals, teamwork, and discipline. From the beginner to the competitive team player, this camp is sure to challenge and enhance your game. Areas covered include outfield and infield play, baserunning, sliding, and game situations.

**Instructors:** BGA Head Varsity Baseball Coach Johnny Hackett, Current and Former BGA Varsity Players

### **BOYS BASKETBALL FUNDAMENTALS CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-8

**Dates:** May 28-31, June 10-14, July 22-26

**Time:** 1-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$190 per week

**Location:** Cherry Sports Center

This camp, led by our boys varsity and middle school basketball coaches, is designed to teach the game of basketball. We will work on the fundamentals needed to become better at basketball. There will be skill development work, shooting technique, and a variety of games. All of these will be used to help teach your athlete the game of basketball.

**Instructors:** BGA Head Boys Varsity Basketball Coach Trey Meyer and Coaching Staff, Current and Former BGA Varsity Players

### **DANCE CAMP: HAIR IN THE AIR!**

**Age:** Rising grades K-5

**Date:** June 10 - June 14

**Time:** 9-12

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** CAE

Join us for a week full of fun and dancing to the soundtrack of Trolls. We will be learning jazz & hip-hop along with the fundamentals of dance. During the week we will learn routines to the catchy-energetic songs of Trolls with games, an art project, and lots of fun. No previous dance experience is needed. We will be showcasing our dances for family and friends at the end of the week. This gives each child a chance to shine on stage and emerge themselves in the magical world of the Trolls.

**Instructors:** Liz Amoroso and BGA Dance Team

## **DANCE CAMP: MOVIE MAGIC**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-6

**Dates:** July 15-19

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** CAE

Lights, Camera, Action! Join us for a fun-filled week of dancing to your favorite movie soundtracks. Campers will learn jazz, hip-hop, and ballet fundamentals along with learning iconic routines to perform for family and friends at the end of the week. This magical week will be full of dancing, games, crafts, and lots of movement. No previous dance experience is needed.

**Instructors:** Liz Amoroso and BGA Dance Team

## **DODGEBALL CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades 1-6

**Dates:** June 17-21 (no camp on 6/19), July 8-12

**Time:** 1-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$152 for June 17-21 (no camp on 6/19), \$190 for July 8-12

**Location:** Jewell Athletic & Wellness Center

Can you throw? Catch? Move? If you can do all three, then you can play dodgeball. Dodgeball is a challenging game that increases athletes' hand-eye coordination and mental awareness of their surroundings, and it offers a great cardio workout. Please note, the camp will use aero foam balls.

**Instructors:** BGA Volleyball Director Charlie Carlisle, BGA Middle School Athletic Director Rob Mitchell

## **FOOTBALL CAMP: ALL POSITIONS**

**Age:** Rising Grades 5-9

**Dates:** June 3-7

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** Jewell Athletic and Wellness Center, Football Practice Field

BGA's head football coach and assistant coaches will help aspiring quarterbacks, receivers, tight ends, and running backs hone their skills in this specialty camp. Players will be instructed on proper quarterback



mechanics that will include throwing motion, release, and footwork. Receivers, tight ends, and running backs will receive instruction on proper ball carriage, routes, and catching techniques. This camp is for aspiring players interested in improving their skills and preparing for their upcoming season.

**Instructors:** BGA Head Football Coach Bobby Bentley and Coaching Staff, BGA Varsity Players

## **FOOTBALL: FUNDAMENTALS OF BLOCKING AND TACKLING (FULL PADS)**

**Age:** Rising Grades 3-8

**Date:** July 8-10

**Time:** 5:30-7:30 p.m.

**Cost:** \$120

**Location:** Jewell Athletic and Wellness Center, Guffee-Brown Stadium

BGA's head football coach and coaches from the BGA Upper and Middle School football staff will lead a full pads camp. Participants will work on the fundamentals of blocking, tackling, and core positional skills. Bring a mouth guard and cleats. Pads



will be provided for kids participating in the BGA fifth through eighth grade programs; non-BGA players will need to bring their own pads or rent pads for an additional fee.

**Instructors:** BGA Head Football Coach Bobby Bentley and Coaching Staff, BGA Varsity Players

### **FOOTBALL CAMP: ALL POSITIONS (NO PADS)**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-6

**Dates:** June 10-14

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** Jewell Athletic and Wellness Center,  
Football Practice Field

BGA's head football coach and staff will lead a camp focused on technique and fundamentals for kids of all skill levels. The BGA football coaching staff has experience coaching and playing on the collegiate and professional level. Please wear athletic attire and bring both indoor athletic shoes and cleats.

**Instructors:** BGA Head Football Coach Bobby Bentley and Coaching Staff, BGA Varsity Players

### **GIRLS BASKETBALL FUNDAMENTAL CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-8

**Dates:** June 10-14, July 15-19

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$190 per week

**Location:** Cherry Sports Center, Middle School Gym

This camp, led by our girls varsity and middle school basketball coaches, is designed to teach the game of basketball. We will work on the fundamentals needed to become better at basketball. There will be skill development work, shooting technique, and a variety of games. All of these will be used to help teach your athlete the game of basketball.

**Instructors:** BGA Head Varsity Girls Basketball Coach Myles Thrash and Staff, Current and Former BGA Varsity Basketball Players

### **LITTLE WILDCAT CHEER CAMP**

**Rising Grades K-6**

**Dates:** July 29-August 2

**Cost:** \$190

**Time:** 1-4 p.m.

**Location:** Cherry Sports Center



Learn cheer fundamentals, chants, and dance routines from the BGA Cheerleaders and head cheer coach during this five-day cheerleading camp. There is a "cheer finale pep rally" on the last day for friends and family. Our focus is on positive spirit and fun! Go Wildcats!

**Instructors:** BGA Cheerleading Coach Molly Machleit, BGA Varsity Cheerleaders

### **SOCCER: JUNIOR ACADEMY**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-2

**Dates:** June 3-7

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** Stewart-Campbell Track/Soccer Complex

Our Junior Soccer Academy emphasizes fast-paced and engaging activities that teach skills of the game while young campers have a great time. Fun camp activities designed specifically for younger players are the focus of the Junior Academy. Drills and activities help our younger campers learn the fundamentals of the game and develop specific skills. Needs: Size 3 soccer ball, comfortable athletic clothing, sunscreen, athletic shoes, and soccer gear (cleats, shin guards, soccer socks, water bottle).



**Instructors:** BGA Boys Soccer Coach John Millard, BGA Girls Soccer Coach Jan Morrissey, BGA Soccer Coaching Staff and Players

### **SOCCER: REC ACADEMY**

**Age:** Rising Grades 3-8

**Dates:** June 3-7

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** Stewart-Campbell Track/Soccer Complex

Elementary-aged players who have played soccer in organized leagues are well suited for our recreational academy. All soccer activities at this academy help players begin to develop individual skills (or continue in the development of these individual skills). While players learn the fundamentals of the game in this academy, team tactics are also introduced. USSF/ NSCAA licensed coaches will teach and demonstrate skills for players while emphasizing the proper techniques for all aspects of the game. All players train at their appropriate age and skill levels. Needs: Size 4 soccer ball, comfortable athletic clothing, sunscreen, athletic shoes, and soccer gear (cleats, shin guards, soccer socks, water bottle).

**Instructors:** BGA Boys Soccer Coach John Millard, BGA Girls Soccer Coach Jan Morrissey, BGA Soccer Coaching Staff and Players

### **SOFTBALL CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-8

**Dates:** June 17-21 (no camp on 6/19)

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$152

**Location:** BGA Softball Field

Campers will work to improve their knowledge of the game while improving their fundamentals. Sessions will emphasize the basic fundamentals of hitting, slapping, pitching, catching, infield, and outfield. Campers will leave with a better knowledge of the game and specific drills to improve their skill set. Campers should bring a softball glove, bat (if you already have one), softball cleats, indoor athletic shoes, and a hat.

**Instructors:** BGA Varsity Softball Coach Eric Fruechtemeyer and Staff

### **TENNIS FUNDAMENTALS CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-6

**Dates:** May 28-31

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$152

**Location:** Fred P. Hallum Tennis Complex

This camp is for tennis players of all levels and focuses on learning and mastering the fundamentals of tennis. BGA tennis coaches will instruct campers on strokes, rules, scoring, and etiquette in a fun and friendly environment. Please bring a tennis racquet.

**Instructors:** BGA Head Tennis Coach Andrew Kantor and Coaching Staff, BGA Varsity Tennis Players

### **TRACK AND FIELD: MS THROWERS CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades 5-8

**Dates:** July 29-August 2

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** Stewart-Campbell Track and Soccer Complex

This camp will emphasize basic/introductory drills and practice for future throwers of, or those considering, shotput and discus in middle school. Middle school throwers will be throwing the same weighted implements as they would in a regular middle school season. Throwers are welcome but not required to bring any implements. BGA will provide the implements for this camp (shot put, discus, any med balls, bands, etc.).

Needs: Throwing shoes are completely optional; a pair of closed-toe, closed-back tennis shoes, sneakers, or Converse will do (prefer a flat, smooth sole), bottle of water, and any other sunscreen, hat, sunglasses (as needed).

**Instructors:** BGA MS/US Track and Field Throwers Coach Jackie Verseman and Volunteer BGA US Throwers

### **TRACK AND FIELD: US THROWERS CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades 9-12

**Dates:** July 29-August 2

**Time:** 1-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$190

**Location:** Stewart-Campbell Track and Soccer Complex

This camp will range from introductory to advanced drills and practice for throwers of, or those considering, shotput and discus in grades 9-12. Coaching will be based on skill level, and all types of throwing styles will be coached based on preference or suggestion by coach (glides, half spins, full spins, etc.) The upper school weighted implements will be thrown at this camp (a 4-kg shot put and 1-kg discus for girls, and a 12-lb. shot put and a 1.6-kg discus for boys). Throwers are welcome but not required to bring any implements. BGA will provide the implements for this camp (shot put, discus, any med balls, bands, etc.). We will plan to split our time between shot put and discus each day, and have a mock meet on the fifth and final day.

Needs: Throwing shoes are completely optional; a pair of closed-toe, closed-back tennis shoes, sneakers, or Converse will do (prefer a flat, smooth sole), bottle of water, and any other sunscreen, hat, sunglasses (as needed).

**Instructors: BGA MS/US Track and Field Throwers  
Coach Jackie Verseman**

## **VOLLEYBALL SKILLS CAMP**

**Ages: Rising Grades 4-8**

**Dates: July 8-12**

**Time: 9 a.m. to Noon**

**Cost: \$190**

**Location: Cherry Sports Center**

Campers will be divided up based on age/skill level and will focus on specific aspects of volleyball geared to their abilities through drills and games. We will focus on individual skill development in passing, serving, and attacking, along with an introduction to offensive and defensive terminology. By the end of this camp, each player will have a better understanding of volleyball as a whole.

**Instructors: BGA Head Varsity Volleyball Coach  
Tatiana Alvarez, BGA Head Middle School Volleyball  
Coach Laurel Satterfield, BGA Coaching Staff,  
Current and Former BGA Varsity Players**

## **WRESTLING FUNDAMENTALS CAMP**

**Age: Rising Grades K-8**

**Dates: June 3-7, July 15-19**

**Time: 1-4 p.m.**

**Cost: \$190 per week**

**Location: Sensing Wrestling Room**

This camp, for new and experienced wrestlers, will focus on fundamentals of wrestling positions through drilling, live wrestling, and games. The camp is designed for the wrestler who aspires to reach his full potential and wrestle at a competitive level.

**Instructors: BGA Head Wrestling Coach Trevor  
Humes and Staff, BGA Wrestlers**

## THE ARTS



### COLOR WHEELS ART CAMP: CATCH SOME RAYS

**Age:** Rising Grades 1-5

**Dates:** July 15-19

**Time:** 1-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$275 (includes all supplies)

**Location:** Mary Campbell Visual Arts Center

Taking inspiration from the season, we'll create warm-weather masterpieces. We will paint, draw, color, assemble, and sculpt various projects inspired by our favorite summertime activities. Projects will include sailboat and lemonade collages, painting fireworks and vacation landscapes, sculpting sea shells, starfish, and ice cream treats, drawing flip flops and popsicles, and many more! Come join the fun!

**Instructor:** Shelley Sullivan

### COLOR WHEELS ART CAMP: ON THE ROAD AGAIN

**Age:** Rising Grades 1-5

**Dates:** June 10-14

**Time:** 1-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$275 (includes all supplies)

**Location:** Mary Campbell Visual Arts Center

We'll take a road trip across the United States, highlighting landmarks, states, and natural wonders. We'll create art inspired by New York City, Hollywood,



Las Vegas, The Windy City, Music City, New Orleans, and more. Projects will include sculpting the Seven Magic Mountains, painting The Statue of Liberty and mountain landscapes, designing cowboy boots, creating jazz and guitar collages, drawing state flowers and animals, and many more! Come join the fun!

**Instructor:** Shelley Sullivan

### KIDS ON BROADWAY MUSICAL THEATRE: BROADWAY BOOTCAMP

**Age:** Rising Grades 3-8

**Dates:** July 8-12

**Time:** 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$480

**Location:** CAE

Theater-loving kids, are you interested in learning about Broadway and what it means to be a great performer on stage and off? Students will receive practical advice for entering and working in the theatre industry from those who have and continue to work there. Plus, work on audition techniques and build your own resumé. You'll receive individualized instruction in everything musical theatre culminating in

a cabaret-style revue for friends and family at the end of the week. Over the course of the five days, students will work together on group choreography and vocals from Broadway's hit musicals. Actors will have the opportunity to shine as solo performers. Friends and family will be invited to join on the last day of camp for a star-studded performance.

**Instructors:** Kids on Broadway's Julia Nolan and Camp Staff

### **KIDS ON BROADWAY MUSICAL THEATRE: MERMAIDS AND PIRATES**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-4

**Dates:** June 24-28

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$220

**Location:** CAE

Calling all mermaids, pirates, and creatures of the deep! Set sail for a week of treasure maps, uncharted islands, silly sea monsters, and more – the story is yours to steer! Our campers will enjoy a fun day of singing, dancing, and acting while we rehearse a show based on mermaids and pirates. Students will also enjoy art activities and theatre games/play to make this a well-rounded and fun musical theatre experience for our youngest stage artists. Each day is a new adventure with lots of opportunities for independent and collaborative exploration of the week's theme. Camp activities will include acting games and exercises, movement and dance opportunities, arts and crafts, ensemble storytelling, and imagination adventures. Parents will be invited to join our class for the last 30 minutes on Friday to see what we've been working on during the week!

**Instructors:** Kids on Broadway's Julia Nolan and Camp Staff

### **STRINGS CAMP**

**Age:** Rising Grades K-5

**Dates:** July 8-12; 15-19

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$420 (pricing to include both weeks)

**Location:** CAE

This class will teach kids to play the violin, which is an incredibly rewarding experience and great way to express emotions and create beautiful music. Aside



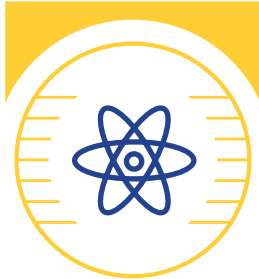
from developing artistic expression through music, learning to play the violin has been linked to improved academic performance in children as well as increased concentration level and discipline. It also helps kids in their fine motor skills and teaches discipline, patience, and problem-solving skills. At this camp, kids will learn the foundations of playing the violin, which will set them up with all the fundamentals they will need to succeed in the long term. They will learn things such as how to hold the violin properly, identify notes, tune the violin, play open strings, and much more!

**Instructors:** Dana Meyer and Camp Staff





## ENRICHMENT



### ASPIRING FASHIONISTAS

**Age:** Rising Grades 3-5

**Dates:** July 22 - July 26

**Time:** 1 - 4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$275

**Location:** Middle School Classroom

In this program, campers gain knowledge of the fashion industry and develop skills in branding, marketing, fashion journalism and design. Campers explore popular brands, analyze industry trends (e.g., athleisure), design various articles of clothing, define their own brand, and more.

**Instructor:** SPARK Business Academy team

### CHESS: THE KNIGHT SCHOOL'S SUMMER BLASTCAMP

**Age:** Rising Grades K-5

**Dates:** June 10-14, July 22-26

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon and 1-4 p.m.

**Cost:** \$250 for Half Day, \$390 for Full Day

**Location:** Middle School Classroom

The Knight School's Summer BlastCamp is a dynamic and engaging chess camp open to all experience levels. Beginners are welcome and will have coaches assigned to make sure they complete camp with a thorough understanding of the game. Each half-day session features a different opening, progressing throughout the week. Full-day sessions will receive a lesson on one opening in the morning and a different opening in the afternoon with a supervised lunch break in between.

This class will offer the Four Knights Game, the Halloween Gambit, the Queen's Gambit, and the French Defense. In addition to the core lesson, each session includes Daily Puzzlers, Bead Bash Tournaments, Bughouse Tournaments, Promotion Day, a SuperTourney Championship, and more activities interspersed throughout the day.

Kids will need to bring a water bottle, Knight School Chess Set if they have been enrolled in class previously, and lunch (for full day participants only). All participants receive a special Summer BlastCamp Knight School T-shirt and all the colorful Tactix Bands they can earn, including unique Tactix Bands for each of the summer lessons.

**Instructors:** The Knight School Instructors and Staff

### CULINARY I

**Age:** Rising Grades 5-12

**Dates:** June 3-7, June 24-28

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$290

**Location:** Harlin Student Center

Is your child hungry to learn? This program is centered around the proper execution of simple yet tasty culinary treats. We will create, prepare, cook, and eat our creations each day – all while having a good time in a safe, professionally supervised kitchen environment.

**Instructor:** Flik Executive Chef

### CULINARY II

**Age:** Rising Grades 5-12

**Dates:** June 10-14, July 8-12

**Time:** 9 a.m. to Noon

**Cost:** \$290

**Location:** Harlin Student Center

Delve into advanced Culinary Camp II and further into your culinary education. This camp offers an opportunity to grill, BBQ, smoke, and process different meats. Campers will also create house-made sauces and dressings, work on plating techniques and presentation, and even make a pie from scratch, topping it off with homemade ice cream.

**Instructors:** Flik Executive Chef

### CULINARY III (CULINARY I OR II PREREQUISITE)

**Age:** Rising Grades 5-12

**Dates:** June 17-21 (no camp on 6/19), July 15-19

**Time: 9 a.m. to Noon**

**Cost: \$276 for June 17-21 (no camp on 6/19), \$345 for July 15-19**

**Location: Harlin Student Center**

After completing Culinary Camps I OR II, we will dive deeper into the technical aspects of cooking, working with more meats, vegetables, starches, and cooking processes. This course is for those who have a passion for a deeper understanding of how things go from raw to plate. Campers will design a dish, order the ingredients, cook, and plate their dishes for presentation. Culinary III comes with a personalized culinary gift at the end of camp. This is an advanced course.

**Instructor: Flik Executive Chef**

### **G.I.R.L.S. (GROWING, INSPIRING, RESILIENT, LEADING, SUCCEEDING) CAMP**

**Age: Rising Grades 4-7 on July 15-19, Rising Grades 2-4 on July 29-August 2**

**Dates: July 15-19, July 29-August 2**

**Time: 1-4 p.m. on July 15-19, 9 a.m. to Noon on July 29-August 2**

**Cost: \$240 (includes all supplies)**

**Location: CAE**

Welcome to our G.I.R.L.S Camp! Dive into a transformative experience blending STEAM innovation, entrepreneurial skills, public speaking and presentation skills, and emotional intelligence. Unleash your leadership potential through hands-on STEAM challenges, entrepreneurial workshops, public speaking coaching, and engaging social-emotional learning activities. Join us for an empowering journey where girls flourish as confident leaders, equipped with the skills to thrive in the world of tomorrow. The week will culminate with each camper creating a presentation outlining their leadership action plan!

**Instructor: BGA Teacher for Entrepreneurial Leadership Denise Eisenhauer, BGA US Student Alison Zierden, BGA STEM Teachers, BGA US Students**

### **JR. INVENTORS**

**Age: Rising Grades 3-5**

**Dates: June 24 - June 28**

**Time: 9 a.m. - Noon**

**Cost: \$275**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**



In this “inventive” program, students design and create solutions to problems, teaming up to identify the need for a new invention and producing real structures and solutions. Students learn about 10 child inventors and design cool innovations such as a pom pom launcher, a watermelon fan, a robot hand, a balloon car, and more!

**Instructor: SPARK Business Academy team**

### **LITTLE INVENTORS**

**Age: Rising Grades K-2**

**Dates: June 24 - June 28**

**Time: 1 - 4 p.m.**

**Cost: \$275**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

In this “inventive” program, students design and create solutions to problems, teaming up to identify the need for a new invention and producing real structures and solutions. In one STEM challenge, campers build bridges using a variety of materials and experiment with how much weight they can hold. Campers will also learn about famous inventors, and discuss how inventions improve our lives.

**Instructor: SPARK Business Academy**

### **MY FIRST BAKE SALE**

**Age: Rising Grades K-2**

**Dates: July 8 - July 12**

**Time: 9 a.m. - Noon**

**Cost: \$275**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

Let’s sell baked goods for a great cause! Young students become food entrepreneurs, learn about charity work, and design a business venture to raise money for a cause they collectively decide on. From business planning and strategy to the bake sale, students enjoy the full process of starting a business.



This is the perfect and tasty hands-on opportunity for children to build business savvy! As an optional showcase event, students launch their bake sale to raise money for a charity they select.

**Instructor: SPARK Business Academy team**

### **MY FIRST FOOD TRUCK**

**Age: Rising Grades 3-5**

**Dates: July 8 - July 12**

**Time: 1 - 4 p.m.**

**Cost: \$275**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

Campers will select a food truck theme, design menus, estimate expenses, determine prices, and develop financial projections and a business plan with a marketing strategy, capital-raising needs, and more. This unique program offers a tasty way to build business savvy.

**Instructor: SPARK Business Academy team**

### **MY FIRST LEMONADE STAND**

**Age: Rising Grades K-2**

**Dates: June 3 - June 7**

**Time: 1-4 p.m.**

**Cost: \$275**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

Learn how to make sweet and tangy lemonade - and make money by selling it. Experiment with recipes, design flyers, learn how to count money, make change, and tally your profits. Then, in a showcase finale event, launch your lemonade stand, sell, sell, sell, and raise funds for a charity campers select.

**Instructor: SPARK Business Academy team**

### **MY FIRST PIGGY BANK**

**Age: Rising Grades K-2**

**Dates: July 22 - July 26**

**Time: 9 a.m. to Noon**

**Cost: \$275**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

Earn, save, spend, donate! Through math games and hands-on activities, kids learn about key financial concepts like money, budgeting and saving. Students will also learn the basic concepts of philanthropy and donating to charity. And, everyone will make their very own piggy bank to take home!

**Instructor: SPARK Business Academy team**

### **SCIENCE CAMP: CHALLENGE IT!**

**Age: Rising Grades 4-5**

**Dates: June 3-7**

**Time: 9 a.m. to Noon**

**Cost: \$220**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

Campers will be immersed in engineering design as they build and code various robotic models. Campers will also problem solve with necessary adjustments to complete a challenge. Deep dive into creativity and team building to learn new strategies for coding and design.

**Instructor: BGA Lower School i3 Teacher Robyn Randall**

### **SCIENCE CAMP: EXPLORE IT!**

**Age: Rising Grades 3-4**

**Dates: June 10-14**

**Time: 9 a.m. to Noon**

**Cost: \$220**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

Campers will learn the basics of robotic models and how to code them. Campers will also problem solve the necessary adjustments to complete a task. This camp will contain lots of creativity, engineering, and designing of new ideas.

**Instructor: BGA Lower School i3 Teacher Robyn Randall**

### **SPORTS MANAGEMENT**

**Age: Rising Grades 3-5**

**Dates: June 3 - June 7**

**Time: 9 a.m. to Noon**

**Cost: \$275**

**Location: Middle School Classroom**

For the sports lover or future team general manager, sports team owner, ESPN analyst or coach, this unique program helps students view the world of sports from a business perspective. Students will actively discuss and analyze different topics, including player contracts, mock drafts, college sports endorsements, the Nike vs. Under Armour competition, the Super Bowl, ae-sports and more.

**Instructor: SPARK Business Academy team**

# CAMPUS MAP



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|---|---|---|
| 1. Armistead Hall<br>(Upper School Administration/Library)        | 7. Cherry Sports Center   | 15. Jewell Athletic and Wellness Center   |
| 2. Harlin Student Center<br>(Dining/Assembly/Headmaster/Business) | 8. Roar Store   | 16. Power Plant                           |
| 3. McElroy Hall<br>(US Math/Foreign Language) N503-N511           | 9. Middle School Administration & Library   | 17. Smithsonian Indoor Baseball Facility  |
| 4. Bragg Hall<br>(US English/History) C404-C411                   | 10. Middle School Academic Building   | 18. Softball Field                        |
| 5. Ware Hall<br>(US Science) S302-S307                            | 11. Sondra Morris and Robert N. Moore, Jr. '52 Center for Arts and Entrepreneurship | 19. Fleming-Wilt Baseball Field           |
| 6. Mary Campbell Visual Arts Center                               | 12. Middle School Gymnasium   | 20. Guffee-Brown Stadium                  |
|   | 13. Middle School Practice Field  | 21. Stewart Campbell Track/Soccer Complex |
|   | 14. Glen Echo<br>(Admissions/Alumni/Development)                                    | 22. Pratt Practice Field                  |
|   |   | 23. Fred P. Hallum Tennis Complex         |



# LEGENDS

## YOUTH LEAGUES

BGA Legends Youth Leagues creates a competitive atmosphere where area youth can hone their athletic skills while having fun and exhibiting high standards of character and sportsmanship.

Legends Youth Leagues hosts seasonal leagues that are open to all students in the community. Students may sign up individually or as a team (preferred for football and basketball).

**FOOTBALL (FLAG & 7-ON-7)**

**SOCCER**

**BASKETBALL**

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