

Everything you need to know about BCRPD Summer Day Camps!

Greetings Summer Camp Participants!

Locations:

Camp Cherokee Younger: Honey Bowen Building, 1 Max Lockwood Drive. Camp will be for grades PK – 1st grades.

Camp Cherokee North: Mattie Lively Elementary, 204 Debbie Dr, Statesboro, GA 30458, Camp will be for grades PK -5th grades.

Camp Cherokee South: Brooklet Community Building, 416 Cromley Road, Brooklet. Camp will be for grades PK -5th grades.

Camp Cherokee Luetta Moore: Jones-Love Cultural Center 585 Martin Luther King Jr Dr Statesboro, GA 30458 grades 2nd -5th grades.

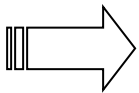
Weekly info:

We will send out a weekly letter for camp. These weekly letters will be sent to you via email, and you can also find weekly letters online at www.bullochrec.com. We will also use email to keep you informed.

Payment Info: Registration Fee - \$15 per person, Week 1 full payment of \$125 will be due at the time of Registration, plus \$25 deposit per additional week

Camp Cherokee: Monday – Friday from 7:30am-6:00pm = \$125 (Mattie Lively, Brooklet, Honey Bowen) / Luetta Moore = \$100/ per week

Late Pickup Fee: You will be charged \$5 every 15 minutes if your child is picked up after 6:05pm.



Please do NOT wear flip flops to camp! These cause most of our accidents in the summer – and it is just better to have on tennis shoes or sandals with back straps! Remember – the key is – CAN YOU RUN in them?!

Swimming:

- Camp sites: Younger, North, South will swim at SPLASH in the Boro each week of camp, while Luetta Moore will use swimming pool and splash pads at Luetta Moore Park
- Wear your swimsuit under clothing in the mornings of swim day! Bring change of clothes, towel & sunscreen. You can wear flip flops or sandals to Splash.
- Camp will leave the camp sites at 1:40pm for swim time. Please be on time! **Parents may NOT take their children to splash in the Boro after we have left the camp site.** We return by 3:30pm.
- If child is sensitive to sun – please sunscreen in the morning before leaving home for camp! Be sure you talk with your child's group leader if sunscreen needs to be applied often!
- Put your child's name on EVERYTHING!!! Even underwear!
- Swim days: **Wednesday:** Younger (Honey Bowen), **Thursday:** North (Mattie Lively), **Friday:** South (Brooklet)
- Luetta Moore camp will swim on **Wednesday Mornings** at the Luetta Moore pool

Fieldtrips:

Fieldtrip money is due **a week in advance** by the Monday prior to the week your child attends camp (this is the same day the weekly payment is due). Please be timely with payments – as this will help us in planning!

- Field Trip Days: **Tuesday:** South, **Wednesday:** North, **Thursday:** Younger, **Friday:** Luetta Moore

Additional Activities include: Art, science, games, reading, coloring, music, dramatic play, outdoor activities, fitness, etc. Activities are based on weekly themes that are developed by the camp staff. We are a recreation-based program, and we will have a variety of activities for both inside and outside. Parents are encouraged to sunscreen their child daily before coming to camp as well as send extra sunscreen for their child if it needs to be reapplied regularly throughout the day. Staff will also be reminded to reapply sunscreen on all children throughout the day.

Camp Drop off: We will have a staff person outside to greet children for entry until 8:30am. If you arrive and no one is outside, please call the number on the sign and someone will be right out to assist you. A staff person will check in your child and ensure they get to the appropriate location.

Camp Pick up:

1. Parents are allowed to walk in and show ID to pick-up child
2. Parents can remain the car and call site phone number with their pick-up flyer ready to display

Meals: We are participating in a summer feeding program with Second Harvest that will provide lunch for all attending camp. If you do not wish to participate in this program and would like to send your child's lunch, please feel free to do so. No microwavable items. Parents will need to provide a water bottle with their child daily and clearly labeled with your child's name are required.

Educational activities: We will offer educational activities throughout the summer with our new Summer Enrichment curriculum from MindWorks. We believe this may help our children to maintain a quality learning experience throughout the year. We do not inundate them with this – but we do offer some activities that will keep them on track, for example: STEM activities, board games, videos, clubs, etc. Please let us know if your child has any disability that would hinder their participation in this type of activity.

This Summer Camp is also an inclusive summer camp for children with special needs. If you have any questions about our special needs program, please contact Kaitlyn Henderson at **(912) 489-9059**.

If you have any questions about Summer Camp, contact Justin Smith at **(912) 489-9056** or justin.smith@bullochrec.com.