



Oregon Center for Children and Youth with Special Health Needs (OCCYSHN)

A camp experience can give a child both confidence and a sense of independence. There are many great camps for children with special health needs, but there are also many inclusive programs to consider that do an exceptional job of including all children. The camp guide below gives a partial list of local camps. In addition, there are websites that offer guides, checklists and pre-camp exploration tips that are useful for selecting a camp that will offer the greatest opportunity for the individual child and keep the child safe. The following sites are excellent resources:

American Camping Association (ACA) www.ACAcamps.org

National Center on Physical Activity and Disability (NCPAD) www.ncpad.org/discover/index.html

Nemours Foundation Kids Health for Parents www.kidshealth.org/parent (search term camp)

Don't forget, there is funding available for camp fees through OCCYSHN Family Support Program.
Call: 503 494-8303 or 1-877-307-7070.



CAMPS 2008: A Partial List of Local Special Needs and Inclusive Camps

*** Please verify all information with the individual camp and direct questions to them.*

CAMP	LOCATION	Day/Over night	PHONE	WEBSITE	AGES	SESSION DATES	COST
Inclusive Camps (all abilities)							
Camp Rivendale	Jenkins Estate Beaverton OR	D	503-629-6355 503-591-5319	www.thprd.org/facilities/jenkins_cr.cfm	6-21 (+ adult sessions)	6/25-8/17	In district: \$115/out of district \$192
Adventures Without Limits Community Based Activity Program (CBAP)	Forest Grove OR	D	503-359-2512	www.awloutdoors.com	5-18	June 24 – July31	Sliding scale
Boys & Girls Clubs	Portland Metro	D	503-232-0077	www.bgcportland.org	6-18	Year round	Cost varies
Special Olympics Hoop Camp	Beaverton OR	D	Steven Garrity 503-888-5058	www.hoopcamp.net	6-adult	June 19 - 21	\$50
Oregon Zoo Camp	Portland OR	D/O	503-220-2781	www.oregonzoo.org/Education/families/families_daycamps.htm	5-13	June-August	Cost varies Scholarships available

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Boy Scouts of America	Various NW locations	D/O	Derrick Clark 503-226-3423	www.cpcbsa.org	7-18	June-August	Call or go to website
Girl Scouts Columbia River Girl Scouts Santiam Girl Scouts Western Rivers Girl Scouts Winema	Portland Metro Salem-Newport Mid/Central OR Southern OR	D/O	1-800-338-5248 1-800-875-2451 1-800-522-8772 1-800-443-9288	www.girlscoutscrc.org www.girlscoutsofsantiam.org www.wrgirlscouts.org www.girlscoutswinema.org	Grades K-12	June - August	See brochures on websites or call for details

** Many city and county Parks and Recreation Programs have both inclusive and special needs activities and day camps. Check your local phone book or search www.disabilitycompass.org

Various Disabilities

Mt Hood Kiwanis Camp	Mt. Hood OR	O	503-452-7416 x101	www.mhkc.org	9-adult	June-August	\$700-750/ partial scholarships
Southern Oregon Camp Kiwanis (DD/physical)	Bridge OR	O	Wendy Millard 541-882-8078	www.campsock.org	Child - adult	July 15-18	\$450 Scholarships available
Northwest Kiwanis Camp	Chimacum WA	O	360-732-7222	www.kiwaniscamp.com	6 - 60	July - August	\$700 Partial scholarship
Camp Easter Seal	Vaughn WA	D	503-228-5108 1-800-556-6020	www.or.easterseals.com	7 - adult	July - August	\$660 Partial scholarships
BEAT Horse Lovers Camp	Banks OR	D	503-324-3071	www.beatriding.org	7 - 18	July – inclusive August – Disabilities	\$250/week
Camp Attitude	Foster OR	O	541-367-3420	www.campattitude.com	Children & adults Also Family Camp	August 3 – 9 (Call for Family Camp dates)	\$500/person Scholarships available
Portland Parks Disabled Citizens Recreation	Portland Metro	D	503-823-4328 V/TDD	www.portlandonline.com/parks/ (Search DCR)	Youth - Adults	Year round	Call for details

Autism/Asperger Syndrome

Mt Hood Kiwanis Autism Camp	Oral Hull Park Sandy OR	O	503-452-7416	www.mhkc.org	9 - adult	July: 4 sessions	\$700
Autistic Children's Activity Program (ACAP)	Portland Metro	D	503-649-2066	<a href="http://www.autismwebsite.com/acap/su
mmer.htm">www.autismwebsite.com/acap/su mmer.htm	5-21 Portland metro only	Call for details	Call for details
Kind Tree Autism Camp/Retreat	Florence OR	O	541-521-7208	www.kindtree.org	All ages + families & care givers	August 22 - 24	\$100 individual + family & care giver rates/scholarships
Social Communication Clinic	Philomath OR	D	541-207-7674	None-call for information	School age	June - August	Call for fees
SLP Service, LLC	Portland Metro	D	503-228-2942	www.socialskillsgroup.net	5-17	July – August (apply before 6/16/08)	Call for 2008 fees (2007: \$800 – 1000)

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ADD/HD/LD							
Gately Summer Academy	Northeast Portland	D	Susan Decker 503-215-2672	www.providence.org/gately (search <i>Summer Academy</i>)	9-12	June-July	\$95/week
DD/MR/Behavioral							
Upward Bound Recreational Camp for Persons w/ Special Needs	Statewide	O	503-897-2447	www.upwardboundcamp.org	12+	July-September	\$495
ARC of Washington Co.	Aloha OR	D	Jennifer 503-649-6110	(Under construction)	4-21	June 23 – August 22	Hourly rate: \$5.00/hr
ARC of Lane Co. Summer Recreation Program	Springfield OR	D	541-343-5256	www.arclane.org/Services/Youth Rec.htm	5 – 21	Year round & Summer Day Camp July-Aug.	Daily rates
Asthma							
Am. Lung Assn. WA	Varies sites WA	D/O	800-548-8252	www.alaw.org (search <i>Camp</i>)	6 -17	June - August	Cost varies by site
Arthritis							
Kat-Fish Camp	Stanwood WA	O	800-746-1821	www.arthritis.org/chapters/pacific-northwest	Kids/teens families/ caretakers	June 20 - 21	No charge
Cancer							
Kids N’ Cancer: Camp Agape at Camp Angelos	Corbett OR	O	503-232-3487	www.camp-agape.org Call for details & to register	1 - 18 & families	August 2 - 7	Free
Camp UKANDU American Cancer Society	Rockaway OR	O	Emily Satterly 503-795-3914	www.cancer.org Call for details & to register	8-17 + one sib	July 27 - August 2	No charge
Camp Millennium	Roseburg OR	O	541-677-0600	www.campmillennium.org	5-16	June 15 - 22	Free
Deaf/Hard of hearing							
Northwest Christian Camp for the Deaf	Rockaway	O	503-390-2433 voice/TDD	www.gmdeaf.org	8-adult; 3+ with families	July 20 - 26	Various rates/ scholarships available
Camp Taloali	Stayton OR	O	503-769-6415 (TDD)	www.taloali.org	9-18	June 29-July 5 July 6 -12	\$40 1st session (if attend 2 sessions, \$300 for the 2nd)
Speech and Hearing							
Meadowood Camp	Pendleton OR	O	541- 276-2752	www.meadowoodsprings.org	6-16	July 4 – 13 July 18 - 27	\$1200/sponsorship available

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Blind							
Oral Hull Youth Camp	Sandy OR	O	503-668-6195	www.oralhull.org	10+ Adults	Call for 2008 dates	Call for details
Burn							
Northwest Burn Foundation Camp Eyabsut	Seattle WA	O	206-789-6838 1-888-662-8767	www.nwburn.org/summercamp.htm	Burn survivors 7 - 17	July 20 - 26	Free to AK, MT, ID, OR, & WA residents
Diabetes							
Gales Creek Camp	Banks OR	O	503-968-2267	www.galescreekcamp.org	K-12	May - August	\$350/Scholarships available (Newcomers \$250)
Bleeding disorders							
Camp Tapawingo	Falls City OR	O	503-297-7207	www.hfo.info	1st grade complete thru age 15	August 3 - 9	\$65 Reg. Scholarships available
PKU							
PKU Family Camp	Antelope OR	O	Stacy Hofman 541-489-3179	www.wildhorse.younglife.org Call for details re. PKU Camp	Children & families	Call for 2008 dates	\$80 per person/ age 2 & under-free
Muscular Dystrophy							
MDA Summer Camp	Springfield OR Welches OR	O	541-686-2753 503-223-3177	www.mda.org Call for details & to register	6-21	July 20 - 26 July 13 - 19	No charge
Grief support							
Camp Erin	Boring OR	O	541-461-7577	www.providence.org/hospice (search <i>Camp Erin</i>)	6-17	August 22 – 24	No charge
Courageous Kids	Near Eugene	O	541-461-7577	www.peacehealth.org/Oregon/CourageousKids.htm	6 - 18	August 3 - 7	Call for details
Sports Programs							
Special Olympics	Statewide	D	503-248-0600 800-452-6079	www.soor.org	8+	Year round & Olympics Summer Games June 27 - 29	Call for details
TOPSoccer Program	Statewide	D	503-626-4625 800-626-4625	www.oregonyouthsoccer.org	5-19	Soccer season Someyear round indoor	Donation
Oregon Disability Sports	Statewide	D	503-241-0850 800-869-8180	www.oregondisabilitysports.net	All ages	See Resource Directory on web site	Call for details
Wheelchair Racing	Eugene OR	D	541-485-1860	www.efn.org/~wwscoach/	K-12/adult	Call for details	Call for details