

Camp Alpha

Weekly Adventures 2014

“Are you ready for the summer? Are you ready for the Good Times?...”:

June 30th – July 4th **“Good Times together”:** “It’s a “Dynamite!!!” time to get to know all the new campers this summer by participating in a new “Speed Friending” Game in the morning and then in the afternoon the campers will create a friendship bracelet or necklace. On Tuesday July 1st it is **CANADA Day and the centre will be CLOSED.** On Wednesday the campers will get to decorate and make their own camp shirt. Then off to the movies to catch the newest movie being seen at the theatre. Thursday will be full of fun participating in our TEAM Building exercises as this will help to develop friendships with the other campers and then in the afternoon off we go to create and design Alpha’s very own PHOTO Booth. Friday get ready to smile for the cameras as the children will pose by themselves or with others in the PHOTO Booth. Afterwards they will relax with their morning tea before heading off to cool down at the splash pad in the afternoon.

July 7th – July 11th **“Alpha’s FIFA World Cup”:** “Olé, olé, olé, olé, we are the champions”. We will start the week off by creating our very own FIFA trophy and then in the afternoon they will make their own flag to represent their country for Alpha’s FIFA tournament. Tuesday the campers will be preparing their teams own soccer chant. Then to get in the spirit of our World Cup event the campers will watch the Semis on TV in the afternoon. Wednesday the campers delve into creating and decorating their own sound shakers for tomorrow’s game. The afternoon will be spent watching the semis on TV. It all comes down to Thursday the day of the Alpha’s FIFA Cup Tournament at Chingaucousy Park where the players will have the soccer tournament in the morning and after eating lunch at the park they will get a chance to cool down at the Splash Pad. Friday the children will have a soccer clinic at their local park in the morning and visit their local splash pad in the afternoon.

July 14th – July 18th **“H’OH!”:** Lets slip and slide into a new week. Monday morning the campers will have fun doing some Kool-Aid to decorate the room and then the afternoon will be spent preparing to get soaked as the campers will battle off against each other in a water sponge race. Tuesday the children will challenge themselves again with a Penny Drop game and later on in the day they will test their taste buds to see how well they know their water with a “Water Testing Game”. Wednesday the children will get to explore what it is like to be underwater at the “Aquarium” in Toronto. Thursday the campers will decorate the front of the centre with sidewalk chalk and paint to help make the centre more inviting and in the afternoon the blanket water balloon toss challenge will begin. The children will end the week off with a relaxing tea and make their very own snow globe aquarium. Then in the afternoon off to the local park to cool down at the Splash pad.

July 21st – July 25th **“Alpha’s Athletic Survivor”:** Lets watch and see which tribes can out wit and out last the camp teachers. The children will start this week off playing a “Minute to win it” and after lunch they will compete in our “Booce” tournament at their local park. Tuesday the campers will head off to Heart Lake Conservation Area and participate in our “Survivor Games”. Wednesday the campers will be off to play baseball at the park and in the afternoon the children will make their own pennants and posters for the Blue Jay game tomorrow. Thursday the campers will have a fun tour of the Air Canada Centre in the morning and after lunch cheering on the Toronto Blue Jays at the Roger centre. The campers will end their week playing play Paint Tag and after lunch going to their local Splash Pad.

July 28th – Aug. 1st **“Culinary Creations”:** “Sugar.... Ah! Honey, Honey”. The campers will begin the week playing our Marshmallow Dodge game and after lunch will make the “World’s largest Banana Split Sundae and then eat it!” Tuesday begins with “Alpha’s Fear Factor” and then in the afternoon the children will be visited by a Mad Scientist who will create some kitchen concoctions. Wednesday the campers will divide into groups and bake a cake for their cake boss challenge in the afternoon who’s cake will please the boss. Thursday the campers will participate in a Cooking class at the Super Centre where they make their own pizza and cupcake for their lunch. The campers will finish the week off by relaxing with their morning tea and making their own smoothie. While finishing off the day refreshed at their local splash pad being refreshed.

Aug. 4th - Aug. 8th **“Creatures of Habit”:** **MONDAY is the CIVIC Holiday and the Centre will be CLOSED.** The campers will start the week off looking at all the creepy, creatures that lurk in the night followed by creating their very own clay creature. Wednesday the campers will be heading off to the lions, tigers and bears, Oh my!, at the Toronto ZOO where they will get to visit all the wild jungle animals. Thursday begin with a BUG Hunt in the morning at the park followed by Overnight Camp preparations. Friday will be pajama day and the campers will have a chance to relax with their tea and watch movies. Don’t forget your electronics as it is electronic day as well!

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Aug. 11th – Aug. 15th **“Game of Thrones”:** On Monday our Lords and Ladies will be participating in “Alpha’s Royal Chess Competition.” After their royal feast the King and Queens will then play a variety of board games with the other dignitaries. Tuesday royalty will create their own board complete with instructions for others to learn to play their game. Wednesday the campers will divide into groups and play “Quiddich” followed by a Card tournament. On Thursday the pheasants will cheer on their favourite Knight when they go to Medieval Times. However the pheasants will need to bring their own grub. The dignitaries will come dressed in their fancy outfits on Friday to participate in “Alpha’s Royal Pot Luck Banquet Feast”. Then cool off at their local Splash pad.

Aug. 18th – Aug. 22nd **“Big Bang Theory”:** This week will “start off with a Big Bang.” The campers will divide into groups and begin the week creating a Science Project and try not to get lost in our Laser Maze. Tuesday the campers will explore everything around them using their senses at the Ontario Science Centre. Wednesday will be spent working on their science projects and posters in preparation for the big Science Fair Friday. Thursday the Mad Scientist will visit the camp followed by a Bottle Rockets Launch. “Bazinga”, the week flew by and the campers will close the week by having a science fair Judging in the morning while relaxing with their morning tea and in the afternoon they will be refreshed at their local Splash Pad.

Aug. 26th – Aug. 30th **“Final Frontier!”** The campers will begin the week practicing their singing talent for the show they will be performing. In the afternoon they will be spent performing “Alpha’s Voice”. at each centre for the other children to see. Tuesday the children will go to “Laser Quest” and try to beat the teachers and the afternoon will be spent creating time capsule for the class and bury it. On Wednesday the campers will have fun creating and participating in their very own obstacle course followed by a visit to their local splash pad. Thursday morning will be spent creating and decorating their own autograph book to record messages and memories from summer 2014. The afternoon will be spent making decorations for the “End of Summer Party”. It’s the final count down before school so the campers will enjoy getting together with their friends, having PIZZA Party and D.J Dance together.