

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Hello campers! I am anxious to begin my third year as the director of our summer program. I am eager to begin this new venture and look forward to a safe and enjoyable summer program.

The Broadalbin-Youth Commission will be providing its summer recreational program, which is available to all school-aged children in grades K-8. The fee this year is \$25 per camper. Families with 3 or more children will pay \$20 per child. This year's program will run from **Monday June 27th through Friday August 5th** at the Broadalbin-Perth High School. The day program runs Monday through Friday from 9am until 12 noon. **We kindly ask all parents pick up their children promptly at 12 noon.** Please make the necessary arrangements for your child's pick up. While situations sometimes are out of our control, we understand an occurrence of being late to pick your child. However, frequent abuse cannot be tolerated. Therefore, children who are not picked up on time face a warning on the first offense, the second offense is a one (next) day suspension from the program and the third offense is suspension from the program completely. I hope you understand the importance of our request.

As in the past we will run a beach bus on Monday and Wednesday afternoons to the Mayfield Town Beach. Children will need to be present at the morning session in order to attend the beach bus. We will be leaving the high school parking lot **promptly at 12:00**. The bus will return to the high school by **3:00**. Everyone is urged to bring a bagged lunch on beach days and will dine at the beach. Domino's Pizza is available for \$1 a slice everyday at the beach.

Attached you will find a schedule of this summers' events and scheduled trips. Each participant must have a signed permission slip in order to go on the trip for that day. We ask that all trip sign ups are completed prior to or on the designated deadline. This will assist us in being organized. There are **no refunds** available for the trips. Please plan accordingly.

The mission of the Broadalbin Youth Commission is to provide a safe, quality environment that will allow children to develop a positive self-image, through the constructive use of leisure time. This program is structured so that each individual can acquire desirable social, emotional, and physical fitness appropriate for their age group. This program is designed to offer every participant an equal opportunity to participate in a variety of activities. I have already expressed my upmost concern for safety and security to the counselors. On that note, please do not send your child to the program with skateboards. If your child is riding his/her bike to the program, please be sure a helmet is worn. The bike cannot be ridden during program.

There will be a snack time each day where a variety of snacks and drinks will be available to purchase. Most items cost between 50 cents and one dollar. All proceeds benefit the summer recreation program. Children may also bring their own snack and/or drink from home. Drinks are highly encouraged as this is primarily an outdoor program and the children need to remain hydrated. A water fountain is always available to the children as well.

We are accepting extra board games, arts and craft supplies, or child oriented rainy day movies if anyone would like to **donate** to us. In addition, any ideas or donations of time would be welcomed. If you have a project or a talent/skill to share with our campers, please contact me and we will place you in our schedule. Our campers are always looking for something new and exciting especially from people in our community! Thank you!!

Our summer program will be in the High School in room 1200. When entering our building, please use the entrance in the back of the High School, in back of the gym. There is a \$25 fee which is due upon registration. This includes the required shirt which **must be worn on all field trips**.

Please fill out the **registration fee, form** and **code of conduct form** and mail to me at:

Dianne Magliocca, BYC Summer Recreation Director
109 Golf Course Road
Amsterdam, NY 12010 **OR:**

Bring it to the Village Municipal Building on Friday, June 17th from 3:30-6pm. I will be there that evening to answer any questions you may have, accept registrations, and collect trip money. Students may also register on the first day of the program, beginning at 9am on June 27th.

Please visit our website www.byckids.com and click on the Summer Recreational link. If there are any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (518) 842-5405. My counselors and I are looking forward to providing another safe, enjoyable, and successful summer program!

Sincerely,

Dianne Magliocca,

BYC Summer Recreational Director