



GRADES 2+3



Happy Days summer information booklet 2019

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Hello parents/guardians!

School's out for the summer, which means only one thing... Time for summer camp at the DBYLC! We're very thrilled to welcome you and your child to our summer camp family this year. We hope to achieve our goals of creating a very fun and happy experience for all campers and parents/guardians. It is in our best interest to put a smile on everyone's faces at the end of every day, so this year with the activities we have planned, we assure you your child will make the best of memories here at camp!

The coordinators for Grades 2 and 3 will be Angelo Rosato and Carlie Sznerch.

This summer marks Angelo's 5th year at camp and 2nd year as a coordinator. He was a coordinator for the 2017-2018 Friday night Teen Spirit program and 2019 Youth Fest coordinator. Last year, he experienced being the behind the scenes of all the universal camp events as a Special Events coordinator, and this year, with past camp experience with this age group, he is very happy and excited to work as a coordinator for campers in grades 2 and 3.

This summer marks Carlie's 4th year at camp and 1st year as coordinator. From being a camper through Smiley Bunch, Happy Days, and Teen Spirit to an Animator In Training, she is very knowledgeable on camp life! She was also a coordinator for the 2018-2019 Friday night Future Leaders program. Last year, she was an animator for Teen Spirit, so this year, with past camp experience with this age group, she is very eager to experience camp with the younger ones again. We can't wait to see you walk through those DBYLC doors and we wish you all a joyous summer! Please see our rules & regulations page for more info ☺ Should you have any questions, comments or concerns, feel free to contact us at 514-648-0042. Please also note that we would very grateful in accepting donations of any of the following items for our center: soccer balls, arts & crafts supplies, buckets, paint & paint brushes, water guns and any summer sport equipment that would benefit our programming. Thank you!

Please cut along the dotted line so that your child may give this completed form to their animator.

Happy Days – Grades 2&3: Permission Form Summer 2019

Please **check YES or NO** to indicate if your child is attending an outing.

Please also note:

- Campers must wear their Camp T-shirt for identification and security purposes (camp t-shirts of previous years may be worn in case).
- If your child does not attend the outing, they will be put in another center for the day. This does not apply on our Universal outing on July 10th (movies). All the centers will be closed on that day.

* This form does not include the Walk-a-Thon annual Fundraiser.

Camper Name:		Group number:
Parent name:	Phone:	Signature:

Date	Outing	Yes	No
1. Thursday, July 4 th , 2019	Strawberry Picking (Grades K,I,2,3 only)		
2. Wednesday, July 10 th , 2019	Cinema Guzzo (Universal Outing)		
3. Thursday, July 25 th , 2019	Carnival Day (Grades K,I,2,3 only)		
4. Wednesday, July 31 st , 2019	Rabbids Amusement Park		
5. Friday, August 9 th , 2019	Big Show		

Rules & Regulations of Centre 2+3

PARENTS:

- A camp day is from **9AM to 4PM**. We ask that you drop off your child on time on the 2nd floor of the YLC.
- Daycare hours are from **7AM to 9AM** and **4PM to 6PM**. Please respect these times by dropping them off/picking them up between these times. We cannot open the doors earlier and we cannot close them later.
- Please provide a note or call us to advise about early dismissals. You cannot, and we repeat, **CANNOT** show up to camp without writing a note in the morning or calling before the pick-up. This is part of our camp protocol for the safety of your child.
- The only entrance to be used by parents and campers is the parking lot entrance.
- Please make sure that your child comes to camp prepared with:
sunscreen, baseball cap, healthy (nut free) lunch + snacks, 1-2 water bottles, closed shoes + socks, bathing suit + towel.
- Note that updates on the Don Bosco YLC Facebook page will be posted every week with photos. These photos will be deleted when the camp season ends.



Rules & Regulations of Centre 2+3

CAMPERS:

Please read the following rules together 😊

1. **SAFEFUN:** This is our camp's Golden Rule. You can have as much fun as you want, but always be safe first! Put your safety before your fun!
2. **RESPECT:** It's important to stay respectful to our coordinators, animators, and fellow campers. We all want to have a good time at camp, but we can only do so if we are kind to each other, listening, and following the rules.
3. **RESPECT YOUR ENVIRONMENT:** Clean up after yourself anywhere you go to eat and do arts & crafts! We like to keep our centre clean, as well as parks! Find a nearby garbage bin/recycling bin and throw your trash there. This also means keeping decorations in all centres how they are and to not vandalize!
4. **NO FOOD CONTAINING NUTS:** Nut allergies are very common, so do not bring food containing nuts to camp! You don't want to harm others.
5. **DO NOT BRING SOMETHING YOU DO NOT WANT TO LOSE/BREAK:** We all have that one toy we want to show off to our friends and animators, but at camp, it's important to leave them at home so that they don't get lost or ruined. We are not responsible for any broken/stolen items.
6. **SMILE 😊😊😊:** Have a great time!! Laugh!! Smile!! We want to see those pearly whites everywhere you go!!



2+3 Summer Theme

Little Travellers – with each group making up their own country and flag, campers will experience being a world traveller! Each animator will hold their “passport” that can be stamped when “visiting” and learning about a country. In addition, there will be a points system in the style of flyer miles: groups can accomplish daily tasks, theme day tasks, and camp tasks for points. These points can be accumulated to win prizes! Who doesn’t love learning and prizes?!?



2+3 Theme Days

Olympics

Every week, we'll be having a center challenge day where all countries (groups) will be paired up and competing against each other in sports, games, and races under a points system. Points that are redeemed go towards winning special surprises!

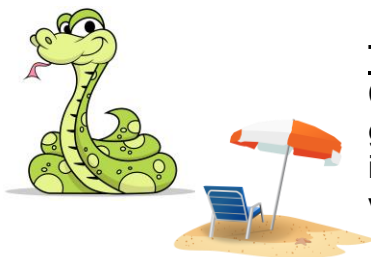


Canada Day

The camp is open and we will be going to Parc Armand-Bombardier to celebrate Canada Day with many fun and interesting activities! What better way to follow a world camp theme than to celebrate our own country!

Reptile Show

Have you ever seen a reptile up-front and in-person? Well now you have the chance to! Erica Samm will be coming to our 2+3 center to present her cool and freaky exotic reptiles!



The Beach Comes to RDP

Campers and animators will be going to the waterpark near Maxi in RDP to celebrate the East-End version of a beach day!

Halloween

oooOOooOooOOooo!!! we're bringing Halloweentown to Happy Days summer camp! On this theme day, campers are welcome to dress up in costumes (with a change of clothes) to celebrate the spooky and enchanted mysteries of HallowEEEEEEEEEEEntown!



Scavenger Hunt

All campers of 2+3 will become little camp spies for the day trying to find clues and surprises, all while having a grand, ol' time!

Water Day

What's summer without a water day? This day will be filled with water games, races, and activities!



Animator Appreciation Day

We all love our animators, so why not show them that love and appreciation?! Everyone deserves a pat on the back for their hard work!



Turn page for info on outings and more!



2+3 Outings

Strawberry picking

Campers from 2+3 and Smiley Bunch + grade 1 will be spending a beautiful day out picking delicious Quebec strawberries to bring back home for their families to enjoy as well!



Carnival Day

Held at East Hill School, grades 2+3 will be having a Disney themed carnival day with Smiley Bunch and grade 1!! From inflatables to face painting, all campers are guaranteed to have a great time.

Rabbids Amusement Park

Campers will plunge into the adventures of the Ubisoft World by experiencing virtual reality, playing in ball pits, arcade games, mazes, and more!



The following events and outings are organized by the Special Events coordinators

Universal Theme Days

Carnival Day – campers will get to enjoy inflatables, face painting, and many other fun carnival activities!

Splash Away Day – it's not a summer without a water day filled with water games!

Derby Race – each centre will have their own designated handmade go kart that will be pushed around a race track to compete against each other in our annual Derby Race! Let's go 2+3, let's go!

Talent Show – campers get to show off their talents like a dance, a song, solving a Rubik's cube in a minute, and many more!

Walk-A-Thon – every year, campers, animators, family members, and friends donate around \$5000 that goes toward a good cause, leading up to the annual Walk-A-Thon where we walk from Samuel-Morse Park all the way to, the newly named, Don-Bosco Park

Big Show – a perfect closing to every camp season! All Smiley Bunch, Happy Days, and Teen Spirit groups perform in front of their family and friends to show off their incredible dance moves! This is held on the first day of the summer feast in RDP.



Universal Outings

Toy Story 4 – Yes! You're reading right! Toy Story 4 is out and we're all going to watch it at Cinema Guzzo in Saint-Leonard!

DEK Hockey Tournament – every year we play a friendly ball hockey tournament in honor of the late Joe Tortorici, a beloved YLC leader. All friends and families are welcome to enjoy the sport on Saturday, July 20th !! There will be food, games, and other family activities, too!!! ☺





WE DISMISS OUTSIDE AT 4pm!

In order to facilitate the dismissal of the campers, we ask that you please respect this time and wait for your children at the designated entrance at East Hill or YLC. At that moment, we will accompany them outside and you will then be able to pick up your child. Please note that campers will not be dismissed to parents waiting in their cars. We ask that you pick up your children at the entrance. For those that have children at East Hill and at the YLC. Please pick up your child at East Hill FIRST. You have a 30 minute "grace period". Plenty of time so don't stress 😊



Dismissal can become very hectic and we understand that finding a parking spot around the school and YLC may not be an easy task. However, for the safety of all our campers and to simplify the dismissal process, we ask that you please not double park in front of East Hill school and YLC entrances. Police will be doing regular checkups and issuing tickets. Don't take the risk. Park your car and get some sunshine!



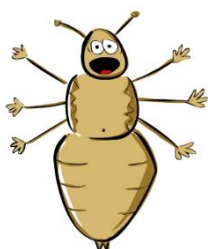
No NUT products allowed!

Due to many severe allergies, we ask you not to bring any products that contain or may contain peanuts, nuts or traces of any other nuts to camp. Parents who have children with nut allergies, please be advised that we cannot guarantee that our center locations and other children's lunches will be nut free. We will be vigilant but please advise your child not to share or accept snacks and food from others. Please share with us the severity of the allergies.

Bullying Definition at the YLC summer camps

The approved interpretation of what our summer camps define as bullying is; ***The conscious and deliberate and consistent effort by a camper or campers to belittle or damage the self-worth of another camper.***

"Teasing" or random name calling is not bullying. It is at times, a common situation by some children regardless of their age. The YLC is very attentive and supportive to those children who may be suffering from bullying at their schools. Please share any information about your child's self-esteem and reputation at school. We will help them (if they are the bullies and/or getting bullied). Our goal is to empower each child in our care to become beacons of light who all have unique gifts and talents. All our campers will be reminded daily that they are all awesome kids!!!




Got Lice? Had Lice? Think your child has lice? Please alert your child's coordinator immediately!

Do not send your child to camp unless they have had treatment for at least 3 days. Do not jeopardize the participation and attendance of our camps for other children! Lice spreads quickly in a big camp setting! We know that this may put your family in a difficult situation but it's just the right thing to do! Please be aware that if as a camp team, we feel you have knowingly put other children in jeopardy, we will ask you to reimburse the days those affected children who have to miss camp days. Failure to comply will then have an effect on your child missing camp days. Please let us work together for a lice free summer! Thank you!

TWO TIPS: TIE THE HAIR IN A PONYTAIL AND WEAR A BASEBALL CAP EVERYDAY AT CAMP!

CENTRE 2+3 with Coordinators Carlie & Angelo ☺☺

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
WEEK 1	24  St. Jean Baptiste	25 	26 	FIRST DAY 27 Summer Camp 	28 	
WEEK 2	we're open! 1  CANADA DAY @ Parc Armand Bombardier	2 Camp Activities 	3 OLYMPICS 	4 Strawberry Picking 	5 CARNIVAL DAY 	
WEEK 3	8 Camp Activities 	9 OLYMPICS 	Disney · PIXAR 10 TOY STORY 4	11 REPTILE SHOW 	12 SPLASH AWAY DAY 	
WEEK 4	15 CAMP ACTIVITIES 	16 OLYMPICS 	17 The Beach Comes to RDP! 	18 Happy HALLOWEEN! 	19 DERBY RACE 	20 DEK HOCKEY TOURNAMENT @ Don Bosco Park 
WEEK 5	22 CAMP ACTIVITIES 	23 OLYMPICS 	24 SCAVENGER HUNT 	25  with Smiley & Grade 1	26 THE Talent SHOW 	
WEEK 6	29 CAMP ACTIVITIES 	30 OLYMPICS 	31 	1 WATER DAY 	2 WALK-A-THON 	
WEEK 7	5  Animator Appreciation Day	6 OLYMPICS FINALE 	7  BIG SHOW PRACTICE	8 FINAL CELEBRATION  Woo-Hoo!	 BIG SHOW	