

West Shore Recreation Commission

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Dear PlayZone Parent/Guardian:

Welcome to the West Shore Recreation Summer PlayZone Program! PlayZone is entering its 26th year of providing a fun experience for children over the summer. Enclosed are several forms of interest. Included are a consent form, a personality questionnaire and some staff information. **Please take a few moments to review, fill out and return the necessary forms to our office no later than June 1, 2017.** You may either fax, mail or drop off to our office/drop box.

Currently we are busy planning the many aspects of camp. Informational flyers containing specifics will be produced weekly and available to you by the Thursday before each week your child is enrolled in. These flyers will be posted at www.westshorerec.org or you may pick one up at the PlayZone sites. Until then, if you have any specific questions or concerns regarding the activities, pay schedule or anything else, please feel free to contact us (920-9515). Payment and registration questions should be directed to Janell Winebrenner or Sandra Farcht (ext. 101), while all other questions should go to Eric Stauffer (ext. 107). Reminder that final payments for all weeks must be made by June 1, to ensure your child's spot for the upcoming summer.

We thank you for your interest in this program, and it is our hope that this will be a fun and exciting summer for your child(ren).

Sincerely,

Eric J. Stauffer
Recreation Manager

WEEKLY SPECIAL EVENTS/ACTIVITIES:

Swimming:	1 to 2 days a week (Mondays & Wednesdays at West Shore Natatorium at RLHS) and occasional other outdoor pools
Local Trips:	Scheduled weekly (1 or 2 per week)
Arts & Crafts:	Weekly
Snacks:	Daily (a bag lunch should be sent with child)
Visitors:	As they can be scheduled



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WEST SHORE RECREATION SUMMER PLAYZONE 2017
Information & Consent Form

WEST SHORE RECREATION COMMISSION
Mailing Address: PO Box 413, Lewisberry, PA 17339
(Physical Address: 507 Fishing Creek Rd, Lewisberry, PA 17339)

WEST SHORE RECREATION SUMMER PLAYZONE LOCATIONS

Ages K-8 PrimaryZone
Building 1

Ages 9-12 SecondaryZone
Building 2

Fishing Creek Elementary
510 Fishing Creek Road, Lewisberry
Exit 36 - Interstate 83

Name of Child: _____ Birthdate: _____

Address: _____

E-Mail Address: _____

Mother's Name: _____ Father's Name: _____
(or legal guardian) (or legal guardian)

Mother's Home Address: _____ Phone: _____
_____ Cell: _____

Father's Home Address: _____ Phone: _____
_____ Cell: _____

Mother's Business Address: _____ Phone: _____

Father's Business Address: _____ Phone: _____

Name & Address of Emergency Contact Person (should parents be unavailable): Phone: _____

Name & Address of Child's Physician or Source of Medical Care: Phone: _____

List any special Disability: _____

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List Special Medical or Dietary Information Necessary for Management in an Emergency Situation -Allergies, Meds.

List Health Insurance Coverage for Child under Family Insurance Policy or Medical Assistance Benefits:

Insurer: _____
Policy # _____

PARENTAL CONSENT

Please initial each line and provide necessary information where appropriate.
Written Consent is Given For:

- _____ Emergency Medical Care
- _____ Administration of Prescription Medication
(Physician's current written instructions must be provided)
- _____ Administration of Non-Prescription Medications
(Please list all that may be administered and dosage) _____
- _____ Administration of Special Dental or Dietary Needs
(Please list all that may be administered and dosage)
- _____

_____ I give authorization for my child to be released only to the following three individuals (addition to parents):

I hereby attest that the information listed on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I also give consent to the items initialed. I hereby waive any claims for bodily injury, property damage or other liability against West Shore Recreation Commission, West Shore School District and their respective agents, servants and /or employees while my child is participating in the summer PlayZone 2017 program.

Signature of: _____ Date: _____
Parent or Legal Guardian

Printed name of: _____
Parent or Legal Guardian

This form should be returned with your June 1 payment. If this form is not returned prior to the first day, your child will be unable to attend Camp until a completed form is provided.

PERSONALITY QUESTIONNAIRE

Child's Name _____

Please circle the most appropriate description of your child to give us an idea of your child's personality. We need to plan activities and get a little background. Feel free to explain your answers. The more we know about your child, the better prepared we can be to serve their needs.

1. As the parent/guardian, do you have an interesting hobby or job that you would be willing to share with our PlayZone program?

2. Is your child outgoing / shy?

3. Does your child like group / individual activities?

4. Does your child have good listening skills? Yes / No

5. Is your child a follower / leader?

6. Does your child like quiet / noisy games?

7. Does your child share? Yes / No

8. Does your child have a long / short attention span?

9. Can your child tie his/her shoes and skates? Yes / No

10. Can your child dress themselves? Yes / No swimsuit? Yes / No

11. What are your child's favorite things to do? _____

12. Is your child big / small / normal for their age?

13. Is your child mature / immature for their age?

14. Does your child have any learning disabilities? Explain. _____

15. Does your child know what foods he/she can and cannot eat in case of food allergies? Yes / No
16. Does your child show signs of homesickness? Yes / No
17. Does your child have a friend attending day camp? Yes / No Who? _____
18. Is your child creative? Yes / No
19. What places has your child visited? _____

20. Has your child ever traveled by: Plane - Train - Car - Bus
21. Does your child display aggressive / passive behavior?
22. How do you discipline your child? _____

23. What are your child's strong points? _____

24. What are your child's weak points? _____

25. Does your child have any extreme fears? (the dark - storms?) _____



Meet the PlayZone Team!

PrimaryZone

"Amicable Abby", a resident of Eppers, Red Land HS graduate. Abby is pursuing a B.A. in Special Education. She is currently a Support Paraprofessional for 3rd - 5th grade at Washington Heights Elementary School with basic military training, United States Air Force.

Talent: play clarinet

Favorite Superhero: Thor

Sports: softball

Pets: my cats, Cali, Minnie & Bear

Free Time: crafts, painting, sketching, hiking and just relaxing

Best thing to happen this year: changing my major to Education

Greatest Fear: spiders

Best Movie/Book: "Alice in Wonderland" and "The Good Dinosaur"

Favorite Candy: Skittles

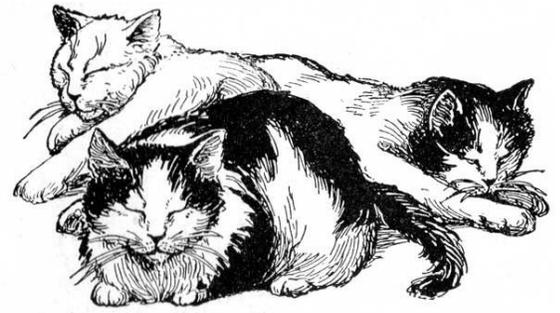
Something I can do well: I like to put a smile on people's faces

Favorite Teacher: Professor Burns because she truly cared about her students

I would like to talk to: Stephen Hawking because he's a genius

If I could go anywhere in the world it would be: Iceland

If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . my cellphone, computer and my Kindle



"Marvelous Maura", a resident of Camp Hill, Cedar Cliff HS graduate and student at Penn State - Harrisburg with a major in Psychology.



Favorite Superhero: Spiderman

Sports: volleyball, hockey and soccer

Pets: my dog, Jazzy

Free Time: shop, spend time outdoors, read, and spend time with my family

Best thing to happen this year: I am so excited about working with the PZ Campers

Best Movie: "The Notebook" and "Frozen"

Favorite Candy: Reese's Peanut Butter Eggs

Something I can do well: love to give others compliments

Favorite Season: Fall . . . I love sweaters, hot cocoa & Fall festivals. Summer too . . . being outside everyday

Favorite Teacher: was Mrs. P. . . because instead of making me take a nap, I would help her set up the craft activity every day

If I could go anywhere in the world . . . it would be Monte Carlo or Greece

"Kool Kaitlin", a resident from New Cumberland and graduate of Red Land, B.A. in English from Penn State University. Returning to PlayZone for her 4th year.

Talents: play piano

Favorite Superhero: Batman

Pets: my dogs, Lola and Sasha

Free Time: crafts, read, write, go fishing and shopping

Best thing to happen this year: graduating from college!

What I do well: reading, writing, and crafting

Greatest Fear: spiders, snakes and clowns

Best Movie/Book: "*Big Little Lies* by Liane Moriarty"

Favorite Teacher: my professors during my last year of college; they helped me stay motivated all throughout my final year, along with reminding me that growing up isn't so bad

Favorite Candy: *Sour Patch Kids*

Sport you like to play or watch: football, baseball and hockey

If I could go anywhere in the world . . . it would be Italy to explore the Italian culture

If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . a device that plays music, telescope, and a *Harry Potter* book



PlayZone (Floater for Primary & Secondary)

"Kindhearted Katilyn", a resident of Eppers, graduate of Red Land HS, now attending Lock Haven University, majoring in Secondary Education.

Sports to watch or play: volleyball & college football

Pets: my dogs, Gracie, Sadie & Jax

Free Time: read, travel, take photos and spend time outdoors with friends & family

Best thing to happen this year: starting my 1st year of college

Best Movie/Book: "*Hidden Figures*"

Favorite Season: Summer, because of the warm weather, beach and outdoor time

Favorite Candy: *Sweet Tart Ropes*

Something I can do well: photography and crafting

If I could go anywhere in the world it would be: Fiji or Europe

Favorite Teacher: Mrs. Butler because she pushed me & helped me become a better student



If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . a good book, camera & photos of loved ones

SecondaryZone

"Loud Laura", a resident of Lewisberry, Red Land HS graduate, University of Pittsburgh - Bradford. Longtime former camper, volunteer aide and returning for her 4th year as a PlayZone staff member.

Favorite Superhero: Robin (Batman's sidekick)

Sports: hockey

Favorite Season: summer, because there isn't any studying!

Free Time: a big fan of taking walks while listening to music and watching NetFlix

Best thing to happen this year: offered a graphic design internship

Greatest Fear: the dark

Best Movie/Book: any "Avengers" movie, I could watch them over and over

Favorite Candy: chocolate, any and all kinds!

Favorite Teacher: Judy Hopkins because she was tough, but a great teacher

I would like to talk to: Alan Tudyk, he plays so many different characters, it would be cool to see who he is in person

If I could go anywhere in the world . . . it would be St Petersburg Russia

If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . my iPod, my cell phone, and that book I've been meaning to read



"Stupendous Samantha", a resident of Camp Hill, Cedar Cliff graduate and now attending Penn State - Brandywine as a senior, majoring in psychology. This is Samantha's second summer at PZ!



Talents: play guitar

Sports: football

Pets: a big orange cat named Little One

Favorite Season: summer, because the sun is shining and I get to come to camp everyday ☺

Free Time: read, write, cosplay, hike, cook, and go on adventures

Best thing to happen this year: spending my spring break in Disney World!

Greatest Fear: clowns and parrots

Best Movie: "Moonrise Kingdom"

Favorite Candy: anything dark chocolate and raspberry

Favorite Teacher: Mrs. Plantz because she always told awesome stories that had the best life lessons in them

Something I can do well: I write really well! I've been published twice!

I would like to talk to: Stan Lee, the father of Marvel Comics, because I am a total comic book nerd and enthusiast

If I could go anywhere in the world: it would be Italy and Norway

If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . my comic book collection, bottle of hot sauce (it makes everything better) and my cat, Little One

"Terrific Tori", a resident of Lewisberry, Red Land HS graduate and a Junior at Penn State - Harrisburg, majoring in Psychology. Victoria is a proficient swimmer and this will be her 2nd year as a PlayZone staff member.

Favorite Superhero: Hawkeye

Sports: football, especially Penn State

Pets: my cats, Simba and Shadow

Free Time: spending time with my friends, watch TV with my family and go swimming



Best thing to happen this year: invited to do research with my professors to find out more about how kids think!

Greatest Fear: large, fuzzy spiders

My favorite food is: popcorn

Best Movie/Book: "Finding Dory" I could watch that over and over again and never stop enjoying it

My Favorite Teacher: Mrs. Ditzler, because she

made learning fun and cared about her students

Favorite Candy: Reese's Peanut Butter Cups

Something I can do well: I'm very good at school and I enjoy it as well

I would like to talk to: J.K Rowling because she is an inspiration to many young readers and is one of the most successful female authors

If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . a good camera, a computer to document my experience and a phone to call home

"Peppy Paden", a resident of Lewisberry PA, graduate of Red Land HS, now attending the University of Maryland, majoring in Criminal Justice.

Favorite Superhero: Captain America

My Pets: I have (3) cats named Calypso, Rory and Nina!

I would love to talk to: Queen Elizabeth, because she's lived through so much and has met so many presidents, so I think it would be amazing to hear her stories.

Sports: I like to watch football

Favorite Season: Autumn, it's the perfect temperature and the changing leaves are so beautiful!

Favorite Candy: Sour Patch Kids or gummy bears

Best thing that happened this year: being accepted to study abroad in Italy!

Free Time: I like to read, sing, and go on adventures with my friends

Musical Talent: piano

Something I do well: singing and performing

If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . the book "Harry Potter & the Goblet of Fire", my cell phone, and my favorite stuffed animal

Favorite Teacher: Mr. Kerstetter, he made class fun and is an awesome person

Greatest Fear: spiders

Best Movie: Disney's Hercules!



"Musical Marisa", a resident of Etters, graduate of Red Land HS, graduate of West Chester University with a BM in Music Performance



Favorite Superhero: Scarlet Witch
My Pets: Lucy, a German Shorthaired Pointer
Favorite Food: cheesesteaks
Sports: I like to watch tennis
Favorite Season: Summer, I love the sun
Favorite Candy: Twix or Nerds
Best thing that happened this year: graduating from college!
Free Time: I like to play Frisbee or play the guitar
Musical Talent: guitar, ukulele, piano and singing
Something I do well: make instant ramen noodles
Favorite Teacher: Mr. Devorick, my HS choir teacher
Greatest Fear: spiders
Best Movie: Lord of the Rings!

If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . Lord of the Rings DVD box set, ukulele, and a collection of T. S. Eliot poetry

PlayZone Aide

"Zippy Zach", a resident of Lewisberry and attending Red Land HS. Zach was a L.I.T.E. in PlayZone for the past 2 years and working as a volunteer this summer!

Talent: play violin
Favorite Superhero: Flash
Sports: I like to watch ice hockey
Free Time: read, draw, write, and play outside, bike and hiking
Best thing to happen this year: the chance to go to Disney with my friends and family
Best Movie/Book: "Star Wars"
Favorite Season: Spring, I love the weather and enjoy the lengthened evenings
Favorite Food: mashed potatoes
Favorite Candy: Anything with Caramel
Something I can do well: love to read
If I could go anywhere in the world it would be: Paris, France
Favorite Teacher: Mrs. Lackey, because I love Social Studies
If I were sent to live on a space station for 3 months I would take . . . my Harry Potter books, my phone to read and a sweatshirt

