

Adventure Camps

Native Roots Adventure Camp

Ages: 12–16 Price: \$256 Location: Winton Woods/Adventure Outpost

Dates: June 8–11, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. June 29–July 2, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

Experience a peek into the past and explore some of the adventure skills that have been developed in North America for hundreds of years. From precisely paddling a canoe and kayak to accurately shooting an arrow, or developing classic survival techniques, join Great Parks to learn these and more traditional skills with a modern twist. Get outside and discover your adventure recreation roots!

Great Outdoors Adventure Camp

Ages: 8–14 Price: \$256 Location: Winton Woods/Adventure Outpost

Dates: June 15–18, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. June 22–25, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. July 20–23, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

Four fabulous days in the park! Enjoy the different outdoor experiences of Winton Woods. This camp includes a low ropes course, horseback riding, golfing, canoeing or kayaking, rock wall climbing and more. The adventures are endless at Great Parks with different experiences all day, every day.

Ultimate Challenge Camp

Ages: 10–14 Location: Winton Woods/Adventure Outpost Price: \$256

Dates: July 13–16, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. August 3–6, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

It's a fast-paced, four-day adventure in Winton Woods! Campers will be challenged with individual sports like archery, golf, rock wall climbing and kayaking. They will also learn with team-building and partnered activities such as a low ropes course and canoeing.



You're All Wet Adventure Camp

Ages: 8–14 Price: \$256 Location: Winton Woods/Adventure Outpost

Dates: July 27–30, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.

Become immersed in the fun and wonders of aquatic habitats and recreation with Adventure Outpost this summer! Campers will hit the water for activities including canoeing, kayaking, fishing, creeking and more. We'll visit wetlands, catch aquatic critters and explore water habitats at several Great Parks.

Farm Camps

Growing Up a Farm Kid

Ages: 2–5 Price: \$110 (includes one complimentary parent/caregiver) Location: Winton Woods/Parky's Farm

Dates: June 8–11, 9:30 a.m.–11 a.m.

Get close to the farm animals with your toddler or preschooler. Help with some simple farm chores, read stories, make crafts and play games. One parent or adult caregiver is required to stay, play and learn along with their child.

Pony Camp

Ages: 4–6 Price: \$180 Location: Winton Woods/Parky's Farm

Dates: June 15–18, 9–11 a.m. June 22–25, 9–11 a.m. July 6–9, 9–11 a.m. July 13–16, 9–11 a.m.

Discover the world of ponies and their friends as we learn how to care for them. Brush and groom a pony until he shines. Go for a pony ride! Play horsey games and make crafts. *This is a drop-off program in which children learn about the farm with their peers and Parky's Farm staff.*



Barnyard Friends

Ages: 4–6 Price: \$180 Location: Winton Woods/Parky's Farm

Dates: June 22–25, 9–11:30 a.m. July 6–9, 9–11:30 a.m.

If your children love animals and being outdoors, then this is the camp for them! We will explore the farm, visit the garden and enjoy nature. Children will visit with the animals, ride a pony, make crafts, play games and read stories.

This is a drop-off program in which children learn about the farm with their peers and Parky's Farm staff.

Build It! Barnyard Style

Ages: 4–6 Price: \$180 Location: Winton Woods/Parky's Farm

Dates: July 13–16, 9–11 a.m.

The farm needs some handy helpers to assist in building toys for the animals, creating simple machines to feed our farmyard friends, designing wildlife homes in the garden and more. *This is a drop-off program in which children learn about the farm with their peers and Parky's Farm staff.*

Farm Adventures

Ages: 6–10 Price: \$220 Location: Winton Woods/Parky's Farm

Dates: July 20–23, 9 a.m.–2 p.m. July 27–30, 9 a.m.–2 p.m.

Get ready for a week of exciting and enriching farm experiences! Campers help care for our animals each day with farm activities, including feeding the cows and chickens and grooming ponies. There's time to explore the creek, hike in the woods, fish at the pond and more. This is a drop-off program in which children learn about the farm with their peers and Parky's Farm staff.



Gooey, Gross & Awesome! Ages: 9–13 Price: \$220 Location: Winton Woods/Parky's Farm

Dates: July 27-30, 9 a.m.-2 p.m.

The farm can be a cute and adorable place, but it can also be gooey, gross and downright awesome. Explore the science of the barnyard as you help take care of animals and plants on the farm and experiment with their gooey grossness.

This is a drop-off program in which children learn about the farm with their peers and Parky's Farm staff.

Fishing Camps

Fishing Camp 101: Reeling in the Basics

Ages: 8–12 Price: \$165 Location: Lake Isabella/Chart Room

Dates: June 1–4, 7:30–11:30 a.m. June 15–18, 7:30–11:30 a.m.

Want to learn the basics of fishing? This camp is perfect for young anglers who are just learning or who have never fished before. Campers will be taught casting skills, proper knot-tying techniques and how to bait a hook and use lures, as well as how to identify the fish they catch. All tackle and gear provided.

Fishing Camp 202: Exploring Deeper Waters

Ages: 12–15 Price: \$165 Location: Lake Isabella/Chart Room

Dates: June 22-25, 7:30 a.m.-11:30 a.m.

Let's learn about the different types of fishing! This camp is perfect for young anglers who already know the basics. Campers will be taught how to make their own lures and take care of their tackle. Guest speakers will add further knowledge of the sport. Campers must bring their own gear.



Golf Camps

Beginner Junior Camp

Ages: 7–17 Price: \$110 Location: Sharon Woods/Sharon Woods Golf Course

Dates: June 9–12, 10:45 a.m.–noon July 14–17, 10:45 a.m.–noon

This four-day camp is for golfers with little to no golf experience. Students will have fun while learning the basic fundamentals of golf, including swing techniques for a variety of shots, course management, rules and etiquette. This is a great opportunity to see if your child is interested in the game! Class is limited to 18 participants per session.

Junior Golf Camp

Ages: 7–15 Price: \$125 Location: Little Miami Golf Center

Dates: June 9–12, 8–10 a.m. June 16–19, 8–10 a.m. June 23–26, 8–10 a.m. July 7–10, 8–10 a.m. July 14–17, 8–10 a.m. July 21–24, 8–10 a.m. July 28–31, 8–10 a.m.

This four-day camp covers all aspects of golf and is the ideal way to get young players introduced to the game. Class is limited to 30 participants per session.

Peewee Golf Camp

Ages: 5–6 Price: \$50 Location: Little Miami Golf Center

Dates: June 16–17, 11 a.m.–noon July 14–15, 11 a.m.–noon

These two-day camps include instruction on the fundamentals of golf, using equipment and activities tailored for young children.



Intermediate Junior Camp

Ages: 7–17 Price: \$110 Location: Sharon Woods/Sharon Woods Golf Course

Dates: June 16–19, 11:45 a.m.–1:10 p.m. June 21–24, 11:45 a.m.–1:10 p.m.

This four-day camp is a great way to develop the skills of intermediate and advanced young golfers. PGA instructors use fun and sportsmanship to build skills in all aspects of the game. A friendly competition caps off the final day of camp. Class is limited 18 participants per session.

Junior Golf Camp

Ages: 13–18 Price: \$299 (includes lunch) Location: Winton Woods/Meadow Links & Golf Academy

Dates: June 16–19, 9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. July 7–10, 9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m. July 28–31, 9:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m.

Designed for juniors ages 10–15, this four-day camp covers all aspects of the short game, full swing, on-course skill development, strategy, rules, etiquette and video swing analysis. The program includes on- and off-course instruction, skills contests and on-course playing experience. This is excellent preparation for junior high or high school golf teams. 8:1 student/teacher ratio, maximum of 24 participants per session.

Junior Minicamp

Ages: 9–15 Price: \$99 Location: Winton Woods/Meadow Links & Golf Academy

Dates: June 24–26, 8–10 a.m. July 15–17, 8–10 a.m. July 22–24, 8–10 a.m.

Designed for younger golfers, the Junior Minicamp includes three days of instruction, skill development, short game techniques, video swing analysis, simulated playing experience and above all else, fun! 8:1 student/teacher ratio, maximum of 24 participants per session.



Junior Golf Camp

Ages: 7–17 Price: \$60 Location: Woodland Mound/The Vineyard Golf Course

Dates: July 7–10, 8–9 a.m. July 21–24, 8–9 a.m.

Junior golf camps are the ideal way to get young players started in the game. All facets of golf are covered, including rules and etiquette, to build excited, confident lifelong golfers. Class is limited to 14 participants per session.

Horse Camps

Spring Break Horse Camp

Ages: 7–14 Price: \$250 Location: Winton Woods/Winton Woods Riding Center

Dates: March 24–26, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. April 7–9, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Winton Woods Riding Center spring break horse camps are full-day camps running Tuesday–Thursday. Topics covered include horse safety, breeds, grooming and riding. This camp is suitable for beginners to advanced beginner-level riders. Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis until camps fill and/or begin.

Advanced Horse Camp

Ages: 8–17 Price: \$335 Location: Winton Woods/Winton Woods Riding Center

Dates: June 22–25, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. July 27–July 30, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

To qualify for the advanced riding camp, students must have achieved at least novice level in lessons or have attended at least four prior horse camps. Topics covered include horse safety, breeds, grooming and a variety of riding styles. Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis until camps fill and/or begin.



Summer Horse Camp

Ages: 7–14 Price: \$335 Location: Winton Woods/Winton Woods Riding Center

Dates: June 1–4, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. June 8–11, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. June 15–18, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. June 22–25, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. June 29–July 2, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. July 6–9, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. July 13–16, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. July 20–23, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. July 27–30, 9 a.m.–4 p.m. August 3–6, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Winton Woods Riding Center summer horse camps are full-day camps. Topics covered include horse safety, breeds, grooming and riding. This camp is suitable for beginners to intermediate level riders. Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis until camps fill and/or begin.

Hunt Seat Bootcamp

Ages: 11–20 Price: \$400 Location: Winton Woods/Winton Woods Riding Center

Dates: July 6–10, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

This camp is designed for serious riders who are part of an Interscholastic Equestrian Association (IEA) team or who are collegiate Hunt Seat (IHSA) bound. Riders participating in this camp should have an intermediate or better level of riding proficiency with experience in the Hunt Seat/Hunter Jumper style. Campers will receive intensive under-saddle coaching, with a focus on proper equitation, excellent sportsmanship and horsemanship. There will be no lack of fun along the way, but campers will leave polished and ready for their next show.



Nature Camps

Fantastic Beasts Day Camp

Ages: 6–12 Price: \$220 Location: Fernbank Park/Fernbank Lodge

Dates: June 9-12, 9:30 a.m.-2:30 p.m.

Grab your cloak and wand and leap into the world of fantastic beasts! Use all of your senses to explore the ins-and-outs of where and how to find them. With crafts, games and more, get ready to step in the wizarding world of nature.

Wild Explorers!

Ages: 6–12 Price: \$220

Location: Sharon Woods/Council Bluff Shelter

Dates: June 9–12, 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m. June 16–19, 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m. July 14–17, 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

A nature adventure is waiting for you! Each day we'll roam the forests, fields and creeks of Sharon Woods as we unearth ancient fossils, have close encounters with live animals and discover the amazing creatures that call this park home. Sign up for one session or all three, as there's always something new to explore!

Superhero Science Day Camp

Ages: 6–12 Price: \$220 Location: Miami Whitewater Forest/Visitor Center

Dates: June 16–19, 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Find your super suit and get ready to swing into action while you explore the science behind our favorite superheroes. Conquer various puzzles and challenges to reveal your own mysterious powers. Fine-tune your super skills through heroic outdoor games and captivating crafts in order to vanquish the evil Doc Wildwasser.



Eco Warriors Day Camp

Ages: 6–12 Price: \$220 Location: Miami Whitewater Forest/Visitor Center

Dates: June 23–26, 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Put your minds to the test in order to unearth the many ways we can help preserve our planet. Planting trees, recycling and shutting off water are common practice, but what else can you do? Get down and dirty with hands-on experiments, eco-friendly crafts and green games to help you discover how you can be an extraordinary eco-warrior.

Photography Camps

Digital Photography

Ages: 11–14 Price: \$164 Location: Sharon Woods/Sharon Centre

Dates: June 23–26, 9 a.m.-noon

Campers will spend four days in the park developing creativity and photography skills with professional photojournalist Malinda Hartong. We'll use nature to learn and practice basics such as composition, exposure and flash, macro and fast-action settings and portraits. Campers must bring their own digital camera (point-and-shoot, mirrorless or digital single-lens reflex).

Photos on the Go

Ages: 11–14 Price: \$164 Location: Sharon Woods/Sharon Centre

Dates: July 21–24, 9 a.m.–noon

Join professional photojournalist Malinda Hartong as we explore Great Parks through photography. Learn how to take stunning photos on a smartphone and then edit them on the fly to create amazing works of art. Campers must bring their own smartphone, iPod Touch or tablet with a camera.