

2019 Ghent Summer Recreation Program Water Street 392-7672

Ghent Summer Camp will begin on July 1, 2019 and run through August 2, 2019, M –F from 8:30 to 2:30PM. (Camp is closed July 4th and 5th) Camp is offered at the Water Street Playground location **ONLY**. **For children whose primary residence is in the Town of Ghent, one child is \$50 and a family is \$100.00. The nonresident fee is \$175.00 per child.** Children must have completed 1 year of kindergarten or be at least six years of age to attend. Applications are available online at townofghent.org or at the Ghent Town Hall. You may mail your application to the Town of Ghent, PO Box 98 Ghent, NY 12075 or drop it at the Ghent Town Hall. **A CURRENT COPY OF YOUR CHILD'S IMMUNIZATION RECORD MUST BE INCLUDED WITH APPLICATION, AS PER THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH FOR YOUR CHILD TO ATTEND. PAYMENT AND APPLICATIONS DUE BY JUNE 28, 2019.** Please make checks payable to The Town of Ghent.

PICK UP:

The summer program hours are 8:30AM to 2:30PM. **WE WILL CLOSE FOR HEAVY RAIN AND THUNDER. All children must be picked up by 2:30 PM.** Children who are consistently picked up late may be denied further participation in the recreational program. If more than one late pick up occurs, a fee of \$5.00 per every five minutes after 2:30 pm will be paid to the counselor waiting with your child at the time of pick up.

PLAYGROUND ACTIVITIES:

Activities include arts, crafts, games and various sports. Campers will be transported by bus to Fox Hill in Spencertown for swimming on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday mornings, weather permitting. There can be a possibility that some trips may not be listed on the calendar, if so the parents will be notified in advanced. There are extra charges all marked on the calendar for field trips, pizza etc.

LEAVING THE PARK:

Children will not be allowed to leave the park unless their picked up by a parent/guardian or a **written permission** is given to the playground staff (walking/biking home or to lunch).

PLAYGROUND RULES:

Disrespect towards staff, other children or the playground facilities will **NOT BE TOLERATED**. Behavior problems that create safety issues or children who refuse to comply with staff requests may be removed from program. Please advise us of any social/emotional challengers your camper may have so that we may offer support.

LUNCH:

Children bring their own lunch and eat at approximately 12pm. There is a refrigerator on site. Campers must bring 2-3 bottles of water daily as it gets **HOT!**

ELECTRONIC DEVICES:

Electronic devices (cell phones, video games, IPODS) brought to camp are the responsibility of the child. The Town of Ghent and playground staff will not be responsible for any lost, damaged or stolen devices and staff **WILL NOT stay late to retrieve lost items.**

MEDICATION:

The playground staff **WILL NOT** dispense any medication to children. Any child who participates in the program must be self-medicated, including those with bee allergies.