



Creative and Performing Arts Camp

Week 1 Schedule - June 11-15, 2018

Theme of the Week: Safari

Week Show: The Three Little Elephants

9:00am	Camp Drop Off, Room 2
9:15am	Performing Arts Games
9:45am	Play Practice
10:45am	Snack
11:00am	Rotation 1 Art/Dance
11:45am	Rotation 2 Dance/Art
12:30pm	Lunch
1:15pm	Pool Time
3:00pm	Pick Up Time- In the back parking lot at the stop sign heading South across from the park

Monday: Welcome to Camp

Craft: Birdhouses

Acting: Give Parts, Scene 1

Dance: Part 1

Tuesday: Prop Day

Craft: TBD

Acting: Scene 2 & 3

Dance: Finish dance 1, start dance 2

Wednesday: In House FIELD TRIP: Noah's Ark Animal Workshop

(Don't forget your camp shirt)

Craft: Father's Day card

Thursday: Performance Day

Craft: Animal masks

Acting: Review

Dance: Review

Every Thursday lines are memorized! Don't forget your Scripts!

Friday: PERFORMANCE Day

11:30 am in the front camp room, Friends and family are welcome to attend. Show lasts approximately 15 minutes.

Prospect Heights Park District's Star Studio

Don't forget to like us on Facebook for up to date Dance & Performing Arts information & pictures.

Hello Parents of our Creative and Performing Arts Day Campers!

I would like to take a few moments to introduce you to the staff, explain how camp works and let you know of different opportunities we have available. First off, Creative and Performing Arts Day Camp is a place for your children to learn new activities and gain experience in creative and performing arts. These activities include; dancing, acting, singing, set design, and crafts. Each week we put on a small play and you are encouraged to attend the performance! A regular camp day is run from 9:00am-3:15 pm.

In the morning we work on the acting part of the play, then in the afternoon we rotate between dancing and crafts. From 1:00pm-2:45pm we are at the pool enjoying the beautiful summer weather! All children 8 and older must participate in a swim test to receive a wristband of either red, yellow, or green. These wristbands are in place to show the swim level of each camper. Campers at and under the age of 7 automatically receive a red wristband and must stay in the lowest depth of the pool. Even if our advanced swimmers are 7, or under the age of 7, we still require that they wear a red wristband since it is a Park District mandated rule.

Our camp pickup location is in the back-parking lot next to the big rock and baseball field and across from the park. We get to that location around 3:00 pm. To make sure campers keep track of their stuff please label all backpacks, lunches, sunscreens, etc....

This summer, electronics are not allowed to be used during camp hours. If a counselor sees a camper with a cell phone or electronic device during camp hours, the counselor will have the camper put that device in their backpack, turned off. If the device comes back out of their backpack again the counselor will take it away and return it at the end of the day. Please make sure your child has a snack, lunch, water bottle, swimsuit and sunscreen packed each day! Hot lunch is available everyday this summer. See the front desk or our website for the camp lunch calendar.

Here are your 2018 Creative and Performing Arts Day Camp Counselors!

Hi, my name is Brett and I am so excited to start my third summer, this time as a co-coordinator with Miss Meg, here at the Creative and Performing Arts camp! I just finished my second year at the University of Minnesota: Twin Cities and am applying to get into my school's Journalism school to pursue the Journalism major. I am very excited to escape the cold Minnesota weather and spend another amazing (and hopefully warm) summer at this awesome camp! I'd like to say I am a very friendly and approachable person, so If you have any questions about our camp, please let me know!

Hi everyone, my name is Meg Hennessy! Most of you will know me as Miss Meg. This is my seventh year here at the Prospect Heights Park District and my second year with Performing Arts Camp. This year I will be co-coordinating with Brett! I am currently studying Elementary Education at Northeastern Illinois University. I will also be getting married this October! I look forward to seeing all the returning faces as well as new faces this summer! It's going to be a fantastic summer!

Hi I'm Luci Schmidt! All the way from the sunny coast of California to the popping town of Prospect Heights I am happy to be back for my third year here at Creative and Performing Arts Day Camp! After finishing my first year at Columbia College Hollywood; a film school in LA where I have been studying acting amongst other things. I am an active Croc wearer, Disneyland goer, and Dino lover. I am excited for all this summer will entail and can't wait to share my love of performing with your children! It is going to be an amazing summer!

Hello, my name is Mary Kate Baughman! I am going to be a freshman at the University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign next year studying Stage Management. I have been performing since I was in kindergarten and have been very involved in many different theatre companies around the area. I am super pumped to be back for my second year with the Prospect Heights Park District this summer and help teach the campers everything I know. My love for theatre started at a camp just like this one so I am beyond excited to spend the summer sharing my passion for theatre!

Hi, I'm Klaudia! This is my second year being a part of the creative and performing arts day camp. I've been a dance teacher here at Prospect Heights for three years and I coach the Star Studio competitive team. I'm currently majoring in Elementary Education at Northeastern Illinois University. Fun fact, I'm an NBA dancer for the Chicago Bulls! Looking forward to all the summer days filled with crafts, plays, and lots of dancing!

Hi, my name is Ellie! This will be my first summer at the Creative and Performing Arts Camp and I couldn't be more excited! I just completed my second year at the University of Wisconsin-Madison studying to be a physical therapist. I've been really involved in performing arts throughout high school and college and I can't wait to continue that this summer!

Hi, my name is Lauren! Born & raised in Chicago where I have been dancing since I was 3 years old and I have danced competitively for the past 7 years. I attend Northeastern Illinois University where I am majoring in Psychology and minoring in dance. I also work for PHPD Star Studio where I teach several dance classes as well as coach our competitive dance teams. I look forward to working with your children this summer!

