

Camps and Summer Job Programs

All Days are Happy Days, University of Tennessee Boling Center for Developmental Disabilities

Jewish Community Center

Dates: 6/1/2008 - 6/4/2008

<http://www.utmem.edu/bcdd>

A week long camp for children between 6 and 12 years of age diagnosed with Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder. The primary goal of the All Days Are Happy Days Camp is to educate campers and their parents about the diagnosis, treatment, and self-management of ADHD and related behaviors. The vision of the BCDD staff is to offer a camp specifically designed for young children with ADHD that will provide an avenue for these children to engage in planned activities, which will promote increased self-esteem, develop and maintain friendships, understand ADHD, and learn appropriate problem-solving behaviors.

Amputee Coalition of America (ACA)

www.amputee-coalition.org, 900 East Hill Avenue, Suite 205

Knoxville, Tennessee 37915-2566

888-267-5669

Reach out to people with limb loss and empower them through education, support and advocacy, The Youth Activities Program (YAP) is aimed at providing youth who have amputations and limb differences a chance to learn about other children like them. Sponsors the Youth Amputee eZine (YAZ) which is a fun Web site for youth with limb loss or limb difference to read about other youth like them, check out national events, learn about organizations making a difference, contribute creative artwork or writing, or just hang out and play games. And also sponsors the annual ACA Youth Camp which is a camp for youths with limb differences (ages 10 to 16) from all over the country. There is a fee for camp, but scholarships are available.

Arc of the Mid-South, The Association of Mental Retardation (AAMR)

3485 Poplar Avenue, Suite 225

Memphis, TN 38111

901.327.2473

www.arcmidsouth.net

Serves people with developmental disabilities with a primary focus on mental retardation ages 6 to adults, Advocacy Services, Camps and/or Summer Programs, Employment, Job Training Program, Information and Referral, Newsletter Activities, Public Awareness and Community Education, Recreational Activities (week-end retreats, camps, etc.), Respite Care/Adult, Respite Care/Child, Offer job coaching assistance and training, Offer disability awareness training, Adult Day Care, Autism

AreaOne Ministries

www.areaone.org

1605 Germantown Pkwy

Suite 111-223

Cordova, TN 38018

888. 462.7321

Creates life changing camps, conferences and retreats for middle and high school students. Uses summer camps, fall conferences, rallies and spring retreats to equip and empower this generation of teenagers to live for Christ. We believe this generation of youth is different and our experience is that they desire to be challenged intellectually with culturally relevant teaching and worship.

Bodine School

(901) 754-1800.

bodineschool.org

Summer Reading Experience

Dates: June 9 – July 3, 2008, Hours: 8:30 am – 12:00 pm, Monday through Thursday Students will have an opportunity to improve their reading skills and develop skills necessary to be an effective reader and communicator. Students completing grades kindergarten through eight will develop the basic skills necessary to be a successful

reader through a multi-sensory approach to learning. Emphasis also is placed on written communication, handwriting (K-4) and computer skills (5-8)

Bridges, Inc

www.bridgesusa.org

477 N 5th St

Memphis, TN 38105-1869

901.452.5600

Provide experiential, hands-on learning for youth and adults to be leaders in fighting racism, poverty and educational challenges. The programs of Bridges Include:

Bridge Builders seeks to develop a group of future leaders who will lay aside individual, social, economic and cultural differences to work for the benefit of all. Participants build the skills necessary to improve their self-confidence, strengthen their relationships, succeed in school and take action to build a healthy community - all while concentrating on three focus points.

PeaceJam an international education program focused on the lives and work of 12 Nobel Peace Laureates.

BRIDGES sponsors the program's Mid-South gatherings in partnership with Rhodes College, providing youth from Tennessee, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana and Florida with invaluable insights on making peace in the world.

BRIDGES GED/Life Skills program Provides experiential learning for 17-21 year-olds who have faced challenges in their high school careers with intensive GED training, life skills courses, career development and teen parenting workshops. Twelve-week GED and pre-GED courses are offered at a cost of \$50 per student. The fee is refundable upon successful completion of either course. Life skills courses focus on self-esteem, conflict resolution, decision making and goal-setting. Career development training centers on resume writing, interviewing skills and office decorum. Students are recruited through word-of-mouth and by referrals from our community partners, including the Memphis City School system. The program currently serves 30 to 40 students per 12-week period.

Students are required to take an entrance exam and must be able to attend classes Monday through Thursday from 2 to 5 p.m.

BRIDGES' Future Builders program Provides hands-on, experiential education for a diverse group of middle school students to become leaders in building a better future for themselves and their community.

Future Builders - Summer The summer program consists of three 2-week adventure, leadership camps for rising sixth to ninth graders. Youth may participate in more than one session of camp, but the general framework of the experience will be the same. Future Builders School year The school year program consists of monthly outdoor adventure and service-learning excursions for middle school students. The length of the experience will vary from one-day to two-days, depending on the excursion. A schedule of the outings will be set before the beginning of each school year.

Future Builders - Fall/Winter/Spring Break The school break program is scheduled during Memphis City Schools' fall/winter/spring breaks (often the same as Shelby County Schools' breaks) and consists of multiple days (depending on the break) of adventure, leadership and service-learning opportunities for middle school students.

Camp Brave Hearts, Methodist Healthcare

www.methodisthealth.org

Alliance Health Services Hospice

6423 Shelby View Dr.,

Memphis, TN 38134

901-516-1600

Grief camp for youth 6–16 held yearly

Camp Celebration, Inc.

<http://www.campcelebration.org/index2.html>

P.O. Box 11013,

Memphis, TN 38111

901 527-2267

Serves the families of children and adults with mental disabilities by providing weekend respites and a week long residential summer camp

Camp Good Grief/Teen Camp Good Grief, Baptist Trinity Hospice

www.baptistonline.org/services/medical/homecare/hospice.asp

901 767 6767

Bereavement camp for children ages 7 to 12 who have lost a loved one in the past two years.

Camp Phoenix, Boys and Girls Club

Central Office

44 S. Rembert

Memphis, TN 38104

(901) 278-2947

An American Camping Association accredited camp located on 175 beautifully wooded acres on the shores of Sardis Lake in Mississippi. Provides the kids with a chance to experience the great outdoors face-to-face, while enhancing nature skills and knowledge. It has more trees than you can climb, more water than you can swim, and more food than you can eat! Campers participate in a variety of programs that provide an awareness and appreciation of the environment through activities. Canoeing, Hiking, Swimming, Fishing, Archery, Nature Study, Astronomy, Recycling, Environmental Studies, Talent Shows, Racquetball, Crafts

Camp Wezbe gone

Sponsor: Le Bonheur Children's Medical Center

Location: Pinecrest Conference & Retreat Center

Dates: 7/20/2008 - 7/24/2008

<http://www.lebonheur.org>

Cardiac Kids Camp

Sponsor: Le Bonheur Children's Medical Center

Location: Camp Lakeshore

Dates: 6/22/2008 - 6/28/2008

<http://www.lebonheur.org>

City Lights Community Camp, MIFA

910 Vance Avenue,

Memphis, Tn 38126

901 529 4571

For rising 7th and 8th graders

City of Memphis Jobs

Summer Youth Employment Program, Office of Youth Services and Community Affairs, City of Memphis

http://www.cityofmemphis.org/pdf_forms/SYEP2007FinalReport.pdf

Assigned by lottery.

Commercial Appeal

www.commercialappeal.com Search summer camps for information

Comprehensive list of all area camps

Diversity Memphis

1910 Madison Ave, #32

Memphis TN 38104

901.405.9555

www.diversitymemphis.org

Through summer camps for teens, adult workshops, walks, cultural festivals, multi-faith dialogues and other programs we teach tolerance and promote the concept that our cultural, religious and racial differences are to be embraced.

Easter Seals Tennessee

2001 Woodmont Blvd.

Nashville, TN 37215

615.292.6640

<http://tn.easterseals.com>

Assists more than one million children and adults with disabilities and their families annually through a nationwide network of more than 450 service sites. Each center provides top-quality, family-focused and innovative services tailored to meet the specific needs of the particular community it serves. Situated on 100 acres in Mt. Juliet, our fully accessible and ACA accredited camp is so important to children and adults with disabilities. Since 1959, children and adults with virtually any type of disability or other special needs have enjoyed the great outdoors at our camp

Emmanuel Episcopal Center

www.emmanuelcenter.org

604 St. Paul

Memphis, TN 38126

901.523.2617

Placing people in jobs, organizing summer camps, offering emergency assistance, feeding and clothing the needy, tutoring, and even teaching business management - Offers nearly 30 valuable, Christian-based services and programs to both inner city youth and adults.

My Kids Designs, Creates top quality, screen printed products while providing job training, business management skills, income, and a safe place for inner city teenagers

Youth-N-Action Targeting "at-risk" youth, ages 4-18. More than 200 children are guided with spiritual direction in a variety of activities and events. These include: after school activities, Bible clubs, cultural enrichment, field trips, job placement, retreats, and summer camps

Community Impact Networking with agencies, churches, organizations, and other ministries to coordinate support programs in the neighborhood. Food distribution is offered weekly, along with a holiday child adoption program, alcohol and drug rehabilitation referrals, educational assistance, emergency assistance, job placement, home ownership, operation joy, and volunteer coordination.

Exodus Provides programs in educational enrichment for pre-schoolers through adults. These include: college preparatory assistance, computer learning center, early childhood activities, Emmanuel Scholars, homework assistance, math & science enrichment, tutoring, vision trips, and vocational exposure.

Inner City Sports and Recreation Association (ICSRA) Offers year-round sports to youth from ages 4-19. This effort is designed to eliminate truancy, criminal and delinquent behavior, improve health and overall fitness, and to create discipline. This association is a collaboration of community based organizations committed to providing quality organized sports for inner city youth.

Exchange Club Family Center

2180 Union Avenue

Memphis, Tennessee 38104

901 276-2200

No detailed information

Fellowship of Christian Athletes

4796 Poplar Ave.

Memphis, TN 38117

901.683.3399

www.memphisfca.org

Committed to making an eternal impact in the lives of athletes and coaches in the Memphis and Shelby County area! We serve student-athletes and coaches on middle school, high school and college campuses, including males and females of all races and all economic situations. Athletes and coaches today have probably more influence than ever before and FCA is "influencing the influencers" on the campuses in our community. To achieve their mission the FCA provides summer camps and campus ministry.

For the Kingdom Camp, Memphis Leadership Foundation

<http://www.ftkcamp.org/>

4100 Raleigh-Millington Road,

Memphis, TN 38128

901 383 1471

Exists to provide a safe, fun and challenging camping environment for evangelism, discipleship, character building and recreation for inner city young people in the Mid-South. A secondary purpose is to produce training

opportunities for leaders working with urban youth. To accomplish this mission, each summer FTK hosts several weeks of outreach camps for local elementary and middle school students

Freeland Youth Camp, Diversity Memphis

1910 Madison Ave, #32

Memphis TN 38104

901.405.9555

www.diversitymemphis.org

Brings together high school students from diverse backgrounds to provide opportunities for leadership, learning and social engagement. We believe that children are our future and by broadening their horizons we can change our world. Programs designed for weekends, a weeklong camp, and special day and evening gatherings introduce delegates to a unique experience. Social networks are established, prejudices examined, and the opportunity to create a land free from bias, bigotry and racism becomes a reality.

Green Jobs Leadership Academy, Urban Family Ministries

East Career and Technology Center

3225 Walnut Grove Road

2194 Lamar Avenue

901-870-7054

Green science and biotech while improving their leadership skills. 14-15 year olds

Kids-N-Technology (KIT)

<http://www.kidsntechnology.net/>

<http://www.kidsntechnology.net/ourstory.htm>

901 565 0670

Launched the south's first technology camp, where children built their own PC- and took it home! The summer was a huge success, and Summer Camp 2003 sold out quickly. Camp was hosted at Christian Brothers University, giving many campers their first college experience. We also added new programs, including Web Design, Programming, 3D Animation, and programs for younger kids including Technology Explorers and Jr. Technicians.

Since its inception, the Kids-N-Technology Summer Camp program has enriched the lives of hundreds of campers throughout the midsouth and beyond. Thanks to the camp's nonprofit foundation, Kids-N-Technology has also met the challenge to provide all children equal access to modern technology.

Summer 2006 Kids-N-Technology will expand nationally! The 2006 Technology Day Camp will be stopping at several cities this summer, including Atlanta GA, Chicago IL, Macon GA, Memphis TN, Nashville TN, and New York City, NY.

Le Bonheur Center for Children and Parents

<http://www.lebonheur.org>

50 N. Dunlap Street

Memphis, TN 38103

901 287 5437

Evaluation and treatment for child victims of abuse and neglect, parenting services for first time teen moms and parenting support groups.

Cardiac Kids Camp

is a fun-filled week at camp where children can learn about their heart conditions and meet other children just like them.

Camp Wezbejon

is an exciting camp specifically designed for children with asthma. The emphasis for camp is on fun while learning. The children enjoy a variety of outdoor activities including swimming, nature study and hiking

Memphis Park Services

<http://www.cityofmemphis.org/framework.aspx?page=6>

2599 Avery Avenue

Memphis, Tn 38112

Phone:

901 576-4200

Offers a Summer Day Camp (ages 5 to 12) at all its Community Centers and a Summer Teen Camp (ages 13 to 15) at selected sites. A Summer Day Camp is also offered at the Skinner Development Center. This popular program runs for 9 weeks and includes educational classes, recreation and field trips.

Hickory Hill C/C - 140 campers *

Bert Ferguson - 140 campers *

Davis C/C - 120 campers *

Raleigh - 140 campers

Marion Hale - 130 campers

Glenview - 110 campers *

Bethel LaBelle - 80 campers

Hamilton C/C - 80 campers

Charles Powell - 75 campers *

Lester C/C - 100 campers

Mitchell - 60 campers

Pine Hill - 120 campers

Riverview - 50 campers

Magnolia - 50 campers

Whitehaven - 120 campers *

Orange Mound - 50 campers

Gaston - 50 campers

McFarland - 120 campers

Ed Rice - 80 campers *

Bickford - 40 campers

Cunningham - 100 campers

Dave Wells - 80 campers

Greenlaw - 35 campers

Hollywood - 80 campers

Douglass - 100 campers

North Frayser - 50 campers

Sexton - 60 campers

Gaisman - 110 campers

Skinner Center - 50 campers

Muscular Dystrophy Association, Memphis

www.mda.usa.org

6094 Apple Tree Drive #9

Memphis, TN 38115

901 367-0902

Camps and/or Summer Programs (21 and younger), Specific Disability Information, Support Groups, Weekly MDA clinic in Memphis, Orthopedic equipment including braces and wheelchairs, One week summer camp program

NAMBC, Inc.

1423 Norris Road,

Memphis, TN 38106

901-942-1430

Fun, safe environment for children to learn basic social skills, arts & crafts, play basketball and eat nutritional meals.

Neighborhood Christian Centers, Inc.

<http://www.ncclife.org/>

North Center, Ministries' Complex

785 Jackson Avenue

Memphis, TN 38107

901-881-6013

Scott Street Office

223 Scott Street

Memphis, TN 38112
901-881-6013

For our overnight camp (May 25th – May 31st)

A community that lives and proclaims the Gospel of Jesus Christ. By conducting ministry that meets both practical and spiritual needs, we envision a transformation in the lives of those we serve, in effect “changing a generation.” Since 1978, NCC has laid a strong foundation of ministry in our community, and the coming years will build on that foundation to reach even more people by training likeminded churches and individuals to carry out compassionate, Christ-centered ministry.

Youth Ministries:

CAPS: College assistance for students who qualify primarily through Youth Ministry programs and inquiries from the community.

Club Recreation: Organized recreational activities held in conjunction with youth programs.

Educational Ministries: One-on-one tutoring, Read to Me program for children 0-5, Think Tank homework centers and computer labs.

NCC Arts: Summer work program in which at-risk teens serve as “missionaries,” participating in community service, performing arts and financial education.

Summer Camps: Urban children receive scholarships to attend NCC Camps.

T.R.U.T.H. Seekers: After-school Bible studies for youth ages 5-18 that focus on the prevention of at-risk behaviors.

Youth Multi-Media Ministries YM(3): Youth develop multi-media productions that are used to teach young T.R.U.T.H. Seekers about the Word of God.

Family and Church Enrichment:

Chapel Ministries: Hosts client weddings and funerals as well as new neighborhood churches until they become established.

LoveBuilders: Couples attend sessions throughout the year and an annual retreat focusing on marriage and family issues; lay counseling, including pre and post-marital counseling, are offered when needed.

LoveBuilders Kids: Couples are encouraged to bring their children to monthly sessions where the youth are taken to another room for fun activities and to hear guest speakers on various topics such as healthy lifestyles, safety awareness, drug awareness, abstinence and Biblical principles.

Memphis Bible Institute (MBI): is a non-degreed program that offers urban leaders the basic Biblical foundation they need to pursue a seminary or Bible college degree. _

Neighborhood Church Network: A growing number of small, minority churches are empowered to meet the needs of the poor and mentored to be the “hands and feet” of Jesus.

Fresh Start: Fresh Start serves pregnant women who may not have the resources to provide their babies with the best possible starts in life. By providing participants with necessary resources and requiring them to complete prenatal doctors' visits, child birth and parenting classes, we believe their chances of delivering healthy babies and raising healthy children through good parenting increase. _

Compassionate Ministries

Christmas Outreach: Thousands of families receive baskets of food, children receive toys, and needy families are paired with more fortunate families to share blessings.

Emergency Assistance: Utility assistance, burn out assistance and referrals to partnering agencies are offered to those in need.

Food Pantry and Clothes Closet: Donated food and clothes are distributed throughout the city.

Affiliate Services: New individuals, churches and sites continually seek to be added as NCC affiliates in order to effectively serve the practical and spiritual needs of their neighbors. We encourage affiliates to house NCC programs and to refer clients to both NCC programs and churches in the Neighborhood Church Network. NCC commissions individuals who desire to serve as independent missionaries in their neighborhoods and provides them with the training and resources to meet the practical and spiritual needs of their neighbors. NCC strives to train missionaries to strategically target various neighborhoods in order to reach as many people as possible.

Satellite Sites: Greenbriar, Chickasaw Place, Robinhood and Pershing Park apartment complexes are essential sites for carrying out the NCC mission and also serve as model programs. Site Directors oversee programs and services on a full-time basis to the residents of each complex.

Women of Empowerment (WOE): Encourages single mothers through Bible studies and life skills training.

Raymond Skinner Center

www.cityofmemphis.org/framework.aspx?page=109

712 Tanglewood
Memphis, TN 38104
901.272.2528

Age requirements vary by program; 5-21 years + adult Camps and/or Summer Programs, Child Care Program, Recreational Activities, Classes in arts and crafts, swim, and dance, Organized social activities, After school program for children with disabilities, Day program for adults with mental retardation, Heads Up, a day program for individuals with head injuries

Ryan's Hope for Family & Friends, Inc

<http://www.ryanshopeinc.org/>

562 Center St. Ste B1
Collierville, TN 38017
901-861-7039

Helps families throughout the Mid-South area by: providing families who receive no help in short term respite care with monthly or one time respite, enabling special kids to go to summer camps. improving the quality of lives of special kids through hippotherapy and therapeutic horseback riding, maintaining a universally accessible playground area in a Collierville park.

Stax Music Academy SNAP! Summer Music Camp.

926 E. McLemore
Memphis, TN
942-7627 ext. 351.

Students entering third through eighth grades can register for the six-week camp.

The camp includes field trips, workshops and instruction in voice, drama, dance and instruments.

It ends with a grand finale student performance and two tickets for the concert are included with enrollment.

Camp hours are from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Full tuition is \$870, half of which is due on April 15; and the balance, May 15.

Need-based scholarships are available. About 90 percent of students last summer attended the camp on scholarships that paid 90 percent of the tuition.

The Stuttering Foundation

www.stutteringhelp.org

3100 Walnut Grove Road, Suite 603
Memphis, TN 38111
901.452.7343
800.992.9392

Advocacy Services, Camps and/or Summer Programs Information and Referral, Newsletter Available, Parent Education, Specific Disability Information Support Groups

Summer Hoops Camp, Memphis Grizzlies

http://www.nba.com/grizzlies/community/sports_programs.html

901. 205.1253

The Grizzlies host Summer Hoops Camps in four convenient locations around the Mid-South. Our camps are great for girls and boys ages 6 – 14 of all skill levels. Each camp focuses on fun, fitness, and skill development. Camp tips-off in June. [Learn more](#) and sign up.

Tennessee Hemophilia and Bleeding Disorders Foundation

www.hemophilia.org

499 South Patterson, Suite 202
Memphis, TN 38111
901 458 6727

Advocacy Services, Information and Referral, Specific Disability Information, Support Groups, Work with University of TN Hemophilia Clinic, Summer camp for children, Educational scholarships

Tennis Memphis

Eldon Roark Tennis Center

1500 Finley Road
Memphis, TN 38116
901 398-8797

Neighborhoods, Education & Tennis (Net) The umbrella of all of the youth programs, Net Learning Rooms will be established and staffed in community Centers and equipped with computers and educational resources. The participants will receive tennis instruction and will have access to tutoring, mentoring and life skills instruction. It will bring neighborhoods and communities together as we work closely with community centers and local agencies to help kids reach their full potential on and off the courts.

United Cerebral Palsy of the Mid-South

4189 Leroy Ave.
Memphis, TN 38108
901-761-4277

Day Services 901-881-6045

Memphis Works 901-767-0922

4189 Leroy Ave, Memphis, TN 38108

KINDER CAMP SUMMER DAY CAMP

Kinder Camp Livitup is UCP's local summer day camp for children with disabilities. Ages 3-6. UCP Center Camp Livitup is UCP's local summer day camp for children with disabilities. Ages 6-17.

Uptown Alliance

314 Auction Avenue
Memphis, TN 38105
901 576-6983

Hospitality Industry: Participants in the program receive classroom instruction on everything from job interview skills to personal budgeting and self-discipline. Participants are then taken on site at the workplace, and are assigned an employee to "shadow," in order to experience firsthand the particulars of the position. Our program is tailored to meet the needs of our industry partners by providing employable individuals with the necessary job skills. Most importantly, participants receive valuable and necessary skills for sustainable jobs paying a livable income, the first step in economic self-reliance.

Construction Industry: Participants in our carpentry certification program will put their skills to use through a community service partnership with Habitat for Humanity. This will be an exciting opportunity for participants to gain practical experience before looking for a job, while performing a greatly needed service to the community. Mentoring Provides volunteer mentors to support and encourage graduates in their new jobs. This one-on-one coaching provides an opportunity for continuing education and support from JIC, even after the graduate has found employment.

Community Builders: Assist neighborhood residents in formulating comprehensive strategies for neighborhood improvement. Our community builders seek to provide advice, technical assistance, and other tools for empowerment to help residents find their leadership skills and collective voice. Some of their efforts include the formation of a Neighborhood Watch Association and a code enforcement committee, and collaboration with the Uptown Neighborhood Association.

The Summer Youth Workshop (SYW) is a six-week training program. Participants will meet daily from 9am until 2pm at the Dave Wells Community Center

Volunteer Memphis summer teen volunteer program: MTV

22 North Front Street, Suite 780
Memphis, TN 38103
Phone: 901 523-2425

May be an option for younger teens or those who are not working this summer but would like to get some job readiness experience 100+ Memphis Teen Volunteers placed with non-profit agencies each summer.