

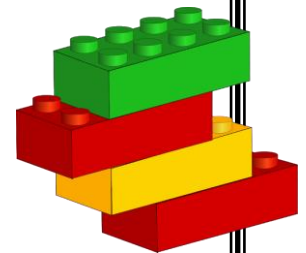
# Sports/Specialty Camps 2021



## Parent Information

### Sports

Baseball  
Co-ed Basketball  
Girls Basketball  
Soccer



### Arts, Science, Legos, & Incrediflix

**NEW!** Chess Wizards  
I Can Decoupage That!  
Incrediflix - Action Movie & Minecraft Vs. Roblox Flix  
Minds in Motion Science  
- 100 in 1 STEM Lab & KIKI.ROBOT.962  
Musical Theatre Intensive/Intensive Junior  
Nature & Art Mini Master Piece Studio  
Nutrication  
Painting Mini Master Piece Studio  
PlayWell Jedi Engineering using LEGO Materials  
Pop Up Books STEM  
Take Me to TATE!





**Town of Mansfield  
Parks and Recreation  
Department**



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To: Parents, Guardians and Campers  
From: Mansfield Parks and Recreation Department  
Subject: Sports & Specialty Camp Information – Summer 2021

Welcome to the summer of 2021 sports and specialty camp programs! Thank you for registering for our summer programs and camps. The participants will have a great time and learn skills that they will take with them to use throughout the rest of the year.

Please read over the enclosed information about our sport and specialty camp programs which includes additional procedures and guidelines that are required by the state and local health officials, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and CT Office of Early Childhood (OEC). As we draw closer to camp and sector rules are updated, additional information regarding specific camp procedures will be released to camp families. If you have any questions regarding your child's participation in our sport and specialty camps, please feel free to call 860-429-3015 or stop by the Mansfield Community Center to speak with any of the Parks & Recreation staff.

We always strive to provide your children with the best experience while attending our summer camps and programs. If there is anything you feel we could do differently to improve any part of the camp, please share it with us. We want the time your children spend with us to be the best it can be!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Anisah R." followed by a small horizontal line.

Anisah Richardson  
Recreation Coordinator  
Mansfield Parks and Recreation Department



## Camp Update - Keeping Our Campers Safe!

In an effort to ensure the safest environment for our children and staff, and to meet mandates passed down by the CT Office of Early Childhood (OEC) and other official State of Connecticut information, there will be several changes to the camp experience. Please read a summary of the specialty camp changes as well as basic care information to be implemented below:

### Capacity Limitations

- Per the state of Connecticut's, Office of Early Childhood, [Memo #18](#), all youth camps group sizes are limited to no more than 20 children in one space.

### Health Screenings

- Before being permitted into the camp area for the day, all staff and campers will be screened by completing a health questionnaire

### Physical/Social Distancing

- Staff and campers will be required to maintain physical/social distancing within their group/pod of 10-12 as much as feasible.
- Wearing of a face mask will be required for all camp staff and campers
- Campers will only be permitted to come in contact with other campers in their group/pod of 10 campers and instructor

### Intensified Cleaning & Disinfecting

- Intensified and frequent cleaning, sanitizing, and disinfecting of frequently touched surfaces and shared spaces (restrooms) will occur multiple times per day and between each use for shared objects.
- Hand sanitizer and/or soap and water will be readily available to campers and staff. All camper hand sanitizing and hand washing will be encouraged and supervised

### Staff

- In addition to our traditional orientation and training, all camp staff will be required to attend a training specific to COVID-19 health and safety regulations mandated by local, state and national health agencies before working at camp.

**\*Note: Additional details on how Chess Wizards, Minds in Motion, Nutrication, PlayWell, Incrediflix, & other specialty camps lesson plans will be modified to meet the most current COVID-19 guidelines will be provided via e-mail after registration.**

# MANSFIELD

## COMMUNITY CENTER

*Family, Fitness & Fun!*

## Sports & Specialty Camps

### General information, policies and procedures for parents and campers

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us at (860) 429-3015. Thank you for taking the time to read and become familiar with the camp information, policies and procedures.

**TOWN OF MANSFIELD CAMP PHILOSOPHY:** The Town of Mansfield Parks and Recreation Department seeks to provide quality leisure opportunities, which contribute to the environment, needs, and interests of the participants. Within a safe and supportive camp environment we encourage children of all abilities to participate in all aspects of the camp.

#### CAMP DIRECTORS/LEAD INSTRUCTORS:

Co-ed Basketball	Ron Pires
For the Love of Baseball	Marty Gomez & Staff
Girls Basketball	Mary Riockle & Betsy Parker
NEW! Chess Wizards	Staff from Chess Wizards
I Can Decoupage That!	Reagen O'Reigaekn
Incrediflix - Action Movie & Minecraft Vs. Roblox Flix	Staff from Incrediflix
100 in 1 STEM Lab &	Staff from Minds in Motion
KIKI.ROBOT.962	Staff from Minds in Motion
Musical Theatre Intensive/Intensive Junior	Staff from Mansfield Dance Academy
Nature & Art Mini Master Piece Studio	Reagen O'Reigaekn
Nutrication	Will Kelsey & Staff
Painting Mini Master Piece Studio	Reagen O'Reigaekn
PlayWell Jedi Engineering using LEGO Materials	Staff from Playwell Teknologies
Pop Up Books STEM	Reagen O'Reigaekn
Ray Reid Soccer School, Young Stars	UCONN Soccer Coach, Ray Reid
Take Me to TATE!	Reagen O'Reigaekn

**ACTIVITIES:** The structure of each program varies slightly, however, all sports camps include warm up, daily skill development, demonstrations, lectures, small-sided and full-sided games/play. Water breaks are regularly scheduled throughout the day and adjustments are made for extreme high temperature days. All specialty arts and science camps emphasize time for creative learning activities and exercises, with time for breaks for snack and/or free play.

**SNACKS/LUNCHES:** Participants are responsible for providing their own food and snacks. Although water will be readily available, it is strongly encouraged that participants bring a full water bottle each day. Those participating in full day camps will have a lunch break during the day. Please send full lunches that do not require refrigeration, and plenty of snacks.

**SUN BLOCK LOTIONS:** Sun Block is strongly suggested for all sports and specialty camps. Specialty Camps may take breaks or complete activities outside. Caps are also a good idea for all outside activities. Please apply sunblock to your child prior to the camp day. *Staff will not apply sunblock for your child*, although children will be reminded to do so themselves and may be assisted as necessary.

**BRINGING SPECIAL ITEMS TO CAMP:** Please do not let your children bring expensive or favorite items to camp such as MP3 players, I-pods/Pads, and computer games. Although the camp is well supervised, the department cannot accept responsibility for lost or stolen items. If you bring your own ball to basketball camp, please make sure your name is clearly printed in permanent marker on the ball.

**LABELING ITEMS:** We encourage you to label all clothing and other items for easy return in the event that they get left behind or lost.

**EQUIPMENT:** Proper footgear and clothing are recommended for each sport. For Basketball Camps: All participants must bring a ball. Please make sure it is clearly labeled with your name. For Art Camps: These camps can get messy, so please encourage your child to dress in something other than their favorite outfit. Sneakers are helpful for play breaks, but not required.

**DROP OFF/PICK UP TIMES:** Camps take place at the following times.

<b>Co-ed Basketball</b>	9am-3pm
<b>For the Love of Baseball</b>	8:30am-1pm
<b>Girls Basketball</b>	8:45am-3pm
<b>Chess Wizards AM</b>	9am-12pm
<b>Chess Wizards PM</b>	noon-3pm
<b>Chess Wizards Full Day</b>	9am-3pm
<b>I Can Decoupage That!</b>	9am-4pm
<b>Action Movie Flix</b>	9am-12pm
<b>Minecraft Vs. Roblox Flix</b>	1-4pm
<b>Action Movie &amp; Minecraft vs Roblox Flix Full Day</b>	9am-4pm
<b>100 in 1 STEM Lab</b>	9am-12pm
<b>KIKI.ROBOT.962</b>	1-4pm
<b>Musical Theatre Intensive/Intensive Junior</b>	9am-3pm
<b>Nature &amp; Art Mini Master Piece Studio</b>	9am-4pm
<b>Nutrication</b>	1-4pm
<b>Painting Mini Master Piece Studio</b>	9am-4pm
<b>PlayWell Jedi Engineering using LEGO Materials</b>	9am-12pm
<b>Playwell Jedi Master engineering using LEGO Materials</b>	1-4pm
<b>Pop Up Books STEM</b>	9am-4pm
<b>Take Me to TATE!</b>	9am-4pm

- 1). A "grace" period is permitted FIVE minutes before and FIVE minutes after scheduled camp times.
- 2.) Dropping your child off or picking him/her up earlier or later than these times may result in the removal of the child from camp. **NO extended "care"** is provided.
- 3.) On the first day you may arrive a few minutes early to ensure a smooth transition for your child(ren), but after the first day, the policy will be enforced.

**DROP OFF / PICK UP LOCATIONS: (Also see inclement weather procedures).**

**Co-Ed & Girls Basketball**



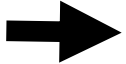
At Mansfield Middle School, Storrs

**Soccer**



At the Lion's Club Fields off of Route 89

**Chess Wizards,**  
**Nutrication,**  
**I can Decoupage That!**  
**Minds in Motion,**  
**PlayWell Lego camps,**  
**Art Studio Camps,**  
**Pop Up STEM,**  
**Take Me to TATE,**



At Mansfield  
Community Center  
Community Room

**Pop Up STEM,**  
**Musical Theatre,**  
**Incredifix**



Lenard Hall – 450 S. Eagleville Rd, Storrs

**For the Love of Baseball**



Southeast Park

**NEW PICK-UP LOCATION & PROCEDURES – CAMPS HELD AT COMMUNITY CENTER:**

**In efforts to properly practice social distancing and remain within the capacity mandated by local and state health officials, specialty camp pickups at the Mansfield Community Center will happen outside the arts & crafts side door, located around the left side of the building. Please pickup your camper in the designated area outside. Camp instructors will wait with camper beside 'SPECIALTY CAMP PICKUP' signage. You will then sign you camper out with their instructor. Please do not enter the Community Center for pick up.**

**INCLEMENT WEATHER:**

Even though will make every attempt to hold sports camps outside, there will be times when we may need to make alternate arrangements. Please call 860-429-3015 ext. 4 in the event of inclement weather and follow the procedures provided to you at the start of camp. For Basketball camp, if it is a rain day, camp will end at 12pm and lunch will be held in a classroom.

**PHONE CALLS:**

Please call the Parks & Recreation office at (860) 429-3015 ext. 0. The schools have NO involvement with the camp during the summer and will NOT forward messages to campers or staff. The P&R office has a paging system to contact campers and staff during the day in emergency situations.

**SIGN IN AND OUT PROCEDURE:**

1. Campers entering grades 5 and under must have a parent/guardian sign them into the log book at the start of each day and sign them out of the log book each day.

2. Campers entering grades 6 and higher may sign in/out of the logbook themselves or by a parent/guardian if parents requested this at the time of registration. Coaches will not take responsibility for signing children in/out.  
**PLAYWELL AND MAD SCIENCE MAY HAVE THEIR OWN POLICIES REGARDING CAMPER SIGN IN AND OUT. THESE POLICIES WILL TAKE PRECEDENT**
3. Children will not be allowed to leave the camp with anyone other than those listed on the camp registration form. If you plan to have someone who you did not list on the camp registration form pick up your child a written note must be presented ahead of time to the camp director.
4. Until the camp staff gets to know you they may ask for identification. Please understand that this is to ensure the safety of all children.

# RETURN THE FOLLOWING APPLICABLE FORMS THE WEDNESDAY PRIOR TO THE FIRST DAY OF CAMP

FAILURE TO RETURN THESE FORMS BY THE DEADLINE MAY RESULT  
IN YOUR CHILD BEING UNABLE TO ATTEND CAMP.

- ✓ **CAMP REGISTRATION FORM** at time of registration
- ✓ **ADDITIONAL CAMP FORM** (includes health, pickups, and allergy info.)
- ✓ **Authorization for the Administration of cartridge injector (Epipen) or Inhalers by Camp Personnel** (if necessary)

(Please Print) Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Grade (Fall 2020) \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_



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Camp(s) attending \_\_\_\_\_  
(i.e. Camp Mansfield, Basketball Camp, etc.)

Session(s) attending \_\_\_\_\_

**Required Additional  
Camp Form**

**\*\*\*This form, along with a general registration form, must be completed before your child will be registered for all camps\*\*\***

**Grouping requests and camper self-sign in/out permission**

**Group Request:** We are happy to group campers with friend/relative who will be in the same grade in the Fall when possible.

\_\_\_\_ Please group with a friend or relative, Friend/Relative's Name \_\_\_\_\_

**Camper Sign In/Out** (entering grades 6 and up only): My child \_\_\_\_\_ **IS** allowed to sign himself/herself in and out of camp each day. I realize he/she may **NOT** sign other children (including siblings) in/out.

\_\_\_\_ We would like to take advantage of **summer swim education** program at Camp Mansfield. If you do not check off this box your child will not participate in swim activity at Camp Mansfield.

Parent/Guardian Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**Health Information (information is confidential to Camp Staff)**

1. Describe any current health conditions requiring medication, treatment, or special restrictions or considerations while at camp.

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Authorized camp staff may administer limited medication (epipens, asthma inhalers, or approved extraordinary situations) during the camp day in accordance with town policy. Campers are not allowed to carry their own medications, with the exception of inhalers and epipens. Self-administration of epipens and asthma inhalers require a self-administration of medication form to be completed. Forms available upon request.

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2. Please list any camper allergies (food, bee stings, medications, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

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3. Does the camper need special assistance or have any physical, sensorial, or developmental limitation? **If yes, a "Special Assistance" form must be filled out 15 days before attending camp.** Please request the special assistance form at the Community Center. 3. Also contact the camp director prior to your child starting camp.

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**To the best of my knowledge, the above information is up to date and correct.**

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**Parent/Guardian Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_