The summer programs, camps, and other educational opportunities listed in this brochure are offered by local community and cultural organizations for Louisville area students. They are designed to promote and enhance real-world experiences and nurture and support lifelong learning.
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Act in the Summer Academy

Sponsoring Organization: Commonwealth Theatre Center

Contact Person: Isaac Spradlin, isaac@commonwealththeatre.org, (502) 589-0084

Grades: 3–7

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts

Who: For students (ages 8–13) of all experience levels who want summer fun and the opportunity to produce a play for the stage, including a final public performance with sets, props, and costumes

What: Visit vivid Oz, and bring Frank L. Baum’s classic to the stage! Kids spend three weeks learning the actor’s toolkit and rehearsing this play for three public performances featuring professional set, lights, and costumes. Novices and experienced young actors work together as an ensemble, staying active and having a blast.

When: Three-week sessions meet 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. weekdays with performances on the final Friday and Saturday of each session. Eight sessions available: May 30–June 16, June 4–23, June 11–July 30, June 25–July 14, July 2–July 21, July 9–July 28, July 16–August 4, July 23–August 11

Where: Commonwealth Theatre Center, 1123 Payne St., Louisville, KY 40204

Transportation: No

Cost: $495 (aftercare additional through 5 p.m.) A $200 nonrefundable deposit is required to enroll.

Acting Camps for Middle and High School Students

Sponsoring Organization: Drama by George

Contact Person: George Halitzka, artistic director, (502) 718-5090

Grades: rising 6–11; Age requirements vary by camp; please see website.

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)

Who: Children ages 11–16; two separate camps for middle and high schoolers who enjoy acting or comedy

What: Advanced Center Stage Camp—Rehearse a fully staged play as you take your acting skills to the next level in this two-week camp for experienced performers.

Comedy Improv Camp—Have a blast learning the basics of comic acting without a script. We’ll show you the funny at Comedy Improv Camp!

When: Advanced Center Stage Camp: July 9–20, 9 a.m.–3:30 p.m., Mon.–Fri.

Comedy Improv Camp: July 23–27, 9 a.m.–12 noon daily

Where: Bellarmine University, 2001 Newburg Rd., Louisville, KY 40205

Transportation: No

Cost: Advanced Center Stage Camp: $349, Comedy Improv Camp: $149

Registration: Register online at www.dramabygeorge.com/camps.

Acting, Imagination, Shakespeare, and Fine Art

Sponsoring Organization: Commonwealth Theatre Center

Contact Person: Isaac Spradlin, isaac@commonwealththeatre.org, (502) 589-0084

Grades: PreK to high school seniors

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts

Who: For young people ages 3–18 of all experience levels who want to learn theatre, try out dramatic storytelling, or hone skills in acting, musical theatre, auditioning, and more.

What: Preschool, Imagination, and Art programs for kids plus Shakespeare, Acting, Audition Skills, Musical Theatre, and more for teens. Programs develop communication, teamwork, and confidence for novices and experienced young actors alike and are an exciting way to make friends and have blast!

When: Programs run all summer, from June 4 to August 10, in one-, two-, and three-week increments. See commonwealththeatre.org/summer for details.

Where: Commonwealth Theatre Center, 1123 Payne St., Louisville, KY 40204

Transportation: No

Cost: $160–$495 depending on program and duration

Registration: Call (502) 589-0084, or visit commonwealththeatre.org/summer. Sessions are limited to the number of speaking roles. A completed enrollment form and payment (deposit or in-full) reserve a space in each camp. No audition is required.
America to Zanzibar: Muslim Cultures Near and Far
Sponsoring Organization: Muhammad Ali Center
Contact Person: Elliot Mitrani, emitrani@alicenter.org
Grades: 1–12
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Mathematics, Social Studies, World Languages
Who: Families and students and professional development for teachers
What: On May 25, a new temporary exhibit will be opening at the Muhammad Ali Center called America to Zanzibar: Muslim Cultures Near and Far. This exhibit will celebrate and explore the diversity of Muslim cultures in America and around the world through art, architecture, design, music, travel, trade, and more, and it is enjoyable for all ages. The exhibit includes exploring world mosques/designing your own Muslim architecture buildings; creating your own music compositions; exploring the meaning of home through objects, art, stories, and music; bartering and trading at an international souk; and so much more! Guided curriculum tours are offered based on the exhibit for students.
When: May 25 to Dec. 31
Where: Muhammad Ali Center, 144 N. 6th St., Louisville, KY 40202
Transportation: We provide bus parking for student groups.
Cost: General admission prices for families and student prices for youth group tours ($6 dollars a student)

Art-Questrians: Art Camp at the Racetrack
Sponsoring Organization: Kentucky Derby Museum
Contact Person: Ronnie Dreistadt
Grades: Ages 10–14
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Practical Living (physical education [PE], health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies, Technology
Who: For students who want to learn, create, and exhibit works of art from some of Louisville’s most creative and gifted artists—you! Every day will feature a different art medium as we tell the story of our great horse race, the Kentucky Derby, through our art. We’ll also provide a behind-the-scenes, hands-on experience with our curatorial staff, learning about the conservation and preservation of artifacts.
What: Each day of camp will feature a different art medium, led by local artists and museum professionals. We will create works of art in painting, sketching, printmaking, sculpture, hat-making, and photography.
When: July 30–August 3, 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m.
Where: Kentucky Derby Museum, 700 Central Ave., Louisville, KY 40208
Transportation: None
Cost: $250 a student for all five days. Art supplies provided; however, sack lunches and snacks are not. There is a 20-student maximum for this camp.
Registration: Call Ronnie Dreistadt, manager of education services, at (502) 992-5911.

Art, Music, Theatre, and Dance Summer Camps
Sponsoring Organization: Oldham County Schools Arts Center
Contact Person: Leslie Daland or Heidi VanderZouwen, arts.center@oldham.kyschools.us
Grades: Ages 4–18
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)
Who: Camps for all children, ages 0–18. Dance classes and private voice and music lessons are available throughout the summer for ages 4–adult.
What: More than 40 camps and classes are offered in music, dance, theatre, and visual arts. Most summer camps are a half day each and run for one week. Camps may be combined for a full-day camp experience with a supervised lunch break. Full-day campers may have an extended day from 8:30 a.m.–4:30 p.m. for an additional fee of $15. Weekly lessons are offered to students in dance, Junior Orchestra, and private voice and music instruction. For a complete description of camp offerings, please visit www.ocsartscenter.org.
When: Camps are offered weekly, June 11–August 3
Where: Oldham County Schools Arts Center, 7105 Floydsburg Rd., Crestwood, KY 40014
Transportation: No
Cost: Art Camps—$75 and up, Music Camps—$120 and up, Theatre Camps—$135 and up, Dance Camps—$125 and up
Registration: You may register online at www.ocsartscenter.org or call the Arts Center at (502) 241-6018.
Belle of Louisville Historic Summer Cruises

Sponsoring Organization: Belle of Louisville

Contact Person: Kadie Engstrom, Education Coordinator—Call for specific historic and educational information, resources, or questions.

Grades: All

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Technology

Who: All students, teachers, school personnel, and families

What: Cruise on the oldest operating steam-powered river vessel of her kind in the world. It’s an exciting adventure, and it’s fun and educational too! Bring your friends and family, and be ready to explore an original paddlewheel steamboat that’s more than 100 years old and one of a kind!

When: Memorial Day–Labor Day; Most Thursday and Friday evenings, and Friday, Saturday, and Sunday afternoons. Additional cruises and special events are available in the late spring and early fall. Call for information on specific cruise dates and times. Schedules may vary. Check the event calendar at www.belleoflouisville.org. Narrated Harbor History cruises on the riverboat Mary M. Miller are every Saturday afternoon, June–October.

Where: 4th St. Wharf, 401 W. River Rd., Louisville, KY 40202

Transportation: Not provided, but city buses have a drop-off stop at 4th and Main (a walking distance of two blocks). School buses can park free in front of the boat.

Cost: Adults—$21, Seniors (ages 60+)—$20, Children (ages 4–12)—$12. Lunch and dinner buffets are also available; advance reservations are required. Call for information and prices.

Registration: Call the Belle of Louisville office at (502) 574-2992 or (toll free) (866) 832-0011, or purchase tickets online.

Belle of Louisville 2018 Summer Field Trips

Sponsoring Organization: Belle of Louisville

Contact Person: Reservations—Betty Cissell; Education Assistance—Kadie Engstrom

Grades: K–8

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies, Technology

Who: All students (In groups only—tickets are not sold to individuals.)

What: An exceptional opportunity to have students experience the oldest operating river steamboat in the country. Educational materials are available. Many social studies content connections are possible; this is also a cross-curriculum approach with elements of art, science, math, and language arts. Kadie Engstrom, education coordinator, can help connect the experience to your school curriculum.

When: Dates are available in June and July. Call for information. Boarding begins at 10:30 a.m.; cruising is from 11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.

Where: 4th St. Wharf, 401 W. River Rd., Louisville, KY 40202

Transportation: Not provided, but city buses have a drop-off stop at 4th and Main (a walking distance of two blocks). School buses can park free in front of the boat.

Cost: $7 a student; 1 free adult for every 10 students, $12 in advance for each additional adult

Registration: Call the Belle of Louisville office at (502) 574-2992, and ask for Group Sales.

Lost in the woods ... at Blackacre!

Sponsoring Organization: Blackacre State Nature Preserve and Historic Homestead

Contact Person: Allison Wroblewski

Grades: 2–4 (ages 7–10)

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Environmental Education, Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies
Who: Children ages 7–10 (This is great in combination with Wee Explorers for kids with younger siblings.)

What: During a fun-filled week, campers learn the skills needed to become a true explorer! Activities include hands-on experience learning nature safety, navigation in the forest, and how to build shelters. Campers will also take part in a group obstacle course and nature photo safari capturing all of their adventures!

When: July 9–13, 9 a.m.–11:30 a.m.

Where: Blackacre State Nature Preserve and Historic Homestead, 3200 Tucker Station Rd., Louisville, KY 40299

Transportation: No

Cost: $100/child

Registration: Visit our website at www.blackacreconservancy.org for information on how to register or contact our office at (502) 792-2505.

Blackacre Wee Explorers

Sponsoring Organization: Blackacre State Nature Preserve and Historic Homestead

Contact Person: Allison Wroblewski

Grades: K–1 (ages 4–7; must be potty-trained)

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Environmental Education, Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies

Who: Children in kindergarten and first grade. (This is great in combination with our Lost in the Woods … at Blackacre! summer camp for kids with older siblings.)

What: Can you stretch tall as a tree? Or hop like a bullfrog? Wee Explorers use their senses to discover the wonders of nature. Campers enjoy a daily nature theme through animal-inspired yoga poses, hands-on explorations, crafts, games, and stories. Your explorer will develop an awareness and appreciation for our natural environment.

When: July 9–13, 9–11:30 a.m.

Where: Blackacre State Nature Preserve and Historic Homestead, 3200 Tucker Station Rd., Louisville, KY 40299

Transportation: No

Cost: $40

Registration: Contact Rae Ann Sauer at (502) 588-6130 or rsauer@sar.org by June 7.

Camp ArtyFact

Sponsoring Organization: Kentucky Historical Society (KHS)

Contact Person: Julie Sawnor

Grades: K–6

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies, Technology

Who: Children ages 5 through 12

What: Camp ArtyFact takes children throughout the KHS history campus—exhibits and museum storage to the Old State Capitol and the Kentucky Military History Museum—and into downtown Frankfort. Campers learn Kentucky history and make their own creations inspired by historical artifacts, events, and culture. Learn more at https://history.ky.gov/camp-artyfact/.

When: June 11–15, June 18–22, June 25–29, July 9–13, July 16–20, July 23–27, July 30–August 3, with sessions in the morning and afternoon

Where: Thomas D. Clark Center for Kentucky History, 100 W. Broadway, Frankfort, KY 40601

Transportation: No
Cost: $70 a student for KHS members and $75 a student for nonmembers

Registration: Register online at https://history.ky.gov/camp-artyfact/, or call (502) 564-1792, Ext. 4408.

Camp Curious K–8 Camps

Sponsoring Organization: St. Francis School

Contact Person: Debbie Adkins, director of Summer Programs, (502) 795-3860, dadkins@stfrancisschool.org

Grades: Entering kindergarten–grade 8

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Technology, World Languages

Who: Elementary and middle school students

What: Experience 64 acres of summer fun with full and half-day camps, Monday–Friday starting at 9 a.m. Specialty camps include Camp Invention, Bricks 4 Kidz, Scratch, Wildlife Gardener, musical theater, art, and more!

When: May 29–July 20, starting at 9 a.m. with varying end times

Where: St. Francis School, 11000 U.S. Highway 42, Goshen, KY 40026

Transportation: No

Cost: $180–$460

Registration: Information and registration at www.stfrancisschool.org. Please call Debbie Adkins, director of Summer Programs, at (502) 795-3860 for questions.

Camp Curious Preschool Camps

Sponsoring Organization: St. Francis School

Contact Person: Renee Hennessy, preschool director, (502) 694-9369, rhennessy@stfrancisschool.org

Grades: Preschool–kindergarten

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Environmental Education, Science

Who: Children ages 2 through 5 years old (Children must be 2 by the first day of the session.)

What: Half-day camps, Monday–Friday, from 9 a.m.–1 p.m., with weekly themes guiding new experiences. Themes include Treasure Hunters; Once Upon a Time; Summer Suncatchers; and Happy Birthday, Eric Carle! Every Tuesday is splash day where campers can cool off with sprinklers and water tables!

When: June 4–29, 9 a.m.–1 p.m.

Where: St. Francis School, 11000 U.S. Highway 42, Goshen, KY 40026

Transportation: No

Cost: $195

Registration: Information and registration at www.stfrancisschool.org. Please call Renee Hennessy, preschool director, at (502) 694-9369 for questions.

Camp Rapunzel

Sponsoring Organization: Derby Dinner Playhouse Performing Arts Academy

Contact Person: Tina Jo Wallace

Grades: PreK–2 (ages 5–7)

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts

Who: Students ages 5–7 who are interested in drama and musical theatre

What: See the professional production of Rapunzel, meet with the cast for a postperformance talk-back and pictures, and take a behind-the-scenes tour. After lunch, students take three short classes where they learn a song and dance from the show to share at the end of the day and get their own camp T-shirt and certificate.

When: Thursday, June 7, from 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m., or Friday, June 8, from 9:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Where: Derby Dinner Playhouse, 525 Marriott Dr., Clarksville, IN 47129

Transportation: No, but free parking is available.

Cost: $60 (includes ticket to show, class, and camp T-shirt)

Registration: Download forms at www.derbydinner.com/classes/. Email wallace@derbydinner.com, or call (812) 288-2632, Ext. 132.

Camp Shakespeare

Sponsoring Organization: Kentucky Shakespeare

Contact Person: Hannah Pruitt

Grades: PreK–12

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts
**Camp Shakespeare at Locust Grove**

**Sponsoring Organization:** Kentucky Shakespeare  
**Contact Person:** Hannah Pruitt  
**Grades:** 2–7  
**Content Standards:** Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Social Studies  
**Who:** For students ages 7–12 who have a passion to grow as theatre artists in a creative, fun, and engaging environment  
**What:** Our unique camp experience at another exciting location! This customized opportunity will introduce campers to theatre, Shakespeare’s works, and how to build an ensemble-based performance piece by emphasizing collaboration and teamwork. Campers will explore the rich history of Locust Grove and grow as artists at the same time!  
**When:** June 4–8, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.  
**Where:** Historic Locust Grove, 561 Blankenbaker Ln., Louisville, KY 40207  
**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** $195  
**Registration:** Visit [www.kyshakespeare.com/education/camps](http://www.kyshakespeare.com/education/camps) for information and [kentuckyshakespeare.squarespace.com](http://kentuckyshakespeare.squarespace.com) to register.

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**Center Stage Drama Camp**

**Sponsoring Organization:** Drama by George  
**Contact Person:** George Halitzka, artistic director, (502) 718-5090  
**Grades:** Rising 3rd–7th graders  
**Content Standards:** Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)  
**Who:** Children ages 8–12 who want to rehearse and perform a play in just one week  
**What:** Here’s your chance to learn basic acting skills as you rehearse and perform a short play. Find out why theatre is so much fun at Center Stage Drama Camp!  
**When:** June 25–29, 9 a.m.–12 noon daily  
**Where:** Bellarmine University, 2001 Newburg Rd., Louisville, KY 40205  
**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** $149  
**Registration:** Register online at [www.dramabygeorge.com/camps](http://www.dramabygeorge.com/camps).
Clint Vaught Young Actors Institute

Sponsoring Organization: Youth Performing Arts School (YPAS)

Contact Person: Nikki Gregory, nikki.gregory@jefferson.kyschools.us, (502) 313-4960

Grades: 4–8 (ages 10–14)

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English-Language Arts, Social Studies

Who: For students ages 10–14 of all experience levels who would enjoy the opportunity to produce Disney's Aladdin Junior for the stage. The play will include full sets, props, and costumes.

What: We fulfill the hopes, dreams, and aspirations of 10- to 14-year-old artists in our local community by providing a theatrical program that demonstrates a professional level of customer service with reliable, up-to-date, and emerging performing art techniques.

When: The program runs June 4–15. This two-week session meets 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. weekdays with three performances on the final day of camp (11 a.m., 3:30 p.m., and 5:30 p.m.), Friday, June 15.

Where: YPAS, 1517 S. 2nd St., 40208

Transportation: No

Cost: $360 (A $100 nonrefundable deposit is required.)

Registration: Call (502) 313-4960, or visit ypas.org. A completed enrollment form and payment (deposit or in full) reserve a space in our camp. Auditions will take place the first day of the camp.

Come Home to the Howards

Sponsoring Organization: Howard Steamboat Museum

Contact Person: Keith Norrington

Grades: K–12

Content Standards: Social Studies, Technology

Who: Students, teachers, school administrators, parents

What: This lovingly restored Victorian-Era house museum is a magnificent example of architecture and history rolled into one. The Howard family is represented, and models, artifacts, photographs, and other exhibits highlight the industry of steamboat building that was the Howards’ way of life. It’s a magnificent link to our river-area cultural past.

When: Tuesday through Sunday (closed on Mondays and major holidays). Tuesday–Saturday, house opens at 10 a.m.; Sunday, house opens at 1 p.m. On all days, the last tour starts at 3 p.m.

Where: 1101 E. Market St., Jeffersonville, IN 47130

Transportation: No

Cost: Adults–$7, Seniors–$6, Students–$5

Registration: Call (812) 283-3728 for information. Groups of 10 or more must make a 2-week advance reservation. Tours can be guided or self-guided.

Derby Dinner Summer Musical Theatre Camp

Sponsoring Organization: Derby Dinner Playhouse Performing Arts Academy

Contact Person: Tina Jo Wallace

Grades: 1–12

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English-Language Arts

Who: Students, ages 7–17 who are interested in drama and musical theatre

What: Derby Dinner Playhouse Performing Arts Academy Summer Musical Theatre Camp is a 1-week theatre camp that focuses on music, dance, and drama. Taught by Derby Dinner Playhouse professionals, campers explore songs, dances, and scenes from Broadway musicals. Each camp culminates in a final sharing on the Playhouse stage.

When: 9 a.m.–3 p.m.


Week 2: June 18–22 meets Mon., Tues., Wed., Thurs., Fri.

Week 3: July 16–21 meets Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., Sat. (no camp on Wed.)

Week 4: July 23–28 meets Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., Sat. (no camp on Wed.)

Week 5: July 30–Aug. 4 meets Mon., Tues., Thurs., Fri., Sat. (no camp on Wed.)

Where: Derby Dinner Playhouse, 525 Marriott Dr., Clarksville, IN 47129

Transportation: No (Free parking is available.)

Cost: $175 a week (includes camp T-shirt); $25 discount for siblings

Registration: Download forms at www.derbydinner.com/classes/. Email wallace@derbydinner.com, or call (812) 288-2632, Ext. 132.
DramaWorks Theatre Camps

Sponsoring Organization: StageOne Family Theatre
Contact Person: Jamie Lynn Sutton
Grades: PreK–12
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)
Who: Ages 4–18. Younger students explore theatre basics using dramatic play to create characters and imaginative worlds, while older students are immersed in the creative process of performance and production. Camps are led by professional artists and educators from StageOne’s DramaWorks Camps.
What: From storybook theatre to filmmaking, from audition techniques to performance camps, DramaWorks camps offer instruction for everyone from the novice actor to the proficient performer. Students use body, voice, and imagination to problem-solve, work together as a team, and strengthen confidence and poise in a ridiculously fun environment!
When: June 4–August 3. All-day, half-day, and multiweek options are available depending on the session. Extended day options also available.
Where: Lincoln Elementary Performing Arts School (LPAS), 930 E. Main St., 40206
Transportation: No
Cost: Costs vary depending on the session. Multibooking and Family Pass membership discounts are available.
Registration: Registration is now open. Visit stageone.org/kids/camp, or call (502) 498-2436.

Educamp

Sponsoring Organization: Second Chances Wildlife Center
Contact Person: Brigette Brouillard
Grades: 2–6
Content Standards: Environmental Education, Science
Who: Children ages 8–12
What: Learn about Kentucky wildlife, why it’s important, and how we care for wildlife. Each camper will “adopt” one rescue animal for the duration of camp. Campers will have the opportunity to meet live educational animals each day. We will offer educational and fun games, hands-on learning activities, outdoor activities, indoor free exploration time, and snacks. T-shirt included. Lunch provided Friday.
When: July 9–13 2018; 9 a.m.–3 p.m.
July 30–August 3 2018; 9 a.m.–3 p.m.
Where: Second Chances Wildlife Center, 487 Gentry Ln., Mt. Washington, KY 40047
Transportation: No
Cost: $350
Registration: Visit secondchanceswildlife.org to print form.

Family Workshops

Sponsoring Organization: Kentucky Historical Society (KHS)
Contact Person: Carol Bolton
Grades: 1–6
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Social Studies
Who: Children ages 6 through 12 (but all ages are welcome) and their parents and grandparents; especially ideal for homeschoolers
What: Dig deep into Kentucky history through these interactive workshops for the whole family! We’ll explore a new topic each month, examining artifacts, images, and documents from KHS collections to reveal the commonwealth’s past. Craft projects allow participants to build new skills and take their learning home. Learn more at https://history.ky.gov/family-workshops/.
When: June 12, July 10, and Aug. 14, 10 a.m.–12 noon
Where: Thomas D. Clark Center for Kentucky History, 100 W. Broadway, Frankfort, KY 40601
Transportation: No
Cost: $10 a family, which includes an adult and two children. Additional family members are $5 each. If you are a current KHS member, you will receive $5 off the total cost.
Registration: Call (502) 564-1792, Ext. 4408. Payment is due the day of the workshop.

Field-to-Fork Summer Field Study

Sponsoring Organization: The Food Literacy Project at Oxmoor Farm
Contact Person: Erin Hargrove
Grades: All grades
Content Standards: Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science
Who: School-age children enrolled in Louisville agency summer programs, churches, schools, and any other groups interested in outdoor education experiences

What: Participants experience hands-on activities as they get their hands dirty, taste new foods fresh from the field, and get involved in the work of Oxmoor Farm, our living classroom. Students are challenged by inquiry-based group programs that emphasize authentic experiences and use all their senses.

When: Monday–Friday, May–August

Where: Food Literacy Project at Oxmoor Farm, 9001 Limehouse Ln., Louisville, KY 40222

Transportation: No

Cost: Priced per group. $250 (up to 25 participants), $450 (26–50 participants)

Registration: Visit [www.foodliteracyproject.org](http://www.foodliteracyproject.org) for applications and more information, or email program manager Erin Hargrove at erin@foodliteracyproject.org, or call (502) 491-0072.

Forest Nature Day Camps

Sponsoring Organization: Jefferson Memorial Forest

Contact Person: Andrea Clark and David Grismom

Grades: 2–9

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies

Who: Children ages 7–15

What: By combining scientific study, experiments, and exploration with summer camp fun, your child will have an educational adventure to remember for a lifetime. Visit [memorialforest.com](http://memorialforest.com) for more information.

When: Adventure Camp: June 11–15 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)/July 16–20 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)

Wilderness Survival Camp: June 18–22 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)/July 23–27 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)

Water Wonders Camp: June 25–29 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)

Eco Extreme Camp: July 9–13 (9 a.m.–4 p.m. with one overnight)

Fairy, Trolls, and Gnomes Camp: July 9–13 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)/July 30–August 3 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)

Nature Camp at Locust Grove: July 30–August 3 (9 a.m.–4 p.m.)


Transportation: Yes—Shuttle service provided from George Rogers Clark Park, 1024 Thruston Ave. (at Thruston and Poplar Level Rd.). The cost is $30 per camper, per week.

Cost: $150–$200

Registration: Download a registration form at [www.memorialforest.com](http://www.memorialforest.com), or call (502) 368-5404 to request that a registration packet be mailed to you.

Frazier History Museum Summer Camps

Sponsoring Organization: Frazier History Museum

Contact Person: Mick Sullivan, msullivan@fraziermuseum.org, (502) 753-5660

Grades: Rising 1st–7th (Varies by camp. See individual descriptions.)

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Social Studies

Who: We welcome young minds who like to take their learning with a big helping of fun. We love students and parents with a basic or deep interest in history, drama, arts, and great stories in general.

What: If you’re hungry for a summer full of fun, learning, creativity, and camaraderie, the Frazier’s Summer Camp of Blockbusters will be your ticket. Our energetic and engaging Summer Camps are designed for rising 1st through 7th graders. (Please see individual camp descriptions for suggested age range.)

When: Various themes weekly from June 4–August 3. Check website for details. Hours are 9 a.m.–4 p.m. with aftercare available.

Where: 829 W. Main St., Louisville, KY 40202

Transportation: No

Cost: Weeklong—$205 nonmember, $180 member; day camps—$40 nonmember, $35 member

Registration: [www.fraziermuseum.org/summercamps](http://www.fraziermuseum.org/summercamps), mail, or call (502) 753-5660

Gheens Science Hall and Rauch Planetarium Summer Camps

Sponsoring Organization: Gheens Science Hall and Rauch Planetarium

Who: All ages

What: A galaxy of fun and learning experiences for kids of all ages

When: May–August

Where: 2620 Catholic Church Dr., Louisville, KY 40218

Transportation: Yes—Shuttle service provided from George Rogers Clark Park, 1024 Thruston Ave. (at Thruston and Poplar Level Rd.). The cost is $30 per camper, per week.

Cost: $150–$200

Registration: Download a registration form at [www.gheens.org](http://www.gheens.org), or call (502) 368-5404 to request that a registration packet be mailed to you.
**Hands-On S.T.E.A.M. Camps**

**Sponsoring Organization:** Zaniac Learning @ Hurstbourne  
**Contact Person:** Tammy Gnagy  
**Grades:** K–8  
**Content Standards:** Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Technology  
**Who:** K–grade 8 students  
**What:** Calling all coders, explorers, engineers, and designers! Zaniac Summer Camps are ideal for your curious child. Go on a Science, Technology, Engineering, Art, and Math (STEAM) adventure with us! Each camp is tailored to children’s needs and grouped for your child’s age and grade. Space is limited, so enroll today!  
**When:** Weekly from May 30–August 10. Full-day camps from 8 a.m.–5 p.m. (lunch provided); half-day camps from 8 a.m.–12 noon and 1 to 5 p.m.  
**Where:** Zaniac Hurstbourne, 1257 S. Hurstbourne Pkwy., Louisville, KY 40222  
**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** $249 half-day and $399 full-day—Early bird coupon code: coolcamps2018  
**Registration:** Register online at www.zaniaclearning.com/hurstbourne/programs/summer-camps/

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**Horse Riding and Care Summer Camp**

**Sponsoring Organization:** Silver Lining Stable  
**Contact Person:** Nicole Reason  
**Grades:** 1–8  
**Content Standards:** Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science  
**Who:** Children ages 5–13  
**What:** This camp is designed for children to safely experience being on a working horse farm. The children will learn how to ride, groom, and tack up the horses. We will cover basic horse care, riding, grooming, tack, and a variety of other topics related to horse care. We will also do horse crafts, swim, and hear a guest speaker.  
**When:** June 11–15 and July 16–20, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. Early drop-off and late pick-up are available.  
**Where:** Silver Lining Stable, 9300 Old Bardstown Rd., Louisville, KY 40291  
**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** $325 a child—A discount is available for multiple children of the same family.  
**Registration:** Register online at www.silverliningsablesky.com. Call or text (502) 295-6683, or email ngtreason@yahoo.com.

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**I Spy in the American Revolution**

**Sponsoring Organization:** Sons of the American Revolution  
**Contact Person:** Rae Ann Sauer  
**Grades:** 5–8  
**Content Standards:** Social Studies  
**Who:** Children aged 10–14 interested in history and spying!  
**What:** Secret codes, invisible ink, and aliases—all these tools and more were employed by both the Americans and British. Campers will discover traitors, uncover espionage secrets of the American Revolution, and use spy techniques to protect vital messages. Get ready to send your own secret messages!
International Spy Camp (ISC)
Sponsoring Organization: Los Monitos Language Company

Contact Person: Chelsea Winchell
Grades: Ages 8–12
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Social Studies, World Languages
Who: Children ages 8–12. No previous knowledge of foreign language or travel is required.
What: Two continentally focused spy camps are offered, which expose operatives-in-training to all the skills and knowledge that a successful international spy must possess. Regions of Europe (France, Germany, Italy, and Spain) and Asia (China, Japan, India, and S. Korea) are explored through daily briefings, exposure to written and spoken world languages, cooking, traveling, and field trips.
When: All camps are from 9 a.m.–4 p.m., with pick-up available until 4:30 p.m.
July 16–20: ISC Asia
July 23–27: ISC Europe
Where: 503 Washburn Ave., Suite 201, 40222
Transportation: No
Cost: $189

iRead Summer Reading Camp
Sponsoring Organization: Portland Museum
Contact Person: Teresa Lee
Grades: 3–5
Content Standards: English/Language Arts
Who: Students who want to improve their reading skills as well as students seeking extra practice to prevent the “summer slide” during summer break.
What: The Portland Museum’s 2-week summer iRead program develops the reading skills of children of all reading levels. Led by a trained reading instructor who provides instruction geared to the child’s individual abilities. Participants receive reading

International Adventure and Cooking Camps
Sponsoring Organization: Los Monitos Language Company

Contact Person: Chelsea Winchell, (440) 856-6209, chelsea@losmonitos.com
Grades: Ages 6–10
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Social Studies, World Languages
Who: Children ages 6–10. No previous knowledge of foreign language or travel is required.
What: Your children won’t realize how much they’re learning this summer! Six camps are offered: Spanish Cooking, French Cooking, European Cooking, Asian Cooking, Spanish Treasure Hunters, French Filmmakers, and Los Artistas. Campers interact with native speakers while they absorb foreign languages and the culture and geography of other countries through hands-on activities, music, media, and food.
When:
June 4–8: Los Artistas
June 11–15: French Cooking
June 18–22: European Cooking
June 25–29: French Filmmakers
July 2, 3, 5, 6 (4-day camp): Spanish Treasure Hunters
July 9–13: Asian Cooking
July 30–August 3: Spanish Cooking
Where: 503 Washburn Ave., Suite 201, 40222
Transportation: No
Cost: $189
level recommendations, one-on-one mentoring, supplemental art activities, and daily snacks in a supportive environment with friends.

Who: Kids ages 8–14 who are already taking music lessons or complete beginners to music are welcome!

What: The Orff Ensemble Camp will teach children to play recorders, xylophones, and small percussion instruments in a diverse repertoire of world music. The Children’s Choir Camp will provide children the opportunity to develop their music talents through singing. We’ll explore choral repertoire of the highest quality folk and art music from around the world. For more information, visit [https://thelorffensemble.wikispaces.com/](https://thelorffensemble.wikispaces.com/).

When: July 23–August 3, morning and afternoon sessions

Where: The Louisville Academy of Music, 2740 Frankfort Ave., Louisville, KY 40206

Transportation: No

Cost: $150 a week

Registration: Contact Penelope Quesada at zq195012@gmail.com, and read more about her teaching at [https://thelorffensemble.wikispaces.com/](https://thelorffensemble.wikispaces.com/).

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**Junior Curator**

**Sponsoring Organization:** The Conrad-Caldwell House Museum

**Contact Person:** Kate Meador

**Grades:** 4–6

**Content Standards:** English/Language Arts, Social Studies

Who: For students interested in history and architecture

What: The Conrad-Caldwell House Museum, also known as “Louisville’s Castle,” is located on beautiful St. James Court in the heart of Old Louisville. On Wednesday afternoons at our 1 p.m. tour, we will offer a “junior curators” tour of the collection. Peek into the nooks and crannies of the museum, examine items over 100 years old, and experience what life was like in a time when indoor plumbing was new!

When: Wednesdays at 1 p.m., May 30–August 1

Where: The Conrad-Caldwell House Museum, 1402 St. James Ct., Louisville, KY 40208

Transportation: No

Cost: $6 for students; $8 for seniors/military; $10 for adults

Registration: Email Kate Meador at kmeador@conradcaldwell.org, or call (502) 636-5023.

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**KMAC Museum Summer Art Camps**

**Sponsoring Organization:** KMAC Museum

**Contact Person:** Mary Clore, Education Coordinator

**Grades:** K–8

**Content Standards:** Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Mathematics, Science, Social Studies

Who: Students ages 5–14

What: This summer at KMAC, get your hands messy with Sculptacular Camp, where campers will be introduced to sculpture and inspired to create their own. In Art Exploration Camp, campers will be introduced to an array of different media. Teen artists can wonder, discover, and create among nature at Blackacre Camp.

When:

- **June 11–15:** Sculptacular: Sculpture and Clay Camp, ages 5–8
- **June 18–22:** Sculptacular: Sculpture and Clay Camp, ages 8–11
- **June 25–29:** Blackacre: Art-in-Nature Camp, ages 11–14
- **July 9–13:** Sculptacular: Sculpture and Clay Camp, ages 5–8
- **July 16–20:** Art Exploration: Mixed Media Camp, ages 5–8
- **July 23–27:** Art Exploration: Mixed Media Camp, ages 8–11
Legends Never Die! *The Sandlot* Celebrates 25 Years

**Sponsoring Organization:** Louisville Slugger Museum and Factory  
**Contact Person:** Deana Lockman/Terecia Helm  
**Grades:** K–12  
**Content Standards:** Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Social Studies  
**Who:** Students K–12 will find Legends Never Die fun and educational.  
**What:** As part of the 25th anniversary of its theatrical release, the hit movie that will be “For-Ev-Ver” remembered with pop-culture touchstones like The Beast, Wendy Peffercorn, and “You’re killin’ me, Smalls!” has teamed-up with Louisville Slugger Museum and Factory for a mini-exhibit showcasing authentic props from the movie, artwork, and behind-the-scenes photography.  
**When:** March 31—September 9  
**Where:** Louisville Slugger Museum and Factory, 800 W. Main St., Louisville, KY 40202  
**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** Admission to Legends Never Die is free with regular museum admission—$15 (13–59), $14 (60+), $8 (6–12), and 5 and younger are free.  
**Registration:** No registration is necessary.

Lifelong Friends Camp

**Sponsoring Organization:** Kentucky Humane Society  
**Contact Person:** Shelby Schulz, (502) 272-1062  
**Grades:** Ages 6–11  
**Content Standards:** Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies)  
**Who:** Children who have a desire to learn about dogs and cats  
**What:** Campers are immersed in learning about pet care and responsibility via hands-on activities, demonstrations, games, crafts, skits, and more—learning compassion while having fun.  
**When:** 8 weeks, June–July  
**Where:** Kentucky Humane Society East Campus, 1000 Lyndon Ln., Louisville, KY 40222
Louisville Ballet School Summer Semester Programs

Sponsoring Organization: The Louisville Ballet School

Contact Person: Kristine Orms, director of Education

Grades: PreK–12

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)

Who: Students ages 3–18 who are interested in dance, movement, and the arts

What: The Louisville Ballet School offers camps, classes, and workshops for those just beginning their dance journey and for those who have a growing passion for dance. With so many options and 9 weeks of programming, you are sure to find the perfect program for you!

When: June 4–August 3. Various sessions are available. Visit louisvilleballetschool.org for specific session dates and times.

Where: Louisville Ballet School, St. Matthews Studio, 4121 Shelbyville Rd., 40207, and Louisville Ballet, Downtown Studio, 315 E. Main St., 40202

Transportation: No

Cost: Varies by session:
$50–100 (Workshops/Master Classes)
$65–$170 (Weekly Classes)
$210–$475 (Camps and Intensives)

Registration: Submit registrations online, via email to school@louisvilleballet.org, by fax to 583-0006, or by mail to Louisville Ballet School, 315 E. Main St., 40202. For questions, call Tara Gardner at 583-3150, Ext. 1.

Louisville Truck Farm

Sponsoring Organization: The Food Literacy Project at Oxmoor Farm

Contact Person: Erin Hargrove

Grades: All ages, all grades

Content Standards: Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science

Who: School-age children enrolled in Louisville agency summer programs, churches, schools, and any other groups interested in outdoor education experiences

What: Can’t make it to visit us on the farm? We bring the farm to you with Truck Farm, our mobile, edible, educational garden growing in the bed of a pickup truck! Participants experience hands-on activities as they get their hands dirty, taste fresh foods, and learn about creative growing practices.

When: Times are determined by organization.

Where: We come to you!

Transportation: No

Cost: Price depends on program length and location.

Registration: Visit www.foodliteracyproject.org for applications and more information, or email program manager Erin Hargrove at erin@foodliteracyproject.org, or call (502) 491-0072.

Louisville Visual Art Clifton Summer Camps

Sponsoring Organization: Louisville Visual Art (LVA)

Contact Person: Annette Cable, annette@louisvillevisualart.org

Grades: 2–8 (Ages 7–14)

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)

Who: Young artists ages 7–14

What: Join LVA for our exciting summer art camps, including Stop-Motion Animation, Digital Photography, Painting Lab, Creature Feature, Food Fight, Comic Art, Cardboard Laboratory, and more. Students work with teaching artists to stretch their imaginations, learn new techniques, explore new media, and spend the summer creating!

When: Weekly, June 4–August 3, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Where: Holy Trinity Clifton Campus (formerly Clifton Center), 2117 Payne St., Louisville, KY 40206

Transportation: No

Cost: $230/full-day camp

Registration: Register online at www.louisvillevisualart.org/camps-workshops.

Louisville Visual Art “Off-Site” Camps

Sponsoring Organization: Louisville Visual Art

Contact Person: Annette Cable, annette@louisvillevisualart.org

Grades: 2–6, ages 7–12

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)
Who: Young artists, ages 7–12  
What: Join LVA on art adventures in two exciting locations! “Yew Dell: Art in Nature” at Yew Dell Botanical Gardens finds students exploring the beautiful grounds to create artwork inspired by the natural world. “Waterfront Adventures” invites young artists to explore the Ohio River Waterfront through art activities and afternoon outings.

When: Weekly, June 4–July 27, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.  
Transportation: No  
Cost: $230/full-day camp  
Registration: Register online at www.louisvillevisualart.org/camps-workshops.

Louisville Zoo’ Safari Day Camp  
Sponsoring Organization: Louisville Zoo  
Contact Person: Fred Hougland  
Grades: PreK–6  
Content Standards: Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science  
Who: Students who are interested in learning about animals and plants and the interactions of our planet  
What: Camps include zoo walks, large animal presentations, attraction rides, and up-close encounters with live animal ambassadors. New this year—a two-week-long Zoo Academy for a behind-the-scenes exploration of veterinary medicine and exhibit design. With extended hours and convenient car line drop-off service, we make it an exciting summer for children and parents!  
When: May 29–Aug 3: Camps are 1 to 2 weeks each, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (drop-off, 8–9 a.m.; pick-up, 4–5 p.m.)  
Where: Louisville Zoo, 1100 Trevilian Wy., 40213  
Transportation: None  
Cost: 1-week class—July 5–8, May 29–June 1, $212/week for zoo members, $236 for nonmembers  
2-week classes—$500/session for zoo members, $560/session for nonmembers  
Registration: Online registration at www.louisvillezoo.org/education. For more information, send an email to zooeducation@louisvilleky.gov, or call (502) 238-5358.

Math and Science Program  
Sponsoring Organization: Lincoln Foundation  
Contact Person: Jimmy Houseal  
Grades: 9–12  
Content Standards: Environmental Education, Mathematics, Science, Technology  
Who: High school students in grades 9–12  
What: The Math and Science Program engages students in a real-world laboratory setting conducting research and scientific investigations around the global issues of biodiversity, water quality, and energy. The hands-on, interdisciplinary Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics (STEM) curriculum prepares students for their next levels in math and science.  
When: Monday–Friday, June 11–22, 1–5 p.m.  
Where: UofL College of Arts and Sciences, UofL Belknap Campus, 2301 S. 3rd St., Louisville, KY 40292  
Transportation: No, but TARC tickets are provided daily to students who ride the bus.  
Cost: $100  
Registration: Applications are available on the Lincoln Foundation website at www.lincolnfdn.org or in the office at 200 W. Broadway, Suite 500, Louisville, KY 40202, (502) 585-4733, Ext. 222.

Memphis the Musical Performing Arts Camp  
Sponsoring Organization: Youth Repertory Theater Troupe of Louisville  
Contact Person: Erica D. Bledsaw  
Grades: 6–12  
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)  
Who: Youth ages 12–18 who have an interest in learning all aspects of musical theatre and performing in a full-scale production. We are looking for an integrated cast!  
What: Youth who are cast and chosen to participate will immerse themselves for 8 weeks preparing to perform
the Tony Award-winning musical *Memphis*. Youth will take classes in acting, singing, dance, costume design, and stagecraft that will ultimately get them ready to hit the stage. You must call to set up an audition before June 1!

**When:** June 11–August 5, 9 a.m.–3 p.m., Monday–Friday, early drop-off at 8:30 a.m. and late pick-up at 3:30 p.m.

**Where:** Louisville Central Community Center, 1300 W. Muhammad Ali Blvd., Louisville, KY 40203

**Transportation:** No

**Cost:** $300 early bird special; $350 after June 1!

**Registration:** Visit [lcccnews.org](http://lcccnews.org) for information on how to register or call Erica Bledsaw at (502) 583-8821, Ext. 130. Youth must audition and be cast in the show in order to attend the camp.

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**My Gym Classes**

**Sponsoring Organization:** My Gym Louisville  
**Contact Person:** Julie Halitzka, Site Director  
**Grades:** Babies–grade 4  
**Content Standards:** Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies)  
**Who:** For families with children ages 0–10 years  
**What:** From baby’s first steps to picture-worthy handstands, My Gym grows with your children. Our classes shape skills and build confidence to help children become active, healthy, social, and most of all, happy kids.

**When:** Our classes meet once a week throughout the entire summer. Check our schedule for specific times for your child’s age group.

**Where:** My Gym Louisville, Village Square Plaza, 11770 Shelbyville Rd., Louisville, KY 40243

**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** $51–71/month depending upon the program; sibling discounts are available.

**Registration:** Visit our website to view the schedule and register for classes at [https://mygym.com/louisville](https://mygym.com/louisville).

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**My Gym Summer Camp**

**Sponsoring Organization:** My Gym Louisville  
**Contact Person:** Julie Halitzka, Site Director  
**Grades:** PreK–2 (ages 3–8)  
**Content Standards:** Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies)  
**Who:** For all children ages 3–8 years  
**What:** Our Summer Camp includes energizing games, exciting gymnastics, cool arts and crafts, and music to keep your child moving and engaged at our state-of-the-art children’s gym. We have eight exciting theme weeks planned: Star Wars, Pirates and Princesses, Ninja Warrior, Paw Patrol, Moana, Sports, Ninja Turtle, and Superhero.

**When:** Camps run Monday–Thursday from 1–4 p.m., June 4–August 2.

**Where:** My Gym Louisville, Village Square Plaza, 11770 Shelbyville Rd., Louisville, KY 40243

**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** $30/day or $100/week for the first child; additional children are $20/day.

**Registration:** Visit our website to register: [https://goo.gl/5qPBZ1](https://goo.gl/5qPBZ1).

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**Phenomenal Forest**

**Sponsoring Organization:** Louisville Nature Center  
**Contact Person:** Tank Percentie  
**Grades:** 2–7  
**Content Standards:** Environmental Education, Science, Social Studies  
**Who:** Ages 7–12  
**What:** Let’s spend the morning investigating the wildlife who live here at the Beargrass State Nature Preserve. After lunch, let your child’s mind go wild as he or she experiments with the elements and learns how science and curiosity work together to answer the wackiest of questions.

**When:** July 23–27, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

**Where:** Louisville Nature Center, 3745 Illinois Ave., Louisville, KY 40213

**Transportation:** No  
**Cost:** $176 for members, $220 for nonmembers

**Registration:** Call (502) 458-1328, or go to the website at [www.louisvillenaturecenter.org](http://www.louisvillenaturecenter.org).

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**Project BUILD**

**Sponsoring Organization:** Lincoln Foundation  
**Contact Person:** Joan Cole  
**Grades:** 11–12  
**Content Standards:** Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Technology  
**Who:** Multicultural students entering 11th or 12th
grade with a grade point average (GPA) of 2.5 or higher may apply. Students selected for the program should demonstrate leadership ability, creativity, curiosity, and enthusiasm for learning. Career interest in the field of business and/or management is recommended but not required.

What: Project Business United In Leadership Development (BUILD) is a mini-MBA program that introduces promising multicultural high school juniors and seniors to the world of business through collegiate-level business courses and interaction with corporations, executives, and entrepreneurs. Courses of study include accounting, economics, entrepreneurship, finance, management, and marketing.

When: Monday–Friday, June 4–29, 9 a.m.–12 noon
Where: UofL College of Business, 2301 S. Third St., Louisville, KY 40292
Transportation: No, but TARC tickets are provided daily to students riding the bus.
Cost: There is no fee to participate in Project BUILD.
Registration: Applications are available on the Lincoln Foundation website at www.lincolnfdn.org or in the office at 200 W. Broadway, Suite 500, Louisville, KY 40202, (502) 585-4733, Ext. 221.

Rockin’ Rhythms Music Classes

Sponsoring Organization: Rockin’ Rhythms Music
Contact Person: Julie Halitzka, Owner
Grades: Babies–K
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies)
Who: For families with children ages 0–6 years
What: Rockin’ Rhythms music classes allow you to nurture your child’s musical potential in a playful and fun environment. Children and their loved ones vocalize, move, listen, and play percussion instruments as a part of every class. Our activities help your child develop rhythm, confidence, and an early love for singing and playing instruments.

When: Our classes meet once a week throughout the entire summer. Check our schedule for the specific times available for your child’s age group.
Where: My Gym Louisville, Village Square Plaza, 11770 Shelbyville Rd., Louisville, KY 40243
Transportation: No
Cost: $51/month, sibling discounts are available.
Registration: Visit My Gym Louisville’s website to view the schedule and register for classes at https://mygym.com/louisville.

School’s Out Science Camp

Sponsoring Organization: Kentucky Science Center
Contact Person: KSCCamps@louisvilleky.gov
Grades: PreK–10
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Environmental Education, Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Technology
Who: All students with a sense of scientific adventure looking for hands-on summer fun!
What: Want a fun, hands-on experience for your kids? School’s Out Science Camps offer exciting educational experiences for children. Join us for unique topics designed to inform, engage, and entertain.
When: May 28–August 3, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. (drop-off: 8–9 a.m./pick-up: 4–5 p.m.)
Where: Kentucky Science Center, 727 W. Main St., 40202
Transportation: No
Cost: Standard theme camps: $210/week—members, $235/week—nonmembers
Specialty camps: $260/week—members, $285/week—nonmembers
STEAM Scholars (grade 9 and 10): $260/week—members, $285/week—nonmembers
Registration: https://kysciencecenter.org/camps/

Speed Art Museum Preschool + Parent Camp

Sponsoring Organization: Speed Art Museum
Contact Person: Anna Alger, Gallery Teaching coordinator
Grades: PreK
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Social Studies
Who: Children ages 3–4 attend with an accompanying parent or guardian.
What: Super Senses, Art Exploration—Our five senses help us explore and learn about our world! Each day of camp, we will make beautiful works of art inspired by the museum’s collection that engage our senses and stimulate cognitive development.

When: July 16–20, 10–11:30 a.m.
Where: Speed Art Museum, 2035 S. Third St., Louisville, KY 40208
Transportation: No
Cost: $50/nonmembers, $35/members
Registration: Find more information and register online by visiting speedmuseum.org/camps. For questions, contact Anna Alger at summercamp@speedmuseum.org or (502) 634-2968.

Squallis’ Sizzling Summer Sessions
Sponsoring Organization: Squallis Puppetteers
Contact Person: Nora Christensen
Grades: K–5
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies

Who: One-day workshops for children ages 5 and up
What: Squallis hosts 4 wonder-filled, 1-day workshops throughout the summer. Sessions feature new themes, new puppet-making projects, and fun improvisational games. Create characters from recycling, and bring them to life with funny voices. Themes include Puppet Pets, Predators and Prey, Gadgets, and Myths and Legends

When: A 9 a.m. early drop-off is available each session at an extra cost.
Session 1—June 28, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Puppet Pet Camp, for ages 5 and up
Session 2—July 19, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Predators and Prey Camp, for ages 5 and up
Session 3—July 26, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Gadgets Camp, for ages 5 and up
Session 4—August 9, 10 a.m.–4 p.m., Myths and Legends Camp, for ages 5 and up
Where: Squallis Headquarters, Highlands Community Campus, 1228 E. Breckinridge St., Louisville, KY 40204
Transportation: No
Cost: $50 each session, $10 early drop-off fee (9–10 a.m. preworkshop activities)
Registration: Online registration available at squallispuppetteers.com.

Startalk Mandarin Language Program
Sponsoring Organization: Asia Institute—Crane House
Contact Person: Mary Beth Buckner, mbuckner@cranehouse.org, or call (502) 635-2240
Grades: For students entering grades 6–12 next fall
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), Social Studies, World Languages

Who: Middle school and high school students (will be in grades 6–12 next fall) who are interested in learning Mandarin Chinese and about Asian culture

What: Free immersive Mandarin language and cultural training. It’s a 2-week program, Monday through Friday. Lunches will be provided.

When: June 18–June 29, Monday–Friday, 8:30 a.m.–2:30 p.m.

Where: Field Elementary School, 120 Sacred Heart Ln., Louisville, 40206

Transportation: No

Cost: Free

Registration: For more information go to www.cranehouse.org/startalk.

STEAM Team! Summer Reading Program (Presented by the Library Foundation)

Sponsoring Organization: Louisville Free Public Library

Contact Person: Tracy Thomas

Grades: PreK–5

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies, Technology, World Languages

Who: Birth–grade 5

What: Preschoolers, birth to 5 years old, who have 20 books read to them will receive a Robot backpack and a coupon sheet of prizes. Elementary students who read 10 books or have 10 books read to them, will receive a STEAM Team backpack and a coupon sheet of prizes. Participants who complete the summer reading program will be entered in a drawing to win grand prizes, such as a personalized bat from the Louisville Slugger Museum or the mayor’s suite at the Bats game! See www.lfpl.org for a list of free family programs offered at your neighborhood library location.

When: June 1 to August 11

Where: Program is done independently. For more information, go to our website or come into any library location!

Transportation: No

Cost: Absolutely free!

Registration: Register online at www.lfpl.org/summerreading or stop into any of the library locations to register or pick up a form.

Summer Dance Workshop

Sponsoring Organization: University of Louisville Dance Academy

Contact Person: Judith Hake

Grades: K–12

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts)

Who: All students ages 5–18 who are interested in dance (mostly ballet) study

What: Dance Workshop is designed for students wishing to study ballet in an environment that fosters positive self-expression and engagement in a wonderful art form. Students participate in extensive classes in ballet, boys technique, and pointe with supporting classes in therapeutic exercise and nutrition.

When: June 11–Aug. 3 (Shorter sessions are available.)

Where: Music School, Belknap Campus

Transportation: No

Cost: Call the office at (502) 852-6878.

Registration: Call the office at (502) 852-6878.

Summer Fun With Lilith!

Sponsoring Organization: Looking for Lilith Theatre Company

Contact Person: Jennifer Thalman Kepler

Grades: K–8—Note: For students grade 3 and younger, a parent is required to stay through the workshop.

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Social Studies

Who: Our target audience includes children, youth, and parents.

What: On the three listed days, Looking for Lilith teaching artists will engage with three separate age groups of students. Each workshop will include process-oriented, age-appropriate theatre activities. Concurrent workshops will focus on Primary, Intermediate, and middle grades. For details about specific themes and topics, go to www.lookingforlilith.org.

When:

Tuesday, June 26, 10 a.m.–12 noon
Sunday, July 15, 2–4 p.m.
Saturday, August 4, 10 a.m.–12 noon

Where: Crescent Hill United Methodist Church, 201 S. Peterson Ave., Louisville, KY 40206

Transportation: No
Cost: $12 per workshop  
Registration: www.lookingforlilith.org

Summer Visions

Sponsoring Organization: Louisville Central Community Centers, Inc.  
Contact Person: Erica Bledsaw: Coordinator of Fine Arts  
Grades: 1–8  
Content Standards: Arts (dance, drama/theatre, media arts, music, visual arts), Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Technology  
Who: Elementary and middle school age children in grades 1–8  
What: The Kids Art Academy Summer Visions program is an exciting 8-week summer day camp experience for children in grades 1–8. We have daily STEAM-related activities that include weekly field trips and daily workshops. Breakfast, lunch, and supper will be provided.  
When: June 11 and August 3, 9 a.m.–3 p.m.  
Where: Louisville Central Community Centers, Inc., 1300 W. Muhammad Ali Blvd., Louisville, KY 40203 (across from Junior Achievement)  
Transportation: Transportation is not provided.  
Cost: Catch the Early Bird special! If you register before May 25, the cost is $275 a child. After May 25, the cost is $300 a child.  
Registration: Email Erica Bledsaw at ebleedsaw@lcccnews.org or call (502) 583-8821, Ext. 130.

Summerbridge Louisville

Sponsoring Organization: Summerbridge Louisville  
Contact Person: Kate Lindsay  
Grades: Rising 6th, 7th, and 8th graders  
Content Standards: English/Language Arts, Mathematics  
Who: 80 percent of our students must come from free and reduced-price meal-eligible families in JCPS. We are looking for talented but struggling students who otherwise could not attend a summer academic program.  
What: Summerbridge is a free, 6-week academic program for underserved middle school students in Jefferson County. We offer small classrooms (5–8 students), passionate teachers, and all-day programming that allows these children to become confident in their abilities. The program focuses on Math and Language Arts and follows JCPS curriculum.

When: June 11–July 21  
Where: Sacred Heart Campus, 3107 Lexington Rd., Louisville, KY 40206  
Transportation: A bus is available to most students.  
Cost: Free  
Registration: You must fill out an application and send it in by May 1. Student application is on the website at summerbridge louisville.org.

Tales From the Track

Sponsoring Organization: Kentucky Derby Museum  
Contact Person: Tanner Williams  
Grades: K–5  
Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Social Studies  
Who: Anyone who loves a great story!  
What: Tales From the Track is a 30-minute interactive storytelling session featuring stories from Louisville’s great sporting event, the Kentucky Derby. The featured story is a brand-new original story on African-American trainer Ansel Williamson, called “Uncle Anse.” This program is included within the full menu of Derby Museum field trip activities, including time to explore our two floors of exhibits, a viewing of our 360 movie, The Greatest Race, and a tour of Churchill Downs.  
When: Summer 2018  
Where: Kentucky Derby Museum, 704 Central Ave., Louisville, KY 40208  
Transportation: No  
Cost: PreK-grade 5: $4.50, students grades 6–12: $6  
Registration: Call Tanner Williams at (502) 637-1111, Ext. 241, or visit www.derbymuseum.org/education/fieldtrips.html.
TSR 2018 (Teen Summer Reading) Presented by the Library Foundation

Sponsoring Organization: Louisville Free Public Library (LFPL)

Contact Person: Tracy Thomas

Grades: 6–12 (including class of 2018)

Content Standards: Arts (dance, media arts, music, theatre, visual arts), English/Language Arts, Environmental Education, Mathematics, Practical Living (PE, health, consumerism, career studies), Science, Social Studies, Technology, World Languages

Who: All students going into grade 6 to those students graduating this year

What: TSR is designed to encourage teens to read for fun all summer. Stop by any LFPL branch and pick up a participation form on or after June 1. Read 6 books to win great prizes! Each teen who completes the requirements will receive a wallet and earbuds, coupons for local vendors, a free Wendy’s Frosty, a ticket to the Rauch Planetarium, and much more. Upon completion, teens are also eligible for grand prizes, such as a tablet computer or UofL football tickets. Check out all the fun programs this summer on our website too!

When: June 1–August 11

Where: Visit any library location for your form or to register.

Transportation: No

Cost: Absolutely free!

Registration: You can come into any library location or register online at www.lfpl.org/teen.

Welcome to Middle Earth

Sponsoring Organization: Louisville Nature Center

Contact Person: Tank Percentie

Grades: 3–7

Content Standards: Environmental Education, Science

Who: Ages 8–12

What: Journey through the woods, trails, and gardens of Middle Earth at the Louisville Nature Center. Along the way, meet mysterious creatures, role play, create, feast, and investigate the magic of science! Based on the book The Hobbit and Lord of the Rings by J.R.R. Tolkien.

When: June 28–22, 9 a.m.–4 p.m.

Where: Louisville Nature Center, 3745 Illinois Ave., Louisville, KY 40213

Transportation: No

Cost: $176 for members, $220 for nonmembers

Registration: Call (502) 458-1328, or go to the website at www.louisvillenaturecenter.org.