

Wilmore Summer Recreation 2026

February 25, 2026

Dear Parents & Campers,

Wilmore Summer Recreation 2026 details are in the works and we have a great summer planned! Included will be: sports instruction, arts & crafts, swimming, and lots of fun games! We will have several field trips this summer and I will update parents when that information is available.

Please read all of the procedures, policies and daily schedules carefully. The camp will run for NINE one-week sessions, beginning on June 1st. You must sign up for which week(s) your child will attend. The fee structure is detailed on the General Procedures/Policies information page.

Registrations must be completed online via the registration link that you will be emailed. Campers who attended in 2025 (and their siblings) can register beginning at 8:00am on April 13th. Any remaining spots will open for new campers beginning on April 20th. Fees must be paid within one week of registering or forfeit the spot. If you are registering more than one camper, you must pay the Registration Fee for each camper and at least one Camp Fee in full.

If you want your camper to attend, please register at the earliest possible time available to you. All the spots filled up very quickly last summer.

Merrelyn Carmichael will be the On-Site Director again and we have some dynamite staff lined up to provide a great experience all summer!

Please follow Wilmore Parks & Recreation on Facebook for updates and reminders.

Contact me with any questions!

Sincerely,

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WILMORE SUMMER RECREATION 2026

GENERAL PROCEDURES/POLICIES

ELIGIBILITY OF CAMPERS

As of June 1, 2026, campers must be at least 5 years of age and completed kindergarten and no older than rising 6th grade (currently in 5th grade) to attend.

DATES, TIMES, and DAILY SCHEDULE

Wilmore Summer Rec. is from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm, Monday - Friday, for each of the 9 one-week sessions, June 1st - July 31st. Early drop-off/late pick-up is available for additional fees.

7:30-9:00am: *Early drop-off*

9:00 am: Meet at the Wilmore Municipal Center (210 S. Lexington Ave, Wilmore). Drop off in the back of the building.

11am-12noon: Lunch in the cafeteria or outside pavilion

Hot lunch is provided free or campers may bring a packed lunch

12:15-1:15pm: Each group will have one swim day and one Splash Pad day per week.

Campers will walk to the pool starting at 11:45am and return approximately 1:45pm on their swim day. (Splash Pad is located on our camp site).

3:00pm: Snack and clean-up.

4:00pm: Pick up from the back of the Wilmore Municipal Center

4:00-5:30pm: *Late pick-up*

FEES

****REMINDER: On all registration fees, we must collect KY Sales Tax of 6%.****

All 9 Weeks: \$450 (\$425 for 2nd child in family/\$400 for 3rd child & any additional)

Weekly: \$100 per camper

Registration: \$25 registration fee for EACH camper (non-refundable)

Early/Late: \$3 per time/\$5 per day for early & late in same day; sibling discount available

No refunds once camper attends at least one day of camp for that week.

FYI

- Theme weeks are listed for each week of camp. This simply means that the theme listed will be the main activity of the week, but not the only activity. We will do stations and teach proper sports skills/activities, have games to practice these skills, etc. There will also be scheduled guest speakers/instructors. There will still be a variety of other activities offered each week.
- There will be **no camp on Friday, July 3rd** due to the holiday.
- If your child needs any medications during the camp hours you will need to send the medication in the original bottle along with a signed and dated note each day that the child is to receive medication.
- Campers are divided into 6 Groups based on age. Each group has a counselor that stays with them all day throughout all activities.

ARRIVAL/DEPARTURE PROCEDURES

We have a drop-off/pick-up car line. If your child walks home, you must sign the section on the registration form giving them permission to sign themselves out at 4:00pm.

TRIPS

Field trips will be announced at a later date. Weeks without a trip will have a Fun Friday! There will be special activities, movies, inflatables, water days, etc.

<u>Week</u>	<u>Theme Week</u>
1 – June 1-5	Track & Field
2 – June 8-12	Basketball
3 – June 15-19	Baseball/Softball
4 – June 22-26	Nature
5 – June 29-July 2	Extreme Sports
6 – July 6-10	Net Sports
7 – July 13-17	Soccer
8 – July 20-24	The Olympics
9 – July 27-31	Creative Arts

BEHAVIOR STANDARDS

Our rules are simple but consistently enforced to provide a safe environment for everyone. They are as follows:

- No fighting or harmful behavior towards campers or camp staff.
- No stealing, foul or offensive language or disrespectful behavior towards anyone.
- No leaving the group or the facility without notifying a counselor.

DISCIPLINARY PROCEDURES

Each disciplinary case is treated individually based upon severity of the incident. Discipline includes verbal warnings, time-out of activities, contacting parents and eventual removal from camp.

WHAT CAMPERS NEED

Campers may bring any sports equipment that corresponds with what activities are scheduled, tennis shoes, appropriate clothing and swimwear, a water bottle and a positive attitude.

Females must wear one-piece swimsuits.

It is helpful for each camper to have a bag and have their name on each item. Please do not bring any expensive or valuable personal items that could be easily misplaced or left behind. Electronics may only be brought on trip days for use on the bus and camp staff are not responsible for these items. Trading cards or “toys” are not to be brought to camp at any time.

MOVIES

Movies may be viewed on days when the weather does not permit regularly scheduled activities to take place. Summer Recreation staff will use good discretion on showing movies suitable to all the age groups at camp. Only movies rated ‘G’ or ‘PG’ will be viewed.