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## Adventure Camp, The

614-846-8946

Adventure Camp provides a week full of high-powered activities for all ages. Campers ages 6-16 can find just what they're looking for; from creeking and crafts to rock climbing and white water rafting, Adventure Camp spares no opportunity for creativity and challenge. Located 8 miles north of I-270 on Route 23, wilderness excitement is right around the corner this summer. Visit [www.supergames.org](http://www.supergames.org) to find out more and register your child today.

## AdventureWorks, LLC

Adventure Camp is for kids in grades 5-8. This summer day camp helps kids grow mentally, physically, and socially through exciting activities like canoeing, horseback riding, go karts, laser tag, paintball, and more! Participants also experience growth by learning how to set goals, change their outlook, and be successful. Camp is 8:00am – 5:00pm, July 12 – 16 and is based at Liberty Park. For more information, contact John Justus: 614-205-5600 or [JohnJustus@AdventureWorks.us](mailto:JohnJustus@AdventureWorks.us) Visit us at [www.AdventureWorks.us](http://www.AdventureWorks.us)

## American Camp Association, Ohio

614-766-4519

The ACA Ohio visits resident and day camps in Ohio and publishes a list of camps that meet the grade. Only camps that meet the Accreditation standards are accredited. Would you send your child to a school that is not accredited or a hospital that is not accredited? Why would you send your child to a camp that is not accredited? You can search for accredited camps at [www.ACACamps.org](http://www.ACACamps.org) by clicking "Find A Camp".

## American Cancer Society, Relay for Life of Olentangy

1-888-ACS-OHIO

[www.relayforlife.org/olentangy](http://www.relayforlife.org/olentangy)

The Relay For Life of Olentangy will be hosted at Olentangy High School on June 18th from 6pm until Saturday June 19th at noon. This is our overnight party with a purpose for our teams and communities that have taken up the fight against cancer. Teams host fundraisers throughout the year and pop a tent at the track as team members walk "Relay" style as cancer survivors are celebrated, caregivers are applauded. Teams and event games and activities continue the entire time and all are motivated by Matt Ryan Mobile DJ Services... all night long. We remember those lost to the fight but whom will never be forgotten and turn the night of diagnosis to the light of hope as we wind down and award those for all of their hard work in saving lives and helping to eliminate cancer. The event's theme this year is "Make a Wish and Blow Out Cancer", as the American Cancer Society is the proud Sponsor of Birthdays.

## Arts Castle, The

740-369-2787

The Delaware County Cultural Arts Center, better known as The Arts Castle, is dedicated to nurturing the creative energies of residents of Delaware County and surrounding areas by offering full access to a variety of multi-arts experiences. Our week long summer workshops provide fun, intensive art experiences for kids and adults.

## B&B Scrapbooks

614-336-0556

B&B Scrapbooks offers classes and activities for kids of all ages. We have two summer programs and a store full of fun scrapbook products. Located in the Giant Eagle shopping center by the Columbus Zoo.

## BalletMet Columbus-Summer DanceCamps-"Stepping Into Summer"

614-229-4860 #131

[www.balletmet.org](http://www.balletmet.org)

BalletMet offers a range of ½ and full day camps along with workshops for campers ages 3-13. Dare to be moved with different dance forms, as well as exposure to music, acting and arts and crafts. Two locations include Gahanna and Downtown Columbus. A wonderful time is had by all, regardless of dance experience.

"Summer Dance Camp rocks! I can't wait to do it next year!" - Maria D.

"Everyone was right, this was the best week ever!" - Lydia F.

## Bookmark Farms Horse Lovers Day Camp

614-260-1558

Your child will talk about our horse camp for years! As one of the Central Ohio's longest running horse camps, our reputation for safety, education and fun is second to none. We're experts at teaching early riding skills. Learn more at [www.bookmarkfarms.com](http://www.bookmarkfarms.com)

## C.A.M.P.

614-475-0740

Constructing Assured and Motivated People, is a faith-based program that began as an outreach youth camp sponsored by Gahanna Community Church in Gahanna, Ohio. Now an independent spiritually motivated youth program, it requires no particular church affiliation to attend. The one week program is chock-full of fun with many opportunities for personal and spiritual growth. We have a variety of classes taught by our all volunteer staff members that have gone through background screening and training. Some classes offered: fencing, rappelling, canoeing, archery, journalism, cooking and crafts. Go to our website, [www.sfacamp.org](http://www.sfacamp.org) for information and on-line camper registration.

## Camp Fire USA Central Ohio Council

614-481-8227

Camp Fire operates 2 summer programs – Camp Otonwe at Highbanks Metro Park and Camp Wyandot located in the Hocking Hills. Camp Otonwe is a day camp and has 9 one week sessions beginning June 14 for children in grades 1 thru 8. Camp Wyandot is an overnight camp and offers 4 one week sessions beginning July 5 for children in grades 2 thru 12. Both programs offer a wide range of outdoor activities. Visit our website for more information: [www.centralohiocampfire.org](http://www.centralohiocampfire.org)

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## Camp Hosanna

Is your school-age child ready for fun-filled summer? Camp Hosanna has a daily schedule packed with fun activities including swimming, field trips and games. Come experience a Christian camp that keeps your child active through playing, exploring, singing, skits, Bible lessons, and an energetic Christian staff. Capacity of 100. Dates: June 7 - August 20. Cost is \$160 per week (full-time) plus \$50 registration fee and \$75 activity fee (call for part-time rates). Contact Jen Leonard, 5707 Olentangy River Rd., Columbus, OH 43235. (614) 451-4412, fax: (614) 451-0201, E-mail: [leonardj@northwestchurch.org](mailto:leonardj@northwestchurch.org).

## Camp Invention

740-657-4750

Invent Now Kids proudly presents the wonder and excitement of the Camp Invention program. Led by local educators, this engaging program immerses children in grades one through six in hands-on, inquiry-based activities disguised as fun. Children will power robotic creatures, explore the connection between bubbles and lightening bolts, and help save avatars by rebuilding a virtual world. This weeklong experience in creativity is being hosted at area schools this summer. The program will be held at Wyandot Run Elementary June 21-25. Discounts are available – register today! Call 800-968-4332 or visit [www.campinvention.org](http://www.campinvention.org).

## Camp Mary Orton-Adventure Academy

Camp Mary Orton's Adventure Academy provides a summer camp experience that leaves your child with long lasting memories of adventure, discovery and friendship. We are dedicated to providing experiences that will challenge your child in an environment where it is safe to try new things and develop leadership traits. Days are filled with activities that incorporate hiking, swimming, archery, crafts and outdoor adventure experiences including climbing walls, zip line, team building activities and high ropes course. Children 7-14 can experience this week long day camp conveniently located in Worthington. Additional information and registration can be found at [www.campmaryorton.org](http://www.campmaryorton.org) or contact our office at 614-885-1023.

## Central Ohio Gymnastics

We offer classes, teams and camps for those aged 2 – 18 with some open aged competitive cheer and hip hop teams. For more information please contact us at 740-369-3200.

## Children of America

614-985-1993

Welcome to Camp WOW! where wonderful adventures await! Designed specifically to meet the needs of children from 6 weeks to 12 years of age, Camp WOW! is an extension of the exclusive curriculum created for Children of America. Your child will maintain academic learning through the exciting weekly learning plan, field trips, and special guests. Join the family of Columbus' newest educational child care center: Children of America.

## Circuit Wellness

614-901-2348

Join Circuit Wellness & Exergame Center to learn about the importance of developing lifelong exercise habits while you are young to avoid an unhealthy future. Enjoy exercise by playing interactive video games! Play games, burn calories and have fun! **Fun Fitness gets results!** Warm Up, Get Moving, Cool Down, Stretch and Strengthen! Try your skill at circuit training, virtual boxing, dance dance revolution, virtual tennis, karate and more! Enjoy fun exercising with your friends.

## College Nannies & Tutors

College Nannies & Tutors of Greater Columbus invites your family to the best summer ever. From summer camp to fun at the water park, your children deserve more than another "hall monitor". College nannies are active role models for your active children. There is simply no substitute for someone who can really understand, engage and have fun with them. Stop hunting for "that neighbor who watches kids in the summer." We provide after-school, summer and on-call nannies – call us today at 740-881-6020. [www.collegenannies.com](http://www.collegenannies.com) or [www.collegetutors.com](http://www.collegetutors.com)

## Columbus Academy

614-509-2529

The Columbus Academy's Summer Experience is the smart way to have fun this summer. We offer weeklong day camp programs in academics, arts and athletics. We have programs for Pre-K through 12<sup>th</sup> grades, including courses for high school credit. The CA Summer Experience has 10 weeks to choose from starting June 7<sup>th</sup> and ending the week of August 9<sup>th</sup>. We offer both before and aftercare programs. Whatever your child's interest, you will find it at The Columbus Academy Summer Experience.

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## Columbus Metro Parks

One week-long camps begin June 21. Camps are for preschool (age 3 and potty trained) through grade 9. Camps are located at Battelle Darby Creek, Blacklick Woods, Blendon Woods, Highbanks, Pickerington Ponds, Sharon Woods and Slate Run. Please visit the website, [www.metroparks.net](http://www.metroparks.net) for camp information and to register. Registration begins March 11, 8:00am and it is first come, first serve. 614-891-0700

## Columbus Zoo & Aquarium

(614)724-3496

[www.columbuszoo.org](http://www.columbuszoo.org)

### Summer Experience Camp - Day camp

Summer Experience Camp gives your child the opportunity to experience the Columbus Zoo and Aquarium and get an in-depth opportunity to learn about our natural world. During each week of camp, some of the activities the campers will enjoy include arts projects, songs, games, hands-on animal experiences and group play.

### ZooKids - Day camp

ZooKids is a fantastic opportunity to introduce your preschool-aged child to the wonders of the animal kingdom. During each half-day visit, your ZooKid will learn about different animals, explore the Zoo, see an animal visitor and create a special art project designed for little hands. ZooKids is offered year-round.

## COSI - Camp COSI

Camp COSI offers hands-on camp science experiences for children ages 5-16, plus our School's Out Camps keep young minds active during school holidays. Registration for summer 2010 camps is open now. COSI members save up to \$50 on camp fees! Visit [www.cosi.org/camp-cosi](http://www.cosi.org/camp-cosi) for complete details or call 614-228-COSI(2674). COSI, 333 West Broad Street, Columbus Ohio 43215.

## Culver Summer Camp

Culver has been making memories for children ages 7-17 since 1902. Nestled next to Lake Maxinkuckee in northern Indiana, Culver hosts children from 40 states and 30 countries. Over 65 electives are offered including horseback riding, US Sailing certifications, athletics, crafts, fine arts, academics, nature courses, scouting, and aeronautics. This unique mix offers boys and girls the opportunity to forge new and valued friendships while growing as individuals in a leadership camp environment.

[www.culver.org/summer](http://www.culver.org/summer) | [summer@culver.org](mailto:summer@culver.org) | (800) 221-2020

## Delaware Area Career Center

SOHO Design Project – Students interested in architecture, IT, graphic and web design, Cisco networking and project management will love this camp! Campers learn teamwork and communication skills as they design a home office in teams of four. Each student experiences a specific job as an Architect, IT Network Specialist, Graphic and Web Designer, or Project Manager. June 15-17, 2010 – 8:30 am to 2:30 pm. Cost FREE (limited to 40 campers) Registration deadline: May 14, 2010. [www.DelawareAreasCC.org](http://www.DelawareAreasCC.org).

## Delaware County 4-H

<http://delaware.osu.edu>

4-H is about fun, friends, learning, community service and leadership. Through learning about an area of interest and taking part in club activities, you will lead and inspire others, make a difference in your community, meet new people and explore career opportunities. 4-H'ers choose from more than 180 4-H projects and have opportunities to learn about gardening, photography, small animals, rabbits, dogs, sewing, cooking, woodworking, model rockets, shooting sports, nature, livestock, vet. science and much more. Enrollment deadline is April 15<sup>th</sup>. Youth age 5 and currently in Kindergarten to age 18 are eligible to join. 740-833-2030

## Discover Modeling, Inc.

Come walk the runway with Discover Modeling! Summer camp week of June 21-25 2010. Also available this summer is a two day Teen Modeling Camp! Book a date to fit your summer plans. Camp includes topics such as visual poise and posture, good manners, hair and makeup, photo shoot, and much more. For more information call Amy Maggard @ Discover Modeling Inc. 614-766-7600

## Drama Kids/Acting Academy

Looking to develop more confidence? Love to be on stage? Ready to have a blast? Then, Drama Kids' Summer Camp is the place to be this summer! For over 30 years, Drama Kids has been building speaking skills and confidence in young adults through its drama program. Experienced instructors lead campers in creative theatre activities such as improvisations, silent scenes, dialogue development, and theater games. Each week includes a theme like Mask Making or Puppetry, fun dress-up days, and culminates in a fabulous presentation for family and friends. Whether your child is new to drama or is always performing, Drama Kids Camp will be a perfect fit! [www.DramaKids.com/oh1](http://www.DramaKids.com/oh1). (614) 453-6232. [dramakids columbus@yahoo.com](mailto:dramakids columbus@yahoo.com).

## Ecole Francaise

5120 Godown Road  
Columbus, Ohio 43220  
(614) 451-1309

[www.education-unlimited.org](http://www.education-unlimited.org)

"Island Treasures!" Come discover the treasure of the islands at Ecole Francaise's Summer Program. Each week will be a new island theme. Campers will discover there are more to islands than beaches & palm trees. Themes like; "Message in a Bottle", "Ships Ahoy!", "Pirates!", "Hi! Hawaii!" and "Cool Island Living" will excite budding biologists to beachcombers. Campers will make their island discoveries through hands-on activities, excursions, special events and visitors, picnics and swimming will round out the fun. Come for a week or spend the summer! It is sure to be one to treasure!

## Elite Enrichment Center

Our FUN-PACKED, popular, and effective summer camps and programs include- math, reading, abacus, Mandarin Chinese, and Spanish. For all levels- Beginners ~ Advanced (K-12<sup>th</sup> Grade). Cost- \$120 ~ \$250. [www.eliteenrichmentcenter.com](http://www.eliteenrichmentcenter.com) (740) 657-8800.

## Enchanted Care KIDS' Campus

740-548-8116

Our Enchanted Care KIDS' Campus Summer Camp is a ten week theme based program geared for the K-5th grade school-age child. The children and their "crew leader" actively explore a new theme every two weeks through exciting field trips, dynamic guest speakers and performers, arts and crafts, sports, movies, and more!

## Equi-Valent Riding Center

614-323-7301

Summer Horse Camps -

Have fun and learn at the same time!! As we go through the "Junior Master Horsemanship: Level One" book, we will share engaging educational activities with fellow campers. Topics include Horse Safety, Anatomy, Nutrition, History, Breed knowledge, Crafts, Mounted games, Horse management skills etc.. Each day will include 2 chapters of activities, a 45 min semi-private lesson, grooming horses, feeding, barn chores, snacks, fun with friends.

Riding Lessons: Ages: 3-Adult -

We offer private lessons for beginners and semi-private lessons for intermediate to advanced students. Lessons include learning horse safety, grooming, tacking, and riding. Our program has a strong emphasis on riding from your seat, understanding the horse's movements and how our bodies effect their movements. We use mounted exercises to help develop the center of balance. We teach from an English background, however all exercises provide a solid foundation for any discipline.

## Falcon Camp

Ohio's premier summer camp since 1959. Boys and girls ages 6 – 16 enjoy beautiful lakefront setting, wide variety of activities and outstanding staff. "Fun for Now, Skills for Life" is more than a catchy logo. It really defines the environment created at Falcon. ACA accredited, many references available. Great fun! Visit [www.falconcamp.com](http://www.falconcamp.com), call 800/837-CAMP or email [Info@FalconCamp.com](mailto:Info@FalconCamp.com) for more information.

## Falcon Horse Lover Camp

Eat, sleep and breathe horses in this unique program designed for Horse Lovers only!

Girls ages 11 – 15, one week sessions, limited enrollment to assure individual attention. Excellent horses and instructors, about 4 hours/day actual riding time and so much more. ACA accredited, references available. If you love horses, you'll love Falcon Horse Lover Camp! Visit [www.falconcamp.com](http://www.falconcamp.com), call 800-837-CAMP or email [HorseCamp@FalconCamp.com](mailto:HorseCamp@FalconCamp.com) for more information. Two great camps in one great location.

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## Fit by Jill

FUN FITNESS - This is a six week program offering school age children an hour of organized "fun" while teaching and improving core strength, balance, and coordination. Kids will learn agility, gain strength, and improve their fitness levels by doing what kids do best – PLAYING!

Obstacle course challenges involving agility ladders, balance boards, mini trampoline, scooters, pogo sticks, stilts and more!

Classes held Tues and Fri 10:00 – 11:00 at the below dam picnic area of Alum Creek off Lewis Center Rd.

Go to [fitbyjill.blogspot.com](http://fitbyjill.blogspot.com) for more class information, or call Jill McCambridge at 614 832 8128.

Fun fitness for school age children. Develop core strength, balance and coordination through play!

[www.FitbyJill.com](http://www.FitbyJill.com)

## Footsteps Family Dance Center

614-883-5599

Footsteps Family Dance Center: Passionate about dance & compassionate toward people! Serving kids ages 3-18 with quality instruction in dance technique & artistry in a friendly, G-rated, positive environment. Summer session June 21-July 15. Programs include Intro Seminars in ballet, tap, or jazz for brand-new dancers; Genesis pre-dance for 3-6 year olds; ballet, tap, jazz, & hip hop classes for beginner-advanced levels; So You Think You Can Dance Events sampling 8 dance styles in 4 classes. Join the Footsteps family today & get a free dance bag; 1st 3 new students in each class get a plush ballerina frog! [www.footstepsfamilydance.com](http://www.footstepsfamilydance.com)

## Franklin Park Conservatory

With Nature as the touchstone for each workshop, the Conservatory's summer programs allow children to gain hands-one experiences exploring the natural world through the lens of science and the arts. Each workshop is planned around a theme and includes age appropriate and enriching activities.

Several new topics/experiences are planned for camps this summer, including a glass blowing workshop for 16-18 year old students and a special camp to accompany the Conservatory's exhibition Savage Gardens, opening July 10, 2010! Popular half-day camps for preschool and kindergarten students are again available as well as full-day camps for 1<sup>st</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade students.

To register call 614-645-5863 or visit [www.fpconservatory.org](http://www.fpconservatory.org)

## Geneva Hills

Nestled in the foothills of Hocking Hills, Geneva Hills is your place for summer camp. We offer what others cannot. We have all the same natural beauty and accommodations as most state parks and other camp and retreat facilities. While your child is at Geneva Hills they can enjoy the pool, archery, make life-long friends and much much more. Call or click today to see what other campers have saying about Geneva Hills, such as, "If I could rewind time to go back, I would a thousand time."

1380 Blue Valley Rd. SE, Lancaster, Ohio 43130

740-746-8439

[www.genevahills.com](http://www.genevahills.com)

## Glass Slipper and Modern Manners, The

614-563-3522

The Glass Slipper is offering fun summer camps for girls and boys!

Modern Manners and Tea Time, Too! Participants will have fun learning manners, participate in a royal tea, games and crafts.

Dates/times: July 26-30, 9am-noon, \$140 per child.

Modern Manners and More, August 2-5, 9am-11am, \$150 per child.

Elementary Young at Art, July 12-16, 1-4pm, \$130 per child and Preschool Young at Art, August 9-13, 10-noon, \$90 per child.

Scrapbooking Tea Camp, June 21-25, 1-4pm, \$140 per child.

## Heartland Country Resort, Heartland Stables and Horse Lovers Camp

Heartland Country Resort offers luxurious suites with Jacuzzis, fireplaces, private porches, and more. A stay includes a gourmet breakfast and use of the recreation barn. Options include massages, dinners, and riding. Custom horseback rides and lessons are offered on our scenic wooded trails or in one of our arenas. Our summer horse camps include lodging, all meals, daily riding lessons, daily trail rides, groundwork lessons, fun games, horse movies, evening campfires, helping with chores for the horses and the petting zoo animals, and supervision by a licensed teacher. Instructor to camper ratio is kept small, with an instructor for every 3 to 4 campers. Our longest camps include participation in a local horse show. For more information, visit our website at

[www.heartlandcountryresort.com](http://www.heartlandcountryresort.com). 800-230-7030

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## Hunter's Dream Equestrian Center - "Horse Crazy" Day Camp

A hands-on experience that your child will never forget! Daily riding and grooming lessons. Hands-on care of horses. All games, crafts, and activities are horse related. Campers love playing with our miniature horses! English style instruction. Open to children 5 and up. Dates: June 7-August 20, Monday-Friday, 8:30-3:00. Cost: \$325 per week. Located at 14191 State Road in Ostrander, within 10 minutes of Dublin, Powell and Delaware. Come check us out at our barn or on our website at [www.huntersdreamequestrian.com](http://www.huntersdreamequestrian.com). 614-395-3310

## Kiddie Academy of Lewis Center

Welcome to Kiddie Academy – a leader in child care education for more than 27 years. Kiddie Academy is a place where fun and learning experiences are shared every day. At Kiddie Academy, children explore, play and grow, parents become lifelong friends and the communities in which they live become happier and healthier places to be.

Our 6-weeks through 12 year old programs include but are not limited to the following:

Age & Developmentally appropriate curriculum

Foreign Language, Art and Music enrichment

FT & PT Private Kindergarten program

Before & After School, Summer Camp

Nutritious Hot Lunches & Snacks

Live web cameras

Kiddie Academy of Lewis Center is conveniently located at 7166 Gooding Blvd., in Delaware. Call today to schedule a tour 740-548-2022, or take a virtual tour online: [www.kiddieacademy.com/lewiscenter](http://www.kiddieacademy.com/lewiscenter)

## Little Gym of Polaris, The

8645 Sancus Blvd.

Columbus, Ohio 43240

614-430-3355

[www.TLGPolarisOh.com](http://www.TLGPolarisOh.com)

Motor skill development made fun builds confidence that leads to a lifetime of success. Since 1976, The Little Gym has helped kids from 4 months to 12 years old to grow physically, emotionally and socially. As your kids grow, help them reach their full potential by enrolling in our fun-filled classes. Call today to schedule your free introductory class or visit [www.TLGPolarisOh.com](http://www.TLGPolarisOh.com).

## Marmon Valley Ministries

Horseback adventure and farm fun await you this summer at Marmon Valley Ministries. Develop skills in horsemanship; climb the rock wall; strive together on the challenge course and more. The heart of our summer program is the mature counselors who model a passion for Jesus Christ. They lead campers through experiences in team building, character development and other areas of spiritual growth using the very activities the kids love! Horsemanship camps are available for children ages 7-17. Marmon Valley is a non-denominational Christian camp, in west-central Ohio. Providing family farm fun for over 45 years! [www.marmonvalley.com](http://www.marmonvalley.com) 937-593-8000

## Math Monkey of Powell

Who Says Math Can't Be Fun?

At Math Monkey, your child will learn to master numbers in a fun and challenging environment. Our curriculum simplifies math and enables students to exercise the true power of their minds. They gain confidence and become math superstars.

We offer weekly classes as well as weekly half-day camps. Call 614-792-6284 for details.

## Mouth of the Wolf Productions, Inc.

Mouth of the Wolf Productions, Inc. provides high quality children's acting classes that work toward an original script that the children are active with from the beginning, giving them the opportunity to perform what they have worked toward for eight weeks, for their family and friends. Through this, children in our classes gain confidence, self esteem, and skill in verbal communication. In our eight week, quarterly program, our talented staff works with the children to determine their specific theatrical interests, encouraging all students to take on greater roles such as assistant directing roles and playwright. Visit our website at [www.mouthofthewolfproductions.com](http://www.mouthofthewolfproductions.com) for class descriptions and locations. 614-648-0380

## Music Royale

Music Royale – Music Lessons, Sales, Rentals and Repairs. Music Royale is central Ohio’s largest lesson facility offering professional lessons in guitar, drums, piano, brass, woodwinds, and strings. 614-793-2222

## NorthPointe Dance Academy

Northpointe Dance Academy is celebrating 10 years of dance excellence in the Olentangy area. We offer summer dance camps, preschool dance classes, theater and drama camps, as well as summer intensives. Fall classes begin each year the day following Labor Day and continue until the recital which is held mid-June. Call us at 740-548-4600 or visit our website:

[www.northpointedance.com](http://www.northpointedance.com)

## Ohio Twisters Cheer & Dance, LLC

Ohio Twisters Cheer & Dance trains young athletes on the skills, strength training, and conditioning needed to perform and compete while building confidence and self-esteem in every cheerleader and dancer in a safe and structured environment. Further information about the program can be found at our website: [www.ohiotwisters.com](http://www.ohiotwisters.com). 614-747-5088

## Olentangy Adventure Camp.com

The purpose of this camp is to create a safe and nurturing environment where children are physically active while building friendships and memories that will last a lifetime. 614-288-5821

## P. T. Reptiles

Phone # 614-595-4096 / Peter Rushton

E-mail [peter@ptreptiles.com](mailto:peter@ptreptiles.com)

P.T. Reptiles gives a HANDS-ON educational experience at your location, we have many animals in our collection, including snakes, lizards, alligators, tortoise, turtles, frogs, spiders and more. Our programs are for children of 2 years old and up.

Some of our most popular venues are, libraries, daycares/preschools, corporate events, birthday parties, church groups, boy scouts and girl scouts.

## Polaris Tae Kwon Do

Champs Camp a fun dynamic program where kids will learn healthy habits, fun w/ fitness, and sport safety. Local day camp that will excite kids. 740-602-0528

## Powell Dance Academy

614-841-9230

Powell Dance Academy, located in Northwest Columbus, offers an assorted curriculum of Tot, Predance, Ballet/Point, Tap, Jazz, Hip Hop, Lyrical, Modern, Contemporary, Gymnastics, Cheer, Baton, and adult classes. We maintain a family-friendly studio with age-appropriate music, choreography and costumes, while still giving dancers & instructors the freedom to be expressive, current and stylish. Whether dancing competitively or for fun, we believe that learning dance in a healthy, creative environment expands imaginations, builds self-esteem, promotes self-discipline and establishes a sense of teamwork and cooperation.

## Preservation Parks of Delaware County

Preservation Parks is the natural areas park district for Delaware County. In addition to our eight parks that are open to the public every day until dark, we offer hikes and other nature education programs for all ages. Our summer programs for children include our Summer Explorers’ Day Camp and our award-winning FREE Summer Letterbox Adventure. Family programs include a Perseid Meteor Shower Campout, Dutch Oven Cooking series, Hound Hikes and much more. Call 740-524-8600 or 740-362-0283 for program information, or visit [www.preservationparks.com](http://www.preservationparks.com).

## Prestige Music Studios, Inc.

614-764-4000 x801

Prestige Music Studios (Powell) offers summer music programs for children ages 3-18! Explore the piano, violin or guitar for the first time with our summer piano, violin or guitar camp. Enjoy singing, dancing and acting in our summer camp version of Prestige Pops, the musical theatre group that has performed at the Powell Festival. Perform in keyboard or multi-instrument ensembles appropriate to the child's age and level. Play rock, blues and jazz this summer in our RockShop group. Visit

[www.PrestigeMusicStudios.com](http://www.PrestigeMusicStudios.com) for all of the summer camp information and registration!

Columbus Parent Magazine, ThisWeek Community News & Orange Middle School PTO sponsor this event as a free service to the community. The sponsors do not endorse any one program, camp or business. Would you like to be an exhibitor next year-write to [jshively@insight.rr.com](mailto:jshively@insight.rr.com).

## Primrose School of Lewis Center

The Primrose School of Lewis Center is a quality private preschool offering more than a daycare experience. We offer year round programs of full and part-time and have an exciting summer camp planned. 740-548-5808

## SportsOhio, Inc.

SportsOhio offers full & half day programs that will surprise & delight your child. Our Adventure Camp features 3 activities a day: soccer, lacrosse, ice skating, mini golf, volleyball, go-karts, camp games, crafts & more. We also offer a special "sportster" camp for children 3 to 5 years old. All of our camps are day camps and located at the SportsOhio campus, 6314 Cosgray Rd., Dublin. Please visit [www.sportsohio.org](http://www.sportsohio.org) for more information or call us at 614-791-3003.

## Sylvan Learning Center of Lewis Center

We will help you find the great student that is in your child. Sylvan gets Success: With a proven system that inspires kids to learn.

- Our unique Sylvan Skills Assessment® identifies your child's exact needs.
- Our experienced staff (with over 68 years of supplemental education experience and 180 years in education) deliver a personalized summer learning program with individual attention from caring, certified teachers.
- We have flexible summer hours to accommodate your busy summer lifestyle. Your child is always in a class of 1 with our 1:1 teaching method.

See why more parents turn to Sylvan than any other tutor. Why more teachers choose Sylvan for their own children. And why in 2009, 30% of our new students were referred by parents and area professionals.

This summer could make next school year an exciting experience for your child.

Sylvan Learning Center, Lewis Center

740-548-5663

<http://tutoring.sylvanlearning.com/centers/43035/index.cfm>

## TECH CORPS Ohio

TECHie Camp is a full-day, week-long technology experience designed specifically for elementary and middle school students. The goal of TECHie Camp is to engage students in activities that can stimulate a deeper interest in technology; as well as provide opportunities for them to express their imaginations. TECHie Camps are offered at a variety of locations between June 7, 2010 and August 20, 2010. <http://techiecamp.org> 614-583-9211

## Tony Calucci's Dance Extension

Our studios offer Introduction to Dance, Ballet, Tap, Jazz, Modern and Musical Theatre for children ages 3 to Adult! We provide professional training for all students, whether they wish to pursue a career in dance, or simply enjoy dancing for fun and exercise. We work to give individual attention, helping students progress to their highest level.

Contact : Karen (614) 890-5678 or [www.danceextension.net](http://www.danceextension.net).

## Village Academy Schools

Village Academy, in Powell, Ohio, offers a unique camp experience in summer fun beginning at the preschool level. Theme camps and interactive activities from crafts to water play will challenge and excite your preschooler.

At the main campus, summer programs make science and mathematics exciting with the use of LEGO® products. Campers work with specially designed LEGO® kits utilizing gears, pulleys, motors, rods, wheels, and of course bricks to build exciting creations from robots to structures to vehicles, and anything else imaginable. Tennis, science, waterworks and much more will also be available.

Please visit our website, [www.VillageAcademySchools.org](http://www.VillageAcademySchools.org), for complete information. 614-841-0050

## Walden Grove

Walden Grove is a new private school that promotes the highest standards of excellence in childhood education. By keeping classes small and focusing on teaching students to think and learn on their own, Walden Grove provides an education that outshines all others. Unlike other private schools, Walden Grove does not "prescreen" its students with tests; it accepts students based on their strong commitment to learn. Walden Grove is now accepting application for its kindergarten class starting in September, 2010. Visit our website at [www.waldengrove.org](http://www.waldengrove.org). 614-917-0731

## Wellington Summer Program, The

Peggy Berger, Director

3650 Reed Rd., Columbus, Ohio 43220

614-324-8882

[www.wellington.org](http://www.wellington.org)

Have you ever wanted to perform with the circus? Ever wondered how to design a computer program that creates 3-D graphics you can control? It's all in a Wellington summer.

Students from Pre-K to high school can choose from sports and day camps, fine arts classes and hands-on enrichment options such as Robotics, Science Fiction Writing or History of Animation. Travel to Japan – or immerse in a foreign language right here at Wellington. Students will find a relaxed environment with passionate, caring instructors who inspire the pursuit of lifelong learning.

The Wellington Summer Program is a great value with full day, half-day, weeklong or all summer programs that run from June 14 to August 20. Find your fit at [www.wellington.org](http://www.wellington.org) – click “Summer Options.”

## Westerville JC PoolCats

Westerville JC Pool - Home of the PoolCats Swim Team & Dive Team

200 Otterbein Ave

Be a part of the Funnest Team in the league!

Registration Meeting May 12, 2010, 6:30 pm

- Excellent, Experienced Coaches
- Individual & Team Goal Setting
- Team Members have opportunities to swim in 2 summer leagues
- Member of Greater Columbus Swim League (GCSL) and Central Ohio Swimming Association (COSA)
- League Championship Swim Meet & Dive Meet
- Super Cross-Training opportunity for your preferred sport
- Build stamina and strength this summer!
- Lots of Team Social Events for the whole Family!

Visit the PoolCats Website at: [www.GoPoolCats.com](http://www.GoPoolCats.com)

\*All Swimmers must be able to swim one length of the pool (25 meters) independently!

Additional questions? E-mail [contact@gopoolcats.com](mailto:contact@gopoolcats.com) or 740-548-9673

## YMCA of Central Ohio - Camp Willson & Day Camps

800-423-0427

ACA accredited YMCA Camp Willson is located one hour northwest of Columbus in Bellefontaine, OH. We offer one-week programs for youth ages 7 to 17. Try Traditional Camp for 7-12 year olds or our Specialty Camps, providing a focus in horseback riding, fishing, crafts, sports, and drama. Teens will love horseback riding, the Frontier, TEENation, Counselors-In-Training, Garage Band, and trips including Ohio Rides & Thrills (amusement parks), and PA Adventure trips. Eight one week sessions begin Sunday June 20 through August 14. YMCA Day Camps are offered at 19 different locations throughout Columbus. [www.ymcacolumbus.org/camp](http://www.ymcacolumbus.org/camp) and [www.ymcacampwillson.org](http://www.ymcacampwillson.org)