CAMP RAMSBOTTOM 2019

160 ACRES OF SUMMERTIME FUN!

A DAY CAMP FOR BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 6-13

401-722-8840 (Winter)  508-252-6300 (Summer)
Route 44, Rehoboth, MA  www.bgcpawt.org

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF PAWTUCKET

REGISTER BY MAY 1ST TO RECEIVE LAST YEAR’S RATE!
CAMP RAMSBOTTOM

June 24 – August 16

Boys & Girls ages 6 -13
Mon - Fri 8:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Extended Care 7:30 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

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OPEN HOUSE
Sunday, June 23
(Noon to 3:00)

SNEAK PEEK SATURDAYS
May 4 – June 15
Tours on the hour
10:00 am – 2:00 pm
Registration also open!
Dear Parent/Guardian,

Camp Ramsbottom, which stands among New England's best day camps, offers your child superb summer fun and interactive learning.

For 50+ years, the Camp Ramsbottom experience has delighted kids and pleased parents. An extension of the respected Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket, the camp becomes a highlight of your child's summer through fun, discovery and adventure.

To attend Camp Ramsbottom, each camper must be a member of the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket. For a modest annual fee, a Club membership offers a world of programs, events and opportunities for kids throughout the year.

Boys and girls, 6-13 years old, from many diverse backgrounds enjoy themselves in a spirit of fellowship, designed to develop character and self-image through play, honesty and good sportsmanship.

Camp Ramsbottom's programs and activities are specifically planned and carefully coordinated by the Club's executives, professional educators, and college students trained in child development. Our caring and qualified staff provides a unique experience tailored to each child's interests.

In keeping with our mission, the overall goal of Camp Ramsbottom is to provide a fun and engaging program while inspiring and enabling youth to realize their full potential as healthy, productive, responsible and caring citizens.

Each of Camp Ramsbottom's summer sessions delivers on the promise that families expect from an excellent summer camp.

We look forward to seeing your child at Camp Ramsbottom.

Happy Camping!

James R. Hoyt, Jr.
CEO

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What We Offer:
What makes a summer camp memorable for your child is enjoying the thrill and discovery of new experiences. From recreation and sports to arts and crafts, Camp Ramsbottom offers many activities that create lifelong memories of summertime fun. As parents/guardians, rest assured, our youth development professionals are planning and providing developmentally appropriate programs and activities to ensure your campers are not only having fun, but learning and expanding their horizons!

Activities:
- Adventure Play
- Archery
- Art & Crafts
- Basketball
- Board Games
- Challenge Course
- Climbing Wall
- Campfire Cooking
- Drama
- Field Games
- Fishing*
- Gardening
- Marksmanship*
- Mini-golf
- Model Rocketry*
- Nature
- Petting Zoo
- Reading
- Scooters
- Soccer
- Sports
- Street Hockey
- Swimming**
- Tennis
- Volleyball

*Participants in these activities are required to be a minimum of 10 years old.
**In the event the pool is not available for any portion of a session, an alternate water activity will be provided.

What to Bring to Camp:
Towel, bathing suit, hat, sunscreen, water bottle (filling stations available throughout Camp), appropriate footwear (no flip-flops), and insect repellent. Inclement weather programming provided but campers must bring rain gear. Please write camper’s name on all personal items.
Please Do Not Bring:
Hand-held games, toys, MP3 players, collectible cards, sports equipment, animals, or phones (campers who need to call a parent/guardian should go to the Office). Additionally, weapons, drugs or alcohol of any kind are prohibited.

Camp Provides:
Transportation, athletic and craft supplies. The Trading Post offers snacks and beverages for purchase throughout the day. Water bottle filling stations are also available throughout the Camp.

Lunches:
Lunches may be purchased in advance for a fee of $30 per session upon registration. Lunch is included at no additional cost for campers who attend with a scholarship.

Sneak Peek Saturdays:
Join us each Saturday from May 5 – June 16 for a pre-camp tour. The Camp Office will be open from 10:00 a.m. – 2:00 p.m. for registration and questions, with tours available every hour on the hour.

Open House:
Sunday, June 23, 2019, 12:00–3:00 p.m.

Session Dates:
1 — June 24-28; July 1-5 (closed July 4)
2 — July 8-12; July 15-19
3 — July 22-26; July 29-August 2
4 — August 5-9; August 12-16

Wednesday Campfires:
Each week, one age group will be invited for a campfire and cookout program. This privilege is on an invitation only basis and is used to honor those campers who have shown exemplary camp spirit. To be eligible the child must be enrolled during the session in which the campfire for the age group is scheduled. A small additional fee is required for attendance at the campfire.

June 26 (ages 6, 7, & 8) July 24 (age 11) Campfire schedule is subject to change.
July 10 (age 9) August 7 (ages 12 & 13)
July 17 (age 10) August 14 (Awards Night)
In-Person Registration:
**Pawtucket:** Monday–Friday, 10:30 a.m.–6:30 p.m. (March–June), 9 a.m.–5 p.m. (July & August).

**Rehoboth:** Saturdays, 10 a.m.–2 p.m. (May 4–June 15); Monday–Friday, 9 a.m.–3 p.m. (June 24–August 16).

Mail, Email, or Online Registration:
- Please mail to: Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket
  One Moeller Place, Pawtucket, RI 02860
- Please email to: ramsbottom@bgcpawt.org
- Please visit: www.bgcpawt.org

Forms are also available on our website: www.bgcpawt.org. Your child(ren) will not be fully registered until all forms are verified as submitted and payment is received by check or credit card.

Camp Fees: *(Register by May 1st and pay last year's price!)*
- $395 per two-week session *(Lunch available for an additional fee of $30 per session.)*
- A Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket membership is also required.
  Membership fee for Pawtucket and Central Falls residents is $40; for all other locations, annual fee is $60.
- **Refund (minus deposits) granted only if Camp office is notified in writing 14 days before session starts. Notify Camp if not attending.**
  - The first session a child attends during the summer must be paid in full at time of registration.
  - A $75 non-refundable & non-transferable deposit per session will guarantee each reservation.
  - Special group assignments must be noted at time of registration — we will try our best with all requests but can only guarantee your child is grouped with two other campers.
  - Balance due two weeks prior to the start of the session.
  - Registrations for Camp sessions will not be accepted until back balances on any and all Club programs have been paid.
Scholarships/Financial Assistance:
Families meeting established income guidelines are eligible for one free session for each child who attends Camp Ramsbottom. As a Rhode Island based organization, the majority of scholarship funds are available to Pawtucket and Rhode Island residents, but a small number of scholarships for Massachusetts families are also available. Those applying for scholarships must fill out a separate form, pay a $20 application fee, and provide proof of income and residency. All campers attending must have a current membership. Availability is limited. Rhode Island DHS and Massachusetts Childcare Vouchers are accepted.

Extended Care:
- 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. (in Rehoboth or Pawtucket)
- $80 additional per two-week session
- $40 deposit required per session
- Space is limited!

Additional Procedures and Policies:
- Parents may obtain a summation of our procedure for background checks of staff as well as copies of our medical and discipline policies. Grievance forms are also available through both offices.
- The Director reserves the right to dismiss a camper when the camper’s behavior interferes with the rights of others or when such behavior disrupts the operation of the group, activity or the camp in general.
- Parents are reminded that ALL activities are conducted outdoors. All program areas have canopies but NONE are indoors. Should you decide to send your child(ren) on an inclement weather day, please provide appropriate raingear (boots, coat/poncho, etc.).
- For children who require accommodations for accessibility and/or additional physical, emotional, mental, or social needs, please speak directly with our Camp Director prior to registration, to determine our ability to meet your child’s needs.
- Non-campers may enter campgrounds only when escorted by a member of the camp staff. Visitors must report directly to the Office to register. Visitors must leave a driver’s license and car keys at the Office while on the campgrounds.

Camp Ramsbottom complies with regulations of the Massachusetts Department of Health and is licensed by the Rehoboth Board of Health.
Arrival and Dismissal from Camp:
• Drop-off campers between 8:00 and 8:45 a.m. to avoid the congestion caused by Camp buses.
• Campers arriving late must sign in at the office with an accompanying adult.
• Pick-up time is between 4:15 and 4:45 p.m. This will allow buses to leave Camp at 4:00 p.m.
• Parents requesting early dismissal must send a note to the Camp office. A phone call follow-up is also recommended.
• We recommend that early dismissals be scheduled between 12:30 and 1:30 p.m. However, the early pick-up time must be before 3:00 p.m.

Transportation:
Bus stops are conveniently located throughout nearby Rhode Island and Southeastern Massachusetts — see application for bus stop locations (page 9). Bus pick-ups start at 8:15 a.m. Camp Ramsbottom will provide supervision on every bus but NOT at every bus stop. Parents/Guardians are expected to supervise their children until they board the bus and must be at the bus stop when they return from Camp at 4:15 p.m. Campers must arrive and return home on the same bus. Campers must also arrive and depart from Camp by the same transportation method. Please note: departure and arrival times may vary depending on stop location and traffic conditions.
Application Checklist:
- A physician’s signature is required on a completed medical form at time of registration. This must include confirmation of a wellness physical within the past year. All immunizations must meet Massachusetts Department of Public Health codes.
- The first session that a child attends must be paid for in full at time of registration.
- Parents authorize Camp Ramsbottom and the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket to use, publish and reproduce photographs, slides, moving pictures or video tapes of their child for records or publication efforts.
- Special group assignments must be requested and noted at time of registration. Campers must be the same age to be in the same group.
- Be sure to select lunch option for any/all sessions necessary.
- Be sure to check off a transportation option on application.
- Campers must have current membership at the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket (Club Application on page 11).

For More Information:
Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket
One Moeller Place
Pawtucket, RI 02860
401-722-8840
401-727-4733 (fax)
www.bgcpawt.org
ramsbottom@bgcpawt.org

Camp Ramsbottom (summer only)
Route 44, Rehoboth, MA 02769
508-252-6300

Please mail, fax, or e-mail completed applications and payment to the Club address in Pawtucket.

New this year—register online at www.bgcpawt.org
Camper’s Name: __________________________________________ Gender: _____ Male  _____ Female  _____ Camper Age (as of July 1) _______ Date of Birth: __________________________

School: __________________________________________ Grade (in Sept. 2019) __________________________

Parent/Guardian Name: __________________________________________________________

Camper’s Name: __________________________________________ Gender: ______________________

Please check number to be used in an emergency

Transportation
- I will transport my child to Camp. (Drop-off at 7:30 am for Extended Care; 8:00-8:45 am for all others. Pick-up from 4:15-4:45 pm; by 5:30 pm for Extended Care.)
- My child needs bus service. (Bus pick-ups start at 8:15 a.m. Buses return at approximately 4:15 p.m. Check appropriate bus stop at right. Arrival and departure MUST be on the same bus. Please choose “Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket” for those enrolled in Extended Care in Pawtucket.)

Pawtucket Stops:  □ Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket  □ Curvin McCabe  □ Nathaniel Greene  □ Jenks
□ Cunningham  □ Potter Burns  □ 560 Prospect Street  □ Seekonk Town Hall (Rte 44)
□ Fallon  □ Seekonk (Rte 44)  □ 1320 Pawtucket Ave. (Rumford)
□ Flora Curtis  □ Jenks  □ 560 Prospect Street  □ Stop & Shop (Seekonk, Rte 152)
□ Francis Varieur  □ Nathaniel Greene  □ 668 Broad St. (Central Falls)
□ Other R.I. Stops:
□ Boys & Girls Clubs of Northern RI (Cumberland)  □ 1320 Pawtucket Ave. (Rumford)
□ 668 Broad St. (Central Falls)  □ Seekonk Town Hall (Rte 44)

Health Information — If parent(s)/guardian(s) are not available in an emergency notify: __________________________________________________________

Relationship: __________________________ Best Phone Number: ( _____ ) _______________ Alt Phone Number: ( _____ ) _______________

Address: __________________________________________________________ City/State/Zip: __________________________

Any condition requiring regular medication? (prescribed or over-the-counter) __________________________________________ Name of medication:

Any current physical, mental, emotional, social health, developmental or psychological conditions requiring medication, treatment, or special restrictions while at Camp (including activities the camper should be exempted from for health reasons)?
- Yes □ No □ Explain: _____________________________________________________________________________________

Any allergies or dietary restrictions? □ Yes □ No □ Explain: _____________________________________________________________________________________

Parent/Guardian Authorization — This health history is correct so far as I know, and the herein described has permission to engage in all prescribed activities, except as noted by me and the physician. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by an adult leader in charge, to hospitalize, secure proper anesthesia, or to order injections or surgery for my son or daughter.

□ I give permission for the Camp Healthcare Professional to dispense ibuprofen (Motrin, Advil) and acetaminophen (Tylenol) to my child (name) ___________________________________________________________________________ as needed for headaches, earaches, etc.

□ I wish to be called before my child (name) ___________________________________________________________________________ is given ibuprofen or acetaminophen.

Parent/Guardian Signature: __________________________________________ Date: __________________________

Health information will not be complete until Camp receives a copy of your child’s most recent (within one year) Pediatric Health Form. This form must include: proof and date of immunizations (MMR, Polio, DTaP/DT/DTTd, Hepatitis B), allergies, restrictions on participation in Camp activities (due to physical, mental or psychological conditions), and any past medical treatment.

School Fees — Camp: $395 per session ($75 deposit per session)  □ Register by May 1st, pay only $350!

Extended Care: $80 per session ($40 deposit per session)  (Must be paid when registering)

Lunch: $30 per session  (Lunch: $30 per session)  (Must be paid when registering)

Win a free session at Camp Ramsbottom! (Enter a promotional code below, and you’ll be entered to win one of five free sessions. Entry deadline 7/11/19.)

CODE: ____________

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Please mail, fax, or e-mail completed applications and payment to:

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF PAWTUCKET, ONE MOELLER PLACE, PAWTUCKET, RI 02860 | 401.727.4733 (FAX) | ramsbottom@bgcpawt.org
Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket — Membership Application

(Annual Fee: $40. Resident* / $60. Non-Resident *Pawtucket or Central Falls)

YOUTH INFORMATION

Member’s Name ______________________ Gender: M / F / Other ______________________

Address ___________________________ City/State/Zip ___________________________

Date of Birth ______/_____/______ Age ______ School Attending __________________________

Teacher’s Name (elementary school only) __________________________ Grade (in Sept. 2019) ________

On time grade progression? □ Yes □ No

PARENT/GUARDIAN INFORMATION

Primary Contact: ____________________________ Relationship to Member: __________

□ Cell: ( ______ ) _______________ □ Work: ( ______ ) _______________ □ Email: __________________________

(PLEASE CHECK PREFERRED METHODS OF CONTACT FOR GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS)

Secondary Contact: ____________________________ Relationship to Member: __________

□ Cell: ( ______ ) _______________ □ Work: ( ______ ) _______________ □ Email: __________________________

(PLEASE CHECK PREFERRED METHODS OF CONTACT FOR GENERAL COMMUNICATIONS)

Emergency Contact: ____________________________ Relationship: __________

□ Home Phone: ( ______ ) _______________ □ Phone/Cell: ( ______ ) _______________

(OTHER THAN PARENT / GUARDIAN AND OVER 18 YEARS OLD)

Emergency Contact: ____________________________ Relationship: __________

□ Home Phone: ( ______ ) _______________ □ Phone/Cell: ( ______ ) _______________

(OTHER THAN PARENT / GUARDIAN AND OVER 18 YEARS OLD)

Member lives with: □ Both Parents □ Mother □ Father □ Guardian □ Stepmother □ Stepfather □ Grandparents

MEDICAL INFORMATION

Please list any medical restrictions/allergies your child may have:

Any condition now requiring regular medication? □ Yes □ No Name of medication: __________________________

Any restriction of activity for physical, mental, emotional, social health, developmental or psychological conditions? □ Yes □ No Explain: __________________________

Does your family have health and/or accident insurance: □ Yes □ No

Family Health Plan Name: ______________________________________ Policy #: ____________________________________________ Group #: ____________________________________________

Permission for Treatment by Physician/Hospital: □ Yes □ No Physician’s Name: ______________________________________

Physician’s Phone: ( ______ ) _______________

HOUSEHOLD INFORMATION — NOTE: This information is collected for grant writing purposes ONLY

Ethnic/Racial Origin: □ Caucasian □ African American □ Hispanic □ Asian □ Native American □ Multi-Racial □ Other __________________________ (please specify)

Number in Household: ________ Current Head of Household: □ Female □ Male Single Parent Household: □ Yes □ No

Estimated Yearly Household Income: ________ Military Family (please specify branch): __________

PARENT: PLEASE READ AND SIGN THE FOLLOWING:

I hereby give permission to my son/daughter to become a member of the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket. I understand that the Club and its personnel are not responsible for personal injury or loss of property. I agree to observe whatever rules are decided upon as best for the welfare of all. The Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket reserves the right to dismiss a youngster from the Club. Refunds will not be made due to dismissal. Permission is given to use photos or motion pictures for publicity purposes.

In accordance with Section 7-6-9 of the RI General Laws entitled “Exemption from Liability”, I hereby waive any liability that the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket, its officers, directors, trustees, agents, servants and employees might have and agree that said Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket, shall not be liable for any bodily injury to the participant incurred while such participant is practicing for, or participating in any contest or exhibition of an athletic or sports nature sponsored by the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket, and hereby assume the risk of any bodily injury to such participant incurred while such participant is practicing for or participating in any contest or exhibition of an athletic or sports nature sponsored by the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket.

The health history on the reverse of this form is correct so far as I know, and the herein described has permission to engage in all prescribed activities, except as noted by me and the physician. In the event I cannot be reached in an emergency, I hereby give permission to the physician selected by and the adult leader in charge, to hospitalize, secure proper anesthesia, or to order injections or surgery for the above-named member.

Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket would like every member to have a positive day. Members will be held accountable for their actions to ensure a safe and fun environment for all. As a drop-in facility, we are not responsible for Club members’ whereabouts. Additionally, please do not send toys, CD players, MP3 players, jewelry, cell phones, handheld games or other valuables to the Club. I understand the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket is not responsible for personal injury or loss of property.

Please mail, fax, or e-mail completed applications and payment to:

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF PAWTUCKET, ONE MOELLER PLACE, PAWTUCKET, RI 02860 | 401.727.4733 (FAX) | ramsbottom@bgcpawt.org
Teen Summer Program

 Teens, ages 13-18, can participate in a fun and engaging summer program held at our state-of-the-art Teen Center in Pawtucket.

 Programs include:
 • Art
 • Basketball
 • Career Exploration
 • Dance
 • Fitness and Sports Conditioning
 • Gardening
 • Music
 • STEM
 • Swimming
 • Field Trips and much more!

 For more information: www.bgcpawt.org or 401-722-8840.

Summer Baseball Leagues

JR. RBI BASEBALL: Boys and Girls ages 4-12
4-5 year olds: T-ball
6-7 and 8-9 year olds: Machine Pitching
10-12 year olds: Live and Machine Pitching

Fee: $40

RBI BASEBALL:
Offering players ages 13-18 the opportunity to play 11 summertime games under the lights, plus a competitive championship series.

Fee: $60

Registration for both leagues opens April 1st.

For more information about either league: www.bgcpawt.org or 401-722-8840.

Youth ages 4-12 will play on the fields at the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket; youth ages 13-18 play at fields across the City.

Sponsored by The Pawtucket Red Sox Organization & Major League Baseball. Participants must be members of the Boys & Girls Club of Pawtucket to participate in baseball leagues.