

KIDS CONSERVATION CAMP
A FUN AND EDUCATIONAL SUMMER
EXPERIENCE FOR KIDS AGES 7 TO 17.

REGISTRATION BEGINS APRIL 9, 2012

REGISTRATION FEE:

\$35.00 per week for Y-Members
\$45.00 per week for Non-Members

Drop off and pick-up will be at
PARK CENTRAL (FORMALLY ARMCO PARK)
1861 ADAMS LANE
ZANESVILLE, OH 43701
(740) 453-9622

Z-Bus provides transportation to activities.

For More Information:

Muskingum SWCD 454-2027
Muskingum Family YMCA 453-9622

SPACE IS LIMITED TO 20 CHILDREN PER DAY.
EARLY REGISTRATION IS SUGGESTED.



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MUSKINGUM FAMILY YMCA
OFFERS BEFORE AND AFTER CHILD CARE.

Attend All Summer!!!

All Kids Conservation Camp staff have
completed necessary background checks.

All SWCD & NRCS programs and services are offered
on a non-discriminatory basis, without regard to race,
color, national origin, age, sex, religion, political beliefs,
sexual orientation, marital status, or handicap.

2012 Kids
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Sponsored By:

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Mondays & Wednesdays
June 4th - August 15th
9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Muskingum Soil & Water Conservation District has again joined with the Muskingum Family Y to offer a fun and educational alternative to a long summer at home. This two day a week program, for ages 7 to 17, gives children the opportunity to experience a variety of recreational and outdoor education activities.

Mondays are spent on a conservation project at Blue Rock State Park and Wednesdays the campers take a field trip. Each week of camp has a different theme with correlating activities.

Participants in this summer's program will be maintaining our butterfly and hummingbird garden, installing another garden and maintaining our adopted trail.

New this summer !

We will be starting a Jr. Counselor program for campers ages 14-18 who have been conservation campers for at least two years. Through this program, Jr. Counselors will develop leadership and supervisory skills while earning hours for Key Club and/or other civic organizations or service learning hours through their High Schools. A limited number of Jr. Counselors will be accepted and attend at the reduced fee of \$17 for members and \$22 for non-members per week. This is a great learning opportunity for our high school age campers.

Campers! Bring swim items every Monday!

On Mondays we return to the YMCA to at 2:30pm to swim until camp is over at 4p.m.

Wednesday Field Trip

Destinations:

JUNE 6TH

Dawes Arboretum Vernal Pool

Vernal pool life, amphibians of Ohio

JUNE 13TH

Old Man's Cave

Hiking, stream exploration, Ohio geology

JUNE 20TH

Burr Oak State Park

Canoeing, swimming, water safety

JUNE 27TH

Ohio River Museum and Campus Martius

River history and ecology, pioneer life

JULY 5TH (THURSDAY)

The Ridge Museum and Kraner Nature Center

Archaeology and nocturnal animals

JULY 11TH

OSU Agriculture Research Station

Animals, agriculture and farm life

JULY 18TH

Lake Park in Coshocton

Swimming, water slides and outdoor fun

JULY 25TH-26TH YMCA/OUZ WEDNESDAY

Camp Overnight At Blue Rock State Park -
Wednesday night through 4p.m. Thursday

AUGUST 1ST

The Works!

Hands-on science experiments

AUGUST 8TH

ROSCOE VILLAGE

Living history, canal boat presentation

AUGUST 15

Zane State College Natural Resource Center

Fishing, archery, end-of-summer party!

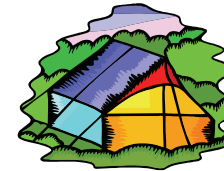
Camp Overnight

Wednesday, July 25th to Thursday, July 26

Blue Rock State Park

All Conservation Campers will have the opportunity to participate in an overnight campout at Blue Rock. Campers will attend camp on Wednesday, stay overnight and can be picked up at 4:00 p.m. on Thursday. Cory, our counselor has volunteered to stay with the boys, so all campers can attend an overnight this summer. Girls will stay in cabins and the boys in tents. Campers will be responsible for helping to prepare meals, set up camp, clean-up and work together. Four adult counselors and our four Jr. counselors will supervise our campers. The overnight will be limited to twenty campers. A list of what to bring and more information will be sent home with campers at the beginning of July.

Activities Include:



- Campfire
- Swimming
- Crafts
- Night Hike
- Games and fun!

Campers will be dropped off on Wednesday as they normally are; they will stay at the YMCA until 3p.m. when we will leave on the bus for Blue Rock. We will be camping at Blue Rock overnight and return to the YMCA at 3p.m. on Thursday. Campers can be picked up anytime between 3pm and 4pm.



ACTIVITIES DESIGNED AND SUPERVISED BY:

Nicole Hafer, Education Specialist

MUSKINGUM SOIL & WATER
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