

Summer Camp Helpful Hints

- **Things to bring:** water bottle, bug spray, an open and happy outlook.
- **Things not to bring:** electronics (we are not responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged items)

FAQ'S

- **Can I send snacks with my child?** Yes, but snacks are only to be eaten with lunch or at our designated snack time.
- **Do you go outside if it is too hot or rainy?** Yes, but in the event of extreme heat we limit our time outside and take frequent water breaks. In the event of light rain or sprinkling still allows us to explore outside but any sound of thunder keeps us inside.
- **Do I need to send a change of clothes with my child?** Specific camps do require a change of clothes. Otherwise, it is never a bad idea to keep an extra set of clothes on hand.
- **Who leads the camps?** The Douglas-Hart Nature Center camp staff consist of five counselors who all have experience in education, working with kids, and training in First aid/CPR. Camp staff are assisted by Junior Counselor Interns. These interns are high school, college or adult aged individuals who are volunteering their time to help out. All interns must attend a training prior to volunteering.
- **How many children are in one camp?** The minimum number of campers is five while the max per counselor is 15.
- **Have more questions?** Contact staff at the Douglas-Hart Nature Center by calling (217) 235-4644 or email douglashartnc@consolidated.net

