

UrbanPromise Summer Camp Fact Sheet

When are the camps?

UrbanPromise summer camps run for six weeks from Tuesday, June 30th to Friday, August 7th. The regular camp day is from 9 am to 12:30 pm. Because most of our facilities are not air conditioned, camp may be cancelled on days when there is an excessive heat warning or the temperature is predicted to be above 98 degrees during camp time.

Where are the camps?

We run six summer camps in Camden. The camps are neighborhood based so we are looking first for children who live within walking distance of the facilities. We generally do not provide transportation for children during the summer, although staff will walk children who live nearby home after camp.

The intersections closest to our three programs for children going into 1st to 4th grade are as follows: 36th and Federal in East Camden; South 4th and Spruce in Downtown Camden; Broadway and Ferry in South Camden.

The intersections closest to our three programs for children going into 5th to 8th grade are as follows: 36th and Federal in East Camden; State and 6th Street in North Camden; South 4th Street and Emerald in South Camden. We will provide transportation for 5th to 8th graders from the South 4th and Spruce site to the State and 6th Street site.

Do you have any programs for the entire day?

No. There are some small group afternoon activities such as sports leagues and 'Bible Buddies' that some children can participate in once or twice a week.

How much does the camp cost?

There is no registration fee but we go on trips, usually to a local pool, most weeks. Those trips usually cost around \$7.

What do kids do at camp?

UrbanPromise is a Christian organization so Christian teaching and activities have an important role in our Summer Camps and AfterSchool Programs.

The camps serve both breakfast and lunch. After breakfast, the entire camp participates in a fun, high-energy opening program. Then, children rotate in small groups through a series of different fun classes including: Recreation, Art, Bible and Hodge Podge. The summer also includes various special events for different age groups including: The Summer Carnival, All-Camp Day, a Kick-Ball and Capture-the-Flag Tournament, Camp Nights and Basketball Leagues.

Who supervises the camps?

Each camp is led by one of our full-time, year-round Directors. They are assisted by a team college-aged summer interns from around the world and our StreetLeaders. StreetLeaders are local high school students employed as camp counselors.

How do I register my child?

Parents can fill out a Summer Camp Interest Form to get on our Interest List. You can get a form from our website (<http://urbanpromiseusa.org/pdf/SummerInterestForm.pdf>), or from our office at 3601 Federal St. By the end of May, we will begin calling parents on the Interest List to register their children. For more information, you can contact our office at 856-382-1881.