

Robin's Nest Summer Camp Events & Themes

“ To Infinity & Beyond!”

Every Monday: Ice Cream Truck at 3:15

A group of 20 school age kids will go to Reflections & Holly Brook assisted living at 2:00 to share their time with the elderly! Bingo, reading books, doing an art project- something new each week!

Books we will be reading as a group in reading circle:

- Lost in Outer Space
- Stink: The Solar System Superhero
- The Magic Tree House: Journey into Space
- The Magic Tree House: Blasts into Space
- Night Sky Watcher
- National Geographic: Meteors

6/5: Space travel: Nasa, rockets & astronauts.

Air travel will be explored. Special field trip to St. Louis Science center & take a ride in a rocket simulator.

6/12: Lunar, night time & the moon. In depth study about the phases of the moon, full moon and the effects of gravity on the planet Earth.

Ancient myths about lunar eclipse.

6/19: Solar, stars and what they do for us on Earth and the galaxy.

Beginning talks of the upcoming solar eclipse and ancient myths about the solar eclipse: Mayans **Challenger field trip: Jr. Astronauts field trip to St. Louis.**

6/26: Earth: The mother planet. Save the earth: Water and other resources: Mother Nature videos. Overnight camping trip: families invited to come!

7/3: Weather: What causes weather, the effects of weather on the planet and her surface. Global warming- where do we go if the planet is endanger? What can we do to save the Earth? -**4th of July BBQ party at the school July 3: we will be closed for the 4th of July.**

7/10: Planets: Our solar system- the names and locations. How and why do the orbit around our sun. Is Pluto a planet? How many moons do the planets have? Why do some have moons and other do not. Which planets are hot and cold and why? **Sky dome comes to Robin's Nest!**

(Fall updates are due for van runs: Friday July 14)

7/17: Northern lights, meteors, comets & other Galaxian events.

7/24: Constellations and their formation in our sky: Astrological signs and Greek mythology. **Final Preparations for science fair.**

7/31: Final Preparations: Science Fair & Dessert Party 7:30 August 3

8/7: Fun week: 8/7 School age Olympics & games, t-shirt signing, SIU Solar glasses art party: Get ready for the **Solar eclipse 8/22/17 at 11:52am**

8/14: PJ, Popcorn & movie day: Last day of summer camp! Back to school 8/15/17! Toy Story 3