

BROOKLYN SPORTS and THEATRE CAMP

FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- **What is the camp's philosophy?**

At Brooklyn Sports and Theatre Camp (formerly known as Bay Ridge Sports and Theatre Camp), we are dedicated to providing kids with an enjoyable, safe and care-free summer camp where friendships and fond memories are created. All games and activities promote fun, confidence, self-esteem and integrity, while our counselors support and encourage good sportsmanship.

- **What activities are offered at the camp?**

Activities are both indoor and outdoor, and they are balanced accordingly. Our sports camp participates in basketball, baseball, soccer, kickball, tennis, bowling, billiards, movies and occasional day trips. Our theatre camp concentrates on teaching kids acting skills, voice and dance skills, as well as behind-the-scenes production techniques. Younger children have the opportunity to create art projects. The theatre camp also spends some time every day outdoors for various sports and are invited on the day trips.

- **What are the camp hours?**

Regular camp hours are from 9:00am to 3:00pm, Monday through Friday, with the exception of holidays, noted on the Calendar and Registration Form.

- **I work. Can I drop my child off earlier, or pick him/her up later?**

Yes. We offer extended hours from 7:30am to 8:30am, and from 3:00pm to 6:30pm. See our Rate Sheet and Fees for current hourly prices (cash only accepted).

- **Where do I drop off my child in the morning and pick him/her up in the afternoon?**

A parent or guardian MUST sign their child in AND out daily on the roster, and must also show ID when picking their child up. The sign-in sheet is at the front table manned by counselors or the Camp Director in the main gym.

There are parking lot entrances on both 73rd Street and 74th Street sides.

IMPORTANT NOTE REGARDING CHILDREN 12+: Children 12 and older may sign for themselves ONLY if indicated on the Registration Form in Special Instructions. These children WILL NOT be allowed to enter camp before 8:30am and MUST LEAVE the premises by 3:30p.

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- **Can I pay for camp tuition with a credit card?**

No, we can only accept checks and cash. Payment due date is Friday for the following week. The last day to pay is Tuesday. **Any payments received after Tuesday will be charged a \$25 late fee.**

- **I paid for a full week for my child but he/she missed time because of illness or another unplanned situation. Can I get a partial refund?**

No. Please understand that we staff the camp based on the number of children enrolled for that week. Regrettably, we cannot issue any refunds for missed days.

- **What should I pack for my child every day?**

We recommend you pack lunch (including snack and drink) each day except Friday when we provide free pizza. If your child does not eat pizza, then pack lunch Fridays as well. Children are required to wear sneakers ONLY. No sandals or open toe shoes are permitted. As for field trip days, notices will be emailed and/or sent home with your child informing you what other items you need to provide for trip days.

- **Can my child bring his/her electronics to camp?**

We STRONGLY recommend that your child NOT bring items such as iPads, Tablets, Game Boys, iPods or MP3s as they could easily run the risk of being lost, stolen or broken. Furthermore, they are a distraction to the children and defeat the socialization and exercise skills we foster at camp. An exception to this policy is for cell phones that parents want their children to carry for safety purposes, although be aware we do not allow the children to use their phones during any activity time. Our camp will not be held responsible for lost, stolen or broken personal items.

- **Do you have a question you don't see here? Please email us at brooklynsportsandtheatrecamp@gmail.com**