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## Yellowstone Adventure Camp

The camp will operate in the greater Mammoth and Gardiner areas. Weekly drop off and pick up locations will be given to families one to two weeks ahead of time.

**Core Hours:** 8:00am-4:00pm

**Extended Care Hours:** 4:00pm-5:30pm

**Who can participate:** Youth entering kindergarten - 6th grades in the fall of 2018 who live within the Gardiner Public School District.

### Cost:

- **Regular Tuition - \$110 per week\***
- **Helping Parent Rate Tuition - \$80 per week\***
  - Camp volunteer one 1/2 day per week enrolled (scheduled by Snoopy Cooperative Preschool; 8 slots/week)
  - Supply Preparer for week (1 slot/week)
  - Administrative helper for camp (collecting tuition and paperwork Monday morning and coordinating carpooling; 1 slot/week)
  - MCC cleaner (1 slot/week)
- **Extended Care Rate - \$15 per week**
- **Registration fee- \$10 per session**

*\*Full and partial scholarships are available*

The weekly themes are subject to change. Please note on your registration if your enrollment in a particular week is theme-dependent; if so, we will contact you and do our best to accommodate enrollment changes.

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Snoopy Cooperative Preschool is happy to present the second year of Yellowstone Adventure Camp in cooperation with Gardiner Public Schools through a Special Use Permit with the National Park Service and a generous grant from the Gardiner Resort Tax District.

If we have enough children register, the camp will be split into older and younger groups each week. In order to help us hire enough instructors and best serve your family's needs, please return your registration form as early as possible. To encourage early registration, registration fees for session 1 will be waived for families who register and pay in full by April 15, 2018. Registration fees for session 2 and 3 will be half price for families who register and pay in full by May 1, 2018.

The cancellation policy is as follows: registration fees are non-refundable, full refunds are given for cancellation 2 weeks prior to camp week, and refunds for cancellations under 2 weeks require board approval. A cancellation for a week where a registration fee was waived will result in the registration fee being charged. Alternative payment schedules can be requested.

Registration and scholarship application forms can be found at <http://snoopypreschool.weebly.com/yellowstone-adventure-camp.html>

For more information, please contact Jenni Burr by phone at 406-224-7287 or email at [snoopypreschool@gmail.com](mailto:snoopypreschool@gmail.com). Scholarship inquiries may also be directed to Snoopy Preschool Board Members (Erin Thom, Nico Wood, Kari Pofahl, Melanie Pierce, and Leslie Young.)

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## Summer 2018

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## Session One

### June 11-14 Wildflowers and Butterflies

Grab your art supplies! We will create nature journals as we search for cool butterflies and colorful wildflowers and learn how plants and insects are connected. *(Mammoth-based week)*

### June 18-21 Dancing Animals

Get ready to groove! We'll explore the fundamental components of dance through creative movement activities designed to build skills and foster a sense of confidence and self expression. Dancers will also explore through sculpture and drawing to help create a movement vocabulary inspired by Yellowstone's animals. The week will culminate in an informal performance featuring choreography designed by the students. *(Gardiner-based week; includes guest instructors)*

### June 25-28 Nature STEAM

Create, discover and imagine! Looking to nature for inspiration, we will spend a fun-filled week experimenting, investigating, making, and having fun in the great outdoors.

*(Mammoth-based week. For those attending basketball camp, half day rates are \$50 helping rate/ \$65 regular tuition)*



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## Session Two

### July 9-12 Music Engineers

Tune in for a musical week! We will get creative with voices and percussion, while exploring connections between music, math, and science. We'll even engineer some instruments of our own, and put on a performance at the week's end. *(Gardiner-based week; includes guest instructors)*

### July 16-19

#### Option A: Surviving Yellowstone

What does it take to survive here? We will study the plants and animals to see just how they live with the many challenges of Yellowstone. *(Mammoth-based week)*

#### Option B: Yellowstone Explorers

Adventure Awaits! We will spend the week exploring new trails and learning what it takes to be a Yellowstone explorer. *(Mammoth-based week. Please note: This is open to kids entering 3-6 grades & will require daily drop-off and pick-ups in locations up to 20 minutes outside of Mammoth.)*

### July 23-26 Theater Arts

We will develop our creativity, confidence, and communication skills all while having fun exploring a wide variety of theater forms. Everyone from wallflowers to spotlight fiends will find something to enjoy. With the support of Verge Theater's experienced theater artists, we'll work towards an end-of-week showcase to share what we've learned. *(Gardiner-based week; includes guest instructors)*

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## Session Three

### July 30- August 2 Forts and Fairy Houses

There's no place like home! Using animal engineers like beavers and spiders for inspiration, we will create hidy-holes big and small as we grow our building skills. *(Mammoth and Gardiner-based week)*

### August 6-9 Full STEAM Ahead

Get in gear and engineer! Prepare to spend a week as inventors, makers, designers, artists, and more. Daily STEAM challenges will promote hands-on learning and fun as we explore science, technology, engineering, art, and math. *(Gardiner-based week)*

### August 13-16 Animal Detectives

Who's been prowling around Yellowstone? This week we will learn all about our local animals and look for their signs using our best detective skills. While we're at it, we'll create nature journals of the critters and plants of Yellowstone and the habitats they call home. *(Mammoth-based week)*

