



# Creative Themes

cthemes.net

SUMMER NEWS 2011



## Payment Schedule



Payments are due:

May 1—sessions in June and July

June 1—sessions in August

## Medical Forms

Medical forms for all campers are due May 1st. A new medical form is required every year for each camper. **Please use the Creative Themes form provided online** or call Denise at 671-5639 to request a copy. These do not need to be filled out by your doctor. Parents can fill them out. Forms are available on our website: [www.cthemes.net](http://www.cthemes.net)

## Extended Care Service Information

Extended care is a service available to all campers on a daily or weekly basis.

**AM Care 7:00–8:30 a.m.**  
\$30/week or \$7/day per child

**PM Care 3:30–6:00 p.m.**  
\$45/week or \$10/day per child  
Payments for this service are due the first Tuesday of each session or for the one time use at the time of drop off or pick up.

**Don't Miss Creative Themes Open House!**



**Saturday, June 4th, 11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.**  
**Sunday, June 5th, 11:00 a.m.–3:00 p.m.**

Join us for a hot dog and drink, meet the staff and take a tour of camp. This is a great opportunity for our customers to meet the directors and the staff!

We will be happy to answer any questions you have.

**Note:**  
**The Campership Program for 2012**  
Information will be mailed in the beginning of July.

## FROM THE DIRECTORS

Creative Themes would like to continue with our excellent safety and camper satisfaction record. Please help us to make camp a safe and fun environment for each and every camper and parent.

**Once again we would like to remind campers that proper shoes for our environment are shoes or sandals that have good soles and attach to the foot.** Closed-toe shoes and sandals are preferred. FLIP FLOPS are not appropriate footwear choices, as they leave feet exposed to the elements, give no support during play, and are an accident waiting to happen. Please, do not send the children to camp with FLIP FLOPs as their main footwear.

**Leave at Home:** For our campers protection, safety, and comfort we ask that they leave all cell phones, electronic games, and music devices at home. Creative Themes is a place to enjoy the outdoors and not be preoccupied with these items. It is also a place where things can be misplaced, lost, stolen, or easily damaged. Creative Themes has a phone if communication with a camper is necessary (585-385-6830).

**Sunscreen:** This year at CT we will have available for daily use, SPF 30 Kids Friendly Sunscreen. Broad spectrum UVA/UVB protection. Allows your skin to breathe and perspire keeping your body cooler. Hypoallergenic, Free of Vitamin A (retinyl palmitate), PABA, fragrance, wheat, gluten, glycol, and nut oils. For more information on the sunscreen go to: [www.rmsunscreen.com](http://www.rmsunscreen.com).

**Drive Thoughtfully:** Drive carefully both to and from camp. Respect the neighbors on Eaglehead Rd. Drive slowly and cautiously; remember, this is where they live and their children play.

Keep in mind that Creative Themes Camp facility is in an outdoor environment. Be smart in how you dress, the shoes you wear, and the things you bring to camp. Also, be careful in your trip to and from camp.

We're looking forward to our 28th Magic Summer at Creative Themes Day Camp!

Sincerely,

*Bob Remis*

*Denise Bellavia*

## eyer park

We have again secured the **pavilion at eyer park** for our peak summer sessions. This will be the base for the LIT program. This gives us a safe, warm and dry area to start our day. We will also be using Eyer Park as an alternate drop off and pick up area for some campers. Denise will notify parents to identify which campers should use Eyer Park. Eyer Park will not be used until June 27 and will end August 19. Please wait to hear from us before assuming any drop off.

# a day at CREATIVE THEMES



At Creative Themes we know that each camper has different interests, our program activities touch these different interests in many ways. These programs are adapted for each age group from K-7 grades.

**Swimming, fishing, canoeing, kayaking, netting, nature, arts and crafts, theater, adventure based experiences, sports, and themes.**

A Typical Day for a Two Week Session (will vary):

## 8:30-9:10 a.m.

Morning drop off (campers will be dropped off in parking area, staff is assigned to help).

## 9:10-9:25 a.m.

We all meet at the amphitheater for morning announcements.

## 9:25 a.m.-12:55 p.m.

All groups participate in scheduled activities for about 35minutes each. These include:

- Swim Lessons • Game Time
- Theme Time (activities based on session theme)
- Art • Lunch
- Activity Time (fishing, canoeing, archery, and theater)

## 12:55-1:25 p.m.

Large Group Recess

## 1:25-2:35 p.m.

Free Choice Time (All camp activities are open with staff stationed around the different areas.)

## 2:35-2:55 p.m.

All campers meet in the amphitheater for end of day announcements and icees.

## 2:55-3:20 p.m.

Afternoon pick up (campers are brought to the parking area to be picked up).

# LUNCH AT CAMP

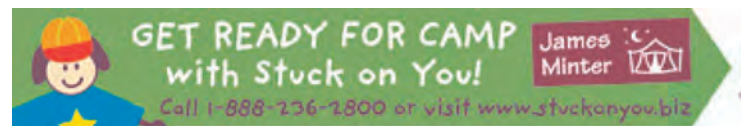
**Back by popular demand!** Creative Themes Lunch Bags will be given to each camper on the first day of each session (one per camper). Please mark your camper's name with permanent marker on the spot indicated. These bags can be used for their lunches on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday.

**Monday-** Hamburgers/Hot Dogs\*

**Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday-** All campers bring a lunch

**Friday-** Pizza\*

\*Served with chips, fruit and drink.



**Check out [www.stuckonyou.biz](http://www.stuckonyou.biz) for a great way to label clothing and items coming to camp!**

## What every camper will need at camp:

Backpack/bag  
Swimsuit and Towel  
Raincoat (rainy days)  
Lunch on Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday  
*Please label all clothing.*

## What every camper should NOT bring to camp:

Valuables, Gameboys  
Trading cards, (Pokeman, baseball, etc.), Radios, Cell Phones



## CAMP POLICY

**Pick up/Drop off:** If you are dropping off after the 9:00 a.m. time or picking up before or after the 3:00 p.m. time you will need to report to the office to sign you child in or out.

**Releasing Campers:** If your child will need to be picked up during the day a note should be sent to their counselor that day. Please make sure the name of the person who will be picking up the child is indicated, this person should report to the office to pick up the child.

**3:00 Pick Up:** We will bring all campers who are leaving at 3:00 p.m. to the parking lot. Our staff will assist in loading all campers into their cars.

For everyone's safety please follow the staff's directions.

**Extended Care:** Our staff will need to sign all campers in and out during these times. Please make sure you report to the staff signing out campers.

### Camper's Behavior:

- Campers are expected to respect and listen to the camp staff.
- No taking of other campers' stuff.
- No fighting or bad language will be tolerated.
- No destroying camp property.

## KEEP IT SAFE FOR EVERYONE!



### Drive slowly on Eaglehead Road.

It is a quiet neighborhood with children, just like yours! Please be mindful of this.

### Don't worry and don't hurry.

We offer staggered drop off (8:30–9:00 a.m.) and pick up (2:55–3:25 p.m.) times.

### Take it slow, listen to staff, and be patient in the parking area.

**Drop off** (8:30–9:00 a.m.) Staff will be in the parking lot to help campers out of their cars, if you need to park you will need to go to the middle of the circle.

**Pick up** (2:55–3:25 p.m.) Campers will be brought to the parking lot and helped into cars by staff.



### Interested in carpooling?

We can help. Let us know if you are interested and we provide you with information about other campers looking to carpool.

### Extended day is a great deal!

This is a wonderful way to build flexibility into your schedule and avoid peak drop off and pick up times. See cover for details.

*Additional safety and parking lot information is distributed on the first day of each camp session.*

## HOW TO REACH US:

<b>Camp Located:</b>	325 Eaglehead Road, off Lincoln Road, in East Rochester
<b>Mailing Address:</b>	P. O. Box 127 Penfield, NY 14526
<b>Telephone (during camp):</b>	(585) 385-6830
<b>Email:</b>	<a href="mailto:cthemesthemes@rochester.rr.com">cthemesthemes@rochester.rr.com</a>
<b>Website:</b>	<a href="http://www.cthemesthemes.net">www.cthemesthemes.net</a>

# OPEN HOUSE!

Saturday & Sunday  
June 4 & 5



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