If you were hoping for a cool start to the summer, you may have been disappointed as the temperatures climbed into the 90’s this week. However, you couldn’t have asked for a better setting for our “H20-Lympics”! A sunny day, with clear skies and a light breeze provided the perfect backdrop for an event that is soaked in fun.

The Lawndale field was transformed into a summer paradise, with eight water games ranging from the perennial favorite “Drip-Drip-Splash” (think duck-duck-goose), to our brand new “sponge tag”. Campers enjoyed the opportunity to play games - and soak a few counselors too! One camper from Junior Camp told us “I get to splash OUTSIDE of the pool!”

We’d also like to take a moment to thank our Group Games Coach, Chris, who not only planned the event, but ran (and played) with every group from 9 am to 3:30 pm. (A special shout out to Tech CIT’s Alex, Jake, and Noah, who spent the day keeping all the buckets well stocked with water and balloons) It was a perfect treat in a fun-filled week that included a planetarium, a camper-made space ship, time capsules, and more!

Reminder: All Summer at Friends Camps will be closed Thursday July 4th, 2019. All Camps are open on Friday, July 5th.
COUNSELOR OF THE DAY

Each day we celebrate counselors, lifeguards, and other staff members who go above and beyond to make camp awesome! Counselors are nominated by campers or directors and recognized with a commemorative “tree cookie”.

Monday, June 24 - Day # 6

Lila Karp
Teacher, Imagination Alive
Always helping run amazing warm up activities and making sure their show is under production, Lila was nominated by almost all of her campers!

Tuesday, June 25 - Day # 7

Rebecca Lane
Head Counselor, Intermediate 5
Rebecca is the enthusiastic Head of some of our most energetic campers, who made sure it was known that she must win counselor of the day for just how amazing she is!

Wednesday, June 26 - Day # 8

Lauryn Taylor
CIT, Junior Camp
Recommended not only by her campers, but her fellow counselors as well, you can find Lauryn singing along with the Junior Campers everywhere they go, brightening the mood!

Thursday, June 27 - Day # 9

Jacob Noble
CIT, Robots and Rockets
A huge help across campus and specifically for our H2Olympics, Jacob has gone above and beyond to do anything it takes to make camp great.

Friday, June 28 - Day # 10

Saraid Satterfield
Head Counselor, Intermediate 2
Nominated by all of her campers and then some, Saraid is the owner of the largest amount of Counselor of the Day nominations EVER, which is proof enough to the amazing influence she is for our Intermediate 2 group.
IMPORTANT INFORMATION

PARENT HANDBOOK
Our Parent Handbook is available online at www.fscamp.org. It contains everything you need to know about Summer at Friends, including the full lunch menu, where to drop off and pick up your child, and more!

STAY SAFE ON THE DRIVEWAY
Campus speed limit is 5 M.P.H.
Follow staff instructions and please no U-Turns.
All traffic enters and exits campus from the traffic light on Charles street. Do not enter or exit campus from Greenleaf or Boxhill Roads.

LUNCHES & SNACK
Camp provides lunch and snack, however if you choose to bring food from home please note that nut based products such as peanut butter, almonds, etc. are prohibited. Glass bottles/containers are also prohibited. Please don’t send these items to camp. More information is available in the Parent Handbook.

MORNING DROP OFF
Please do not drop your child off early (before 7:30 am for AM Extended Day participants, or before 8:45 am for the regular camp day.) See the Parent Handbook for information about late arrivals. If you arrive after morning carline has ended, you must park and walk your child to the Pre-Primary (Junior & KinderCampers) or Lower School Assembly Room. Please do not leave your child unattended.

PICK UP PROCEDURES
Please complete a camper pick-up form and be prepared to hand it to the counselors at pick-up time. You will need a new form per camper per day. The form is available online and in the Parent Handbook, and counselors will have additional copies. More information is available in the Parent Handbook.

EARLY DISMISSALS
Each day at camp is full of fun activities, so we hope you won’t need to leave early! If you need to pick up your child at any time other than the regular pickup time, please send a written note to the Camp Director. Parents must sign the early pick up log in the Pre-Primary Office or Lower School Assembly Room. Early pick-up request must be at least 30 minutes before the scheduled end of the program (i.e. before 12 Noon for KinderCamp and before 3:30 for other camps.) More information is available in the Parent Handbook.

Tie Dye Days
July 2 & 3
all camps
Please send a white cotton shirt in to camp on Tuesday!
2019 CAMP CALENDAR

June 17 - 21: “Through the Years”

Special Event!
Launch Party
Monday

Camp Shirt Thursday!
Campers are invited to wear their
Summer at Friends T-Shirt

June 24 - 28: “SciFi Into the Future”

Special Event!
Cosmic Adventures
Tuesday

Camp Shirt Thursday!
Campers are invited to wear their
Summer at Friends T-Shirt

Special Event!
H2Olympics
Thursday
Bring an extra towel for the camp games!

Special Event!
Tech Showcase
Friday
11 am, Twombly Auditorium
featuring Animations, Tech Tips, Robots & Robotics
and Creative Crafts
PARENTS INVITED

July 1 - 5: “Through the Looking Glass”

Special Activity!
Tie-Dye Days
Tuesday & Wednesday
Send in a white, cotton shirt on Tuesday to tie-dye!

All Camps Closed
Thursday, July 4th

Camp Shirt Friday!
Campers are invited to wear their
Summer at Friends T-Shirt

July 8 - 12: “Mysteries”

Special Event!
Imagination Alive Performance
Friday 2 pm, Twombly Auditorium
A creative performance featuring Imagination Alive
A light reception to follow
PARENTS INVITED

Camp Shirt Thursday!
Campers are invited to wear their
Summer at Friends T-Shirt

Special Activity!
Mid-Summer Celebration
Friday
Campers and Staff celebrate the halfway mark
with a special beach and other activities

Special Event!
Tech Showcase
Friday 11 am, Twombly Auditorium
featuring Animations, Tech Tips, Robots & Robotics
and Creative Crafts
PARENTS INVITED

July 15 - 19: “The Unsung Heroes”

Special Event!
Field Day
Thursday
Don’t forget a water bottle, sunscreen and hat!

Camp Shirt Thursday!
Campers are invited to wear their
Summer at Friends T-Shirt

July 22 - 26: “Fairy Tales”

Special Event!
Take Two! Showcase
Friday 2 pm, Twombly Auditorium
A variety show featuring Take Two!
A light reception to follow
PARENTS INVITED

Camp Shirt Thursday!
Campers are invited to wear their
Summer at Friends T-Shirt

Special Event!
Tech Showcase
Friday 11 am, Twombly Auditorium
featuring Photographic, Tech Tips, Robots & Robotics
and Creative Crafts
PARENTS INVITED

July 29 - August 2: “Captain Jack’s Great Adventure”

Special Event!
Carnival Day
Thursday
Don’t forget a water bottle, sunscreen, and hat!
More information will be published in the Summer Newsletter

Camp Shirt Thursday!
Campers are invited to wear their
Summer at Friends T-Shirt

August 5 - 9: “Friends Around the Campfire”

Special Event!
Annual Cardboard Regatta
Thursday

Special Event!
End of Camp Lunch
Thursday
Campers and Staff share a “rock-out”
toasted marshmallows

Special Event!
Kindercamp Celebration
Friday 12:30 pm, Twombly Auditorium
Experience a snapshot of Summer Fun with art, music, and more!
Campers should wear their camp shirt!
PARENTS INVITED

Special Event!
5th annual Camp Closing Ceremony
Friday 2 pm, Twombly Auditorium
The traditional closing of our camp season featuring performances
and presentations from the many of camp groups plus the presentation
of the Spirit of Summer at Friends Award
Campers should wear their camp shirt!
PARENTS INVITED

for more information and updates visit www.fsccamp.org
What's for Lunch?
All of Summer at Friends full-day camps include lunch! Find out more about our lunch program, including alternate options, in the Parent Handbook.

Menu for Week 3: July 1 to July 5

Monday: Grilled Cheese Sandwich

Tuesday: All Beef Hot Dogs

Wednesday: Grilled Chicken Sandwich

Thursday: CAMP CLOSED

Friday: Macaroni and Cheese

Imagination Alive

Imagination Alive has been continuing to work on our rendition of “A Bag Full of Fables.” The campers are beginning to memorize their parts and we’ve been having a blast trying out different voices and personas for the characters!

It’s been an exciting week of playing Marco Polo and Bulldog at the pool, as well as doing theatre and improv games such as Walk the Space, What Are You Doing, and Scene Building in the auditorium. Our group had a lot of fun this week completing different camp challenges like the Captain’s Query and a time capsule for future camps!

We’ve had the chance to participate in camp wide activities as well, like the traveling planetarium from Cosmic Adventures and the H2Olympics. Thank you to all of our excellent campers and counselors for making this week another great one!

- Lila & Camille

Junior & KinderCamp

It is hard to believe that we have already finished two weeks of camp! We had a blast celebrating our “SciFi: Into the Future” theme this week. Campers created their own space scenes in art, as well as creating items during classroom time to keep in a Junior Camp time capsule to be found years from now! Our highlight this week was the refreshing pool! Campers were eager to cool off on our hot days and are already noticing that they are more comfortable swimming in our pool! We finished off our week with our exciting H20-lympics. Everyone had a blast! We look forward to seeing everyone next week!

- Shelby

Sports Camp

TOUCHDOWN!! This week in Sports camp was a huge success. Our campers learned how to throw, catch, and kick footballs and run some pretty complex routes. There’s no doubt that coach John Watt is conditioning some future college or even NFL athletes. Next week is a Soccer week and is filling up fast! We hope to see you there.

- Sam
**Intermediate Camp**

Our Intermediate campers had an excellent week. From making their own sustainable planets to crafting clay sculptures in art, we have been really working hard to have fun. Swim time showed that some of our campers are ready to be super shark swimmers, while some are having so much fun as starfish and frogs. We’re excited for another great week - It’s Tie-Dye Week!

- Sam

**Senior Camp**

Senior campers got to show off some excellent culinary skills. They made smores, pizza bagels, egg muffins, and fresh salsa. With very little help, campers showed they know how to make great snacks that look and taste amazing in less than 20 minutes. Next week is a short week, but super fun nonetheless. Be sure to bring in a white shirt to tyedye on Monday and/or Tuesday!

- Sam

**Junior Robots & Rockets**

Another week of R&R means another successful robot race and rocket launch! The campers have all been hard at work upgrading their racing robots to compete in our camp-famous demolition derby later in the week. After finishing their Viking rockets, the campers enjoyed stellar launches on Wednesday and Thursday afternoons. We wrapped up the week by sharing our hard work at the Tech Showcase.

- Matt

**Animation**

This week the campers continued working in Adobe Flash to improve their skills and create more complex animations. After finishing up their ghost story projects, they began work on their week two project: to create animations based around this week’s sci-fi camp theme. Instead of each camper individually creating their own finished product however, they decided to work together on one longer video (with each camper doing a scene or two). We also enjoyed our trip to the traveling planetarium on Tuesday.

- Drew

**Tech Tapas**

Continuing their work with film and video, campers have been working on a mix of live action and animated projects.

We had a great time showing highlights of our work at the Tech Showcase on Friday. Other highlights of the week included a visit with the Traveling Planetarium on Tuesday, and the H20-Lympics on Thursday.

- Laura