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2012 Youth Summer Camps



Teen Camp: A Week at the Museum

June 25 – 29 (Monday – Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.)

The Oberlin Heritage Center and Allen Memorial Art Museum are teaming up to offer a behind the scenes camp for teens. Campers will tour the world-class Allen Memorial Art Museum, award-winning Oberlin Heritage Center, and the one-of-a-kind Frank Lloyd Wright-designed house in Oberlin as they learn what it takes to make a museum come to life. This camp is perfect for youth wanting to learn more about museums and careers in art and history. To register for this camp, please see our separate flyer or register online at www.oberlinheritage.org.



Kids and World Cultures: Italy through the Ages (Ages 8-13)

July 30 – August 3 (Monday – Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.)

Buongiorno! During this week-long camp kids can explore Italy from its ancient roots to the present. What made the Roman Empire the envy of the ancient world? Why does the Leaning Tower of Pisa lean? Who is Galileo and what did he discover? Kids will find out through a mixture of activities, food, games, pictures, mini-language lessons, and more.



Architecture Camp (Ages 8-10)

August 6 – 10 (Monday – Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.)

Children will love learning the basics of architecture in this hands-on camp. Kids will tour Oberlin architecture, explore building materials, try construction challenges, and envision buildings of the future. Boy Scouts and Girls Scouts attending this camp will also complete some requirements for Architecture badges and Interest Projects.



Architecture Camp (Ages 11-13)

August 13 – 17 (Monday – Friday, 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.)

Children will enjoy the challenging activities of this camp. Together we will tour buildings in town and discuss architectural styles, sketch designs, construct mini buildings, create floor plans, and explore digital architectural tools. Boy Scouts and Girls Scouts attending this camp will also complete some requirements for Architecture badges and Interest Projects.

Notes about Camps and Registration

Camps are designed to stimulate children's creativity and allow them to experience history, architecture, art, crafts, games, and the tastes and sounds of diverse cultures. Camps are led by an experienced teacher assisted by college interns as well as youth and community volunteers. Except for the museum program, camps take place at the air-conditioned Oberlin Depot at 240 South Main Street with occasional walking field trips to notable locations nearby. For all sessions, children should bring a bag lunch each day. Some snacks will be provided.

Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Classes may be cancelled if a minimum enrollment is not met by one week prior to the start date. No refunds will be made within one week prior to the session the registrant is scheduled to attend. Partial scholarships may be available to those who qualify for schools' free lunch programs (please inquire). Reservations must be accompanied by payment. Grandchildren of Oberlin Heritage Center members may receive the member discount as well.



Meet our talented instructors!

Liz Schultz is the Museum Education and Tour Coordinator of the Oberlin Heritage Center. She graduated with degrees in archaeology and anthropology from the University of Wisconsin-La Crosse and Binghamton University (NY). Liz then earned a M.A. in museum studies with a focus in museum education from the Cooperstown Graduate Program (New York). Liz enjoys inspiring curiosity, creativity, and an appreciation for diverse cultures, past and present.

Richard Donegan is a graduate of Richard Stockton College of New Jersey with a bachelor's degree in Historical Studies. He is currently an AmeriCorps member placed at the Heritage Center as part of the Ohio History Service Corps Program focusing on regional initiatives to commemorate the 150th anniversary of the Civil War.



Also this Summer: I Spy Oberlin: History and Architecture Scavenger Hunt



This exciting program is for children ages 5-11 with an adult companion. Families are guided through historic Oberlin while keeping their eyes peeled for historic markers, decorative details, and Oberlin oddities. Fun and engaging for all! Reservations required. The "hunt" begins at the Monroe House and traverses outside in fair weather; we will "spy" inside our historic buildings if it's raining. This program is offered the first Saturdays of July, August, and September at 3:00 p.m.

Registration Form for 2012 Oberlin Heritage Center Summer Programs

(Please complete a registration form for each child)

Name of Child: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Parent or guardian: _____

Address: _____

Home phone: _____ Parent's e-mail: _____

Parent's cell-phone: _____

Medical issues or allergies we should be aware of: _____

In Case of Emergency, please contact:

1) Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

2) Name: _____ Phone: _____ Relationship: _____

Please Register My Child for the Following Session(s):

Summer Camps

		Cost	Fee
___ Italy through the Ages (Ages 8-13)	July 30 - August 3	\$95/\$85 members	_____
___ Architecture (Ages 8-10)	August 6 - 10	\$95/\$85 members	_____
___ Architecture (Ages 11-13)	August 13 - 17	\$95/\$85 members	_____

For the teen camp "A Week at the Museum" (June 25-29), see or request the separate registration form.

I Spy Oberlin: History and Architecture Scavenger Hunt

___ July 7	3:00-4:00 p.m.	\$3/child	_____
___ August 4	3:00-4:00 p.m.	\$3/child	_____
___ September 1	3:00-4:00 p.m.	\$3/child	_____

Early Bird Discount: Take off \$5 per camp for registering prior to June 9!

Subtotal: _____

Minus: _____

Total: _____

Please enclose check payable to Oberlin Heritage Center and mail to P.O. Box 0455, Oberlin, OH, 44074. Reservations can also be made online at www.oberlinheritage.org.

Would you like to be placed on a waiting list if the session you requested is full?

___ Yes, put me on a waiting list and hold my check ___ No, please return my check

Do you grant permission for us to photograph your child for use in our publications? ___ Yes ___ No

Do you grant permission for your child to go on accompanied walking field trips? ___ Yes ___ No

Please contact me about volunteering for this or other programs. ___ Yes

How did you hear about this program? _____

Your name (print): _____ Signature: _____ Date: _____

Questions? Please call the Museum Education and Tour Coordinator, Liz Schultz, at 440-774-1700 or send an e-mail to tourinfo@oberlinheritage.org.