



2009 Summer Camps for K-Grade 9 Students



To register, please fill out the application form provided. For more information please contact: Jennifer De Renzi, Aftercare Director at 650.948.6900 or email jennifer.derenzi@gmail.com.

2009 Waldorf Summer Camp Schedule

	Instructor	Age Group
Session One: June 22 – June 26		
Art Camp	Kim Bick-Maurischat	Entering grades 2 to 5
Circus Camp	Janet Dunwoody	Entering grade 2 and older
Early Childhood Camp	Tiffany Trujillo	4.9 years to entering grade 1
Early Childhood Outdoor Camp	Hans Walser	4.9 years to entering grade 1
Irish Dancing Camp	Phoenix Bick-Maurischat	Entering grade 1 and older
Session Two: June 29 – July 3		
Circus Camp	Janet Dunwoody	Entering grade 2 and older
Early Childhood Camp	Tiffany Trujillo	4.9 years to entering grade 1
Session Three: July 6 – July 10		
Art Camp	Keely Hamlin	Entering grades 2 to 5
Drama Camp	Hannah Larson	Entering grades 6 to 9
Early Childhood Camp	Tiffany Trujillo	4.9 years to entering grade 1
Gymnastics Camp	Laila Waheed & Jennifer Parker	Entering grades 2 to 5
Session Four: July 13 – July 17		
Art Camp	Keely Hamlin	Entering grades 2 to 5
Early Childhood Camp	Tiffany Trujillo	4.9 years to entering grade 1
Gymnastics Camp	Laila Waheed & Jennifer Parker	Entering grades 2 to 5
Hiking & Yoga Camp	Jennifer De Renzi	Entering grades 5 to 9
Session Five: July 20 – July 24		
Early Childhood Camp	Tiffany Trujillo	4.9 years to entering grade 1
Girl's Camp	Kim Bick-Maurischat	Entering grades 6 to 9
Session Six: July 27 – July 31		
Art Camp	Keely Hamlin	Entering grades 2 to 5
Drama Camp	Hannah Larson	Entering grades 6 to 9
Early Childhood Camp	Tiffany Trujillo	4.9 years to entering grade 1

Aftercare is available for **all sessions** from 12:30 pm – 5:30 pm for children 4.9 years and older.

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Session One: June 22 – June 26

Art Camp

with *Kim Bick-Maurischat*

Students will create silk flags for the home garden, flower crafts (stationary and bookmarks from recycled paper and calendars), and a paper mache mask for creative play.

Kim Bick-Maurischat has been teaching at WSP for seven years and is currently our Nursery School Teacher.

Max. Number of Participants: 12

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grades 2 to 5

Circus Camp

with *Janet Dunwoody*

Open to all newcomers! And of course those of you that have joined Janet in circus fun in the past. Circus camp will be an adventure into tight wire walking, unicycling, juggling, pyramid building, plate spinning, and dance gymnastics. We will work towards a performance on the last day.

Janet is the Movement Teacher at WSP. She is a graduate of the Spatial Dynamics Training at Rudolf Steiner College, and has held numerous positions in the fitness industry for many years.

Max. Number of Participants: 15

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grade 2 and older

Early Childhood Camp

with *Tiffany Trujillo*

Calling all busy bees to summer camp! Busy hands are needed for crafting, cooking, and caring for animals. These camps will model the gentle rhythm of our kindergartens that so lovingly nourish the child's developing coordination, cooperation, and creativity. Each day will be a calm and joyful journey through imaginative play, circle games, songs, and stories. Our time together will end outside in the beautiful summer sun with water play. Please be sure to pack your child a change of clothes, along with a fruit and vegetable to share when you arrive on the first day. A morning snack will be provided.

For Session One, we will cook something delicious to take home to our families each day. The children will experience the entire process, from churning butter and grinding flour, to the sweet smell right under their noses when they take that first bite.

Tiffany is a Rudolf Steiner College Graduate and has experience as a WSP teaching assistant and parent.

Max. Number of Participants: 16

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: 4.9 years to entering grade 1

Early Childhood Outdoor Camp

with *Hans Walser*

A week of songs, hikes, games and storytelling! Each day will bring with it a new beautiful place in nature. To name a few: the natural open spaces and trails near our school, Arastradero Preserve in Palo Alto, and Santa Cruz beaches.

Hans is a Kindergarten Teacher at WSP and spent his nursery through high school years as a Waldorf student.

Max. Number of Participants: 10
Schedule: M,W,F: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm,
Tues. & Thur. 8:30 am – 2:00 pm
Cost: \$250
Ages: 4.9 years to entering grade 1

Irish Dancing Camp

with *Phoenix Bick-Maurischat*

During this camp, children will learn the basics of Irish dancing in a fun and exciting way! We will start the morning by stretching, learning the basics, and playing games. Next, we will work on two final performance pieces which Phoenix will choreograph to an Irish fable, accompanied with fun music. The children get to dance, make Irish soda bread, read old Irish tales, and make crafts. The last day of the camp there will be a party at the end of the day where parents may come and see the performance.

Phoenix Bick-Maurischat will be a junior at the Waldorf High School and has been doing Irish Dancing for 9 years.

Max. Number of Participants: 10
Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm
Cost: \$200
Ages: Entering grade 1 and older

Session Two: June 29 – July 3

Circus Camp

with *Janet Dunwoody*

See Circus Camp details from Session One.

Max. Number of Participants: 15
Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm
Cost: \$200
Ages: Entering grade 2 and older

Early Childhood Camp

with *Tiffany Trujillo*

See Early Childhood Camp details from Session One

Max. Number of Participants: 16
Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm
Cost: \$200
Ages: 4.9 years to entering grade 1



Session Three: July 6 – July 10

Art Camp

with *Keely Hamlin*

Join us for a dynamic week of imagination and fun! We will use several mediums such as sculpture, painting, collage, and water color. For Session Three we will explore mythical creatures through art and stories.

Keely works as an assistant at an all-outdoors preschool. She has studied storytelling, art and mentoring. She uses art and nature as mediums for problem solving and increasing self awareness by linking projects with stories and fairytales.

Max. Number of Participants: 15
Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm
Cost: \$200
Ages: Entering grades 2 to 5

Drama Camp

with Hannah Larson

Join us for a week of theatre fun! We will play improvisational games, practice acting skills, explore our voice, engage in movement and storytelling, as well as learn the basics of scene and costume design. All levels are welcome.

Hannah Larson is a WSP graduate currently studying acting at UC San Diego. She's been performing since elementary school, most notably with the Peninsula Youth Theatre, Los Altos Youth Theatre, and at Lincoln High School, where she was a member of the Boxed In Theatre Company for three years.

Max. Number of Participants: 10

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grades 6 to 9

Early Childhood Camp

with Tiffany Trujillo

For Session Three, we will have animals visiting each day. We will learn how to interact gently with our animal friends and watch them for cues of communication. We will feed and bathe them, and do many other things involved in creating a safe space to share and play. When the chickens visit, we will all eat eggs! See Early Childhood Camp details from Session One.

Max. Number of Participants: 16

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: 4.9 years to entering grade 1

Gymnastics Camp

with Laila Wabeed and Jennifer Parker

Competitive gymnasts Laila and Jennifer will share their knowledge and techniques during this camp. Both experienced and inexperienced gymnasts are welcome to learn new skills and work on old ones. These will include cartwheels, handstands, bridges, and front and

back walkovers for those ready to take the next steps.

Laila is a competitive level nine gymnast at West Valley Gymnastics. Jennifer currently works at West Valley Gymnastics and is training with a high school team.

Max. Number of Participants: 18

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grades 2 to 5

Session Four: July 13 – July 17

Art Camp

with Keely Hamlin

For Session Four the theme will be Nature. See Art Camp details from Session Three.

Max. Number of Participants: 15

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grades 2 to 5

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Max. Number of Participants: 16

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: 4.9 years to entering grade 1

Gymnastics Camp

with Laila Waheed and Jennifer Parker

See Gymnastics Camp details from Session Three.

Max. Number of Participants: 18

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grades 2 to 5

Hiking & Yoga Camp

with Jennifer De Renzi

Come join Jennifer for two of her favorite activities, hiking and yoga. The mornings begin with a fun and healthful yoga session. After this we will take a short drive to our hike (different location each day), located at the gorgeous trails of Huddart and Wunderlich County Parks. Please bring a large water bottle, a packed lunch, dress in layers and bring a yoga mat if you have one. Trail snacks will be provided.

Jennifer is the Aftercare Director at WSP. She has been a Wilderness Instructor and a certified Yoga Teacher for more than five years. Her passions include outdoor adventures, environmental awareness and teaching children how to live healthy lives through yoga and exercise.

Max. Number of Participants: 10

Schedule: 8:30 am – 2:00 pm

Cost: \$300

Ages: Entering grades 5 to 9

Session Five: July 20 – July 24

Early Childhood Camp

with Tiffany Trujillo

For Session Five, we will explore the gardens of our school each day. Inspired by the beauty we find all around us, we will create our own artistic beauty using natural materials for our

many crafts. See Early Childhood Camp details from Session One.

Max. Number of Participants: 16

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: 4.9 years to entering grade 1

Girl's Camp

with Kim Bick-Maurischat

As a gathering of young women, we will learn to make herbal cosmetics and medicines to nurture ourselves and our families. We will create a dream journal, walk in the woods, and practice skills to make us stronger friends and allies to all creatures. Our girl's camp highlight will be an overnight hike and camp where we will eat, drum, laugh, and dream under the stars.

Kim is a mother of three girls, has been a teacher at WSP for seven years, and Women's Health Peer Counselor for fifteen years. Kim loves to share her passion for the outdoors and herbal medicines with young women.

Max. Number of Participants:

Schedule: M-W 8:30-12:30,

Th. 8:30 am-Friday 12:30 (overnight)

Cost: \$350

Ages: Entering grades 6 to 9



Session Six: July 27 – July 31

Art Camp

with Keely Hamlin

See Art Camp details from Session Three.

Max. Number of Participants: 15

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grades 2 to 5

Drama Camp

with Hannab Larson

See Drama Camp details from Session Three.

Max. Number of Participants: 10

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: Entering grades 6 to 9

Early Childhood Camp

with Tiffany Trujillo

For Session Six, we will explore the gardens of our school each day. Inspired by the beauty we find all around us, we will create our own artistic beauty using natural materials for our many crafts. See Early Childhood Camp details from Session One.

Max. Number of Participants: 16

Schedule: 8:30 am – 12:30 pm

Cost: \$200

Ages: 4.9 years to entering grade 1



More Information

About the Waldorf School of the Peninsula

The Waldorf School of the Peninsula provides Waldorf education from nursery through high school. We are a co-educational, independent school and are celebrating our 25th anniversary this year. In September 2007, we matriculated our first class of 9th grade students. The high school is adding one class each year for four years. The addition of a high school is the result of many years of research, hard work, and development.

The school is dedicated to providing an education that understands, embraces, and encourages the development of the whole person with a dynamic balance of “heart, head, and hands”. Along with high academic standards and lifetime skills, Waldorf education addresses the growing inner life of the

child providing the right challenges and support at the right times. The school nurtures creativity, critical thinking, and lifelong learning.

We welcome students of any race, color, national or ethnic origin or religion, and from diverse family and economic backgrounds. The school is accredited by the Western Association of Schools and Colleges (WASC) and has full membership and accreditation in the Association of Waldorf Schools of North America (AWSNA).

About Afternoon Extended Care

Extended care is available during each summer camp session from 12:30 – 5:30 pm at a cost of \$8 per hour per child. An afternoon snack is provided. Please send your child with a healthy, garbage-free lunch. Please call aftercare at 650.948.6900 to update scheduled childcare.



For more information about Waldorf School of the Peninsula, please call 650.948.8433 or visit www.waldorfpeninsula.org.

