

## PARKS & RECREATION

SUMMER CAMP RECAP 2024



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## Camp Focus - The Marion County Difference

### Our Focus

- Safety is our top priority
- Adventures open imaginations and a sense of wonder
- Connection through outdoor play and relationship building
- Experienced staff that are engaging and interactive
- Resilience when overcoming challenges



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## Camp Programs



**Odyssey Camp**  
Ages: 10-13  
5 weeks  
184 Campers



**Adventure Camp**  
Ages: 10-13  
6 weeks  
233 Campers



**Forest Camp**  
Ages: 10-14  
11 Weeks  
137 Campers



**Firewise (BCAP & FCC)**  
Ages: 6-9  
11 Weeks  
370 Campers



**Fish Camp**  
Ages: 10-13  
2 Weeks  
20 Campers



**Kayak & Paddleboard**  
Ages: 10-13  
2 Weeks  
20 Campers



**Elementary Explorers**  
Ages: 6-9  
5 Weeks  
226 Campers



**Teen Camp**  
Ages: 14-17  
2 weeks  
21 Campers

**Total Campers Served: 1,210**

## Serving Our Community



### Scholarships

Scholarship's Awarded -13

Total Weeks of Camp Awarded – 23 weeks

**Total Awarded Amount: \$2,846**

## Camp Revenue

- Firewise (BCAP & FCC)- \$43,680
- Elementary Explorers- \$26,690
- BCAP Adventure- \$29,125
- Odyssey Camp-\$21,680
- Forest Camp- \$14,035
- Fish Camp- \$6,000
- Teen Camp- \$3,300
- Kayak & Paddle Board-\$2,375



**Revenue Total: \$149,885**

## Parent Benefit

### Cost Per Camper Per Hour

Forest Community Center Camps = **\$2.00 per hour**

Brick City Adventure Center Camps = **\$2.38 per hour**

Brick City Adventure Park Specialty Camps (Fish & Teen Co-ed) = **\$5.71 per hour**

Brick City Adventure Park Specialty Camps (Teen boys) = **\$3.77 per hour**

## Camp Reviews – Parent Feedback



Your program is amazing!!! So grateful we found you and are in year 2 of Firewise. Really great program - thank you and your team for all you do! - Megan Stone

My son attended several of these awesome camps over a couple of years -- kayaking, extreme outdoors, fishing -- and is now studying marine resource management in college. Learning in the outdoors matters. - Cherie Foster

My little is in the Fire Wise Outdoor Adventure Camp and we absolutely love it. Gives her a chance to make new friends and the field trips are amazing. I highly recommended putting your little ones in one of the great camps Marion County has to offer even if it's for a week, you won't regret it. We are looking forward to when she get old enough for the Kayak and Paddleboard camp, she loves the water. - Brandy Gonzalez