

Katy summer camps provide exciting ways to beat the heat

Katy Magazine's Annual

SUMMER CAMP

Sneak Peek 2013

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It's never too soon to start planning your child's summer time activities. That's why *Katy Magazine* is giving you a Sneak Peek at some of the many kid-friendly day camps in the Katy area.

A Child's Reflection Daze of Summer

875 S. Fry Rd.
281-492-1229
achildsreflection.net

For first-graders to age 12, this camp has field trips to cool places like skating, bowling, swimming, and museums. Children also participate in a variety of activities about different cultures and countries of the world.

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American Kids Athletics

3211 N. Fry Rd.
281-492-2411
akasportscamp.com

Children ages 4 to 12 will enjoy frequent field trips, a 10,000-square-foot facility, and a 2.5-acre outdoor play area. Activities include dodge ball, arts and crafts, paint ball, rock climbing, bowling, billiards, sports, and much more.

Best Kids Academy

21915 Royal Montreal Dr.
832-437-1777
bestkidsacademy.com

Children in kindergarten through eighth-grade can enjoy a variety of summer activities including Chinese culture explore, field trips, sports, swimming activities, arts and crafts, chess club, computer class, and music class.

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British Private Prep

Multiple locations
281-394-7737
bpps.gs

An enriching day camp for kindergarten to fifth-grade that runs June 10 - Aug. 23. Campers enjoy up to 4 field trips each week. You can register for just 1 week or all summer long.

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CampKaty Technology Camp

6193 Hwy. Blvd., #209
281-397-3770
campkaty.com

Offering 1 to 2 week long camps with hands on fun in subjects like 3-D game design,

movie production, computers, graphic arts and web design, photography, and more.

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Centerra Ranch Montessori Camp Centerra

23144 Cinco Ranch Blvd.
281-693-2767
centerraranchmontessori.com

Fun activities plus field trips to Dewberry Farm, fire stations, Times Square, and strawberry picking are just some of the exciting events awaiting campers.

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Childtime Learning Center

22022 Highland Knolls
281-392-2400
childtime.com

With special 1 to 2 week sessions, campers will delight in themes like arts, sports, nature, music, animals, cooking, and more.

Discovery Schoolhouse Summer Discovery Camp

4900 Falcon Landing Blvd.
281-698-7234
discovery-schoolhouse.com

For ages 5 to 12, kids can cool off on the splash pad, learn karate, take field trips to sizzling places like Alligator Encounter, movies, the Children's Museum, laser tag, and more. Camps run June through Aug.

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The Fellowship at Cinco Ranch Camp Cove

22765 Westheimer Pkwy.
281-395-3950
thefellowship.org

Children will learn about the wonders of God and ignite their imaginations through games, crafts, sports, and all sorts of other kinesthetic fun. Three different week-long camps are offered for ages 2 to 8.

First United Methodist Church Katy

5601 Fifth St.
281-391-2121
firstmethodistkaty.com

Kids cooking camp is July 15 - 19 and art camp is July 29 - Aug. 2. Music, art, dance, and drama camp are available Aug. 5 - 9. Go Camp, for preschoolers has 2 sessions July 8 - 26.



Foundations Academy Camp Time Travel

20817 Westheimer Pkwy.
281-599-1200
foundations-academy.com

Kids ages 5 to 12 will be transported to a different time period each week. From dinosaurs to ancient Egypt, from the Wild West, to outer space, and more. Field trips to the Houston Zoo, Aquarium, the Children's Museum, and other destinations.

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The Goddard School Mysterious Minds

24025 Cinco Village Center Blvd.
281-392-1912
goddardschool.com

Campers will have an exciting chance to dive into science through experiments, making sand castles, and doing some detective work. Kids will also play at a mini sports camp and take field trips.

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Grace Fellowship UMC

2655 S. Mason Rd.
281-646-1903
whatisgrace.com

First through fifth-graders will enjoy lots of fun and exciting activities such as climbing a rock wall, inflatables, waterslides, team games, bible studies, and funny skits.



Summer camps cover everything from sports to science experiments

Remember to tell them you found their Summer Camp in KATY MAGAZINE!

High Voltage Rock Camp

Westland Baptist Church
1407 W. Grand Pkwy. S.
713-446-3704
highvoltagecamp.com

Children ages 9 to 16 can rock out with experienced professional musicians and certified music educators. This camp is your child's destination to becoming a better musician and teaches future stars what it takes to write a song, create their own parts, and play with a band, while improving their technique, theory, and musicality.

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The ISchool Project Idea Summer Camp

26440 FM 1093
832-222-9220
the-ischool.com

Children who have completed kindergarten through 12 years old are invited to enjoy a variety of arts and crafts, cooking activities, and sports. Cuties will also take 2 or 3 off-site field trips per week.

Katy's Early Childhood Enrichment Center

25403 Kingsland Blvd.
281-693-1999
katysecec.com

Children can choose from a variety of age-appropriate, fun, and safe activities in an environment that encourages active play, exploring new interests, and socializing, with space provided for quiet reading.

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A Child's Reflection

A Child's Reflection provides a pre-school environment where teachers, children, and families from all over the world come together to share their cultures and gain a sense of international awareness. Lessons learned and cultural activities shared create a positive environment filled with possibilities for long term friendships.

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Caring for Children from All Over the World

Katy Family YMCA Camp Youth

22807 Westheimer Pkwy.
281-392-5055
ymcahouston.org/katy

Youth Summer Day Camp offers 12 themed weeks for kids ages 6 to 12. Kids will enjoy high and low ropes courses, an archery range, sports fields, an old west town façade, a ranch house, a covered basketball pavilion, nature trails, and misting stations.
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Kids R Kids

Multiple Locations
kidsrkidskaty.com

Campers in kindergarten to age 12 are invited to explore, examine, create, share and have a blast with a variety of clubs and fun.
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KinderCare Learning Centers Summer Expedition

Multiple Locations
kindercare.com

Six action-filled themes are full of fun and learning and flexible scheduling works for busy families. Not only will your child have a chance to be part of something they're already interested in, they'll have a chance to discover something brand new.
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21418 Kingsland Blvd.
832-321-4418
thelearningexperience.com

Kids ages 5 to 10 enjoy weekly field trips, fun visitors, arts and crafts, and splash days. Ask about special discounts.

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The Little Gym

23010 Highland Knolls
281-347-1400
tlgkatytx.com

For ages 3 to 8, this camp combines physical activity and games with arts, crafts, and special events. Flexible scheduling options allow you to sign up for several weeks, a single week, or even just a day at a time.

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Outdoor Learning Center

Summer Recreation Program

6301 S. Stadium Ln.
281-574-3318
katyisd.org

Students third through seventh-grade can learn fishing, archery, canoeing, air rifle shooting, nature trails, outdoor cooking, candle dipping, flying homing pigeons, making hand-cranked ice cream, and much more.

Painting with a Twist

Kids Kamp

2020 S. Fry Rd.
281-578-8862
paintingwithatwist.com

Painters age 6 and up will paint a new kid-friendly theme session. Students will enjoy extra artistic activities and will go home with their original creations from the day.

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Parkway Fellowship

27043 FM 1093
832-222-9282
parkwayfellowship.com

Campers in grades first through sixth will experience Jesus through Bible study, worship, and time with their counselor as well as participation in tons of great camp activities including waterslides, rock wall climbing, team sports, and funny sketches.

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Rising Star Academy

920 S. Peek Rd.
281-391-5437
risingstar-academy.com

For kindergarten through fifth-grade, campers will enjoy daily field trips to many exciting, educational, and fun locations in Katy and throughout Houston. Field trip fees and meals included. Registration is free and camp starts June 10.

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School of Rock Katy

3750 S. Mason Rd.
281-769-7010
katy.schoolofrock.com/camp-signup

Week long camps for musicians of all skill levels ages 8 to 18. All rock camps combine individual and small group instruction with daily group rehearsals and conclude with a performance at the end of the week. Camps will be held each week from June 10 - Aug. 16.

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Second Baptist Church West Campus

19449 Katy Fwy.
713-465-3408
second.org

Second Baptist Church West Campus will host a variety of summer programs for kids of all ages. Campers will enjoy programs such as vacation Bible school, retreats, trips, and many more fun activities.

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Smith Ranch

25440 Beckendorff Rd.
281-371-3318
smithranchkaty.com

Children ages 5 to 14 will love all the great outdoor activities at Smith Ranch. Horseback riding, paddle boating, gymnastics, water activities, and games are all designed and directed to keep your cutie active and involved.

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Spanish Schoolhouse

2944 S. Mason Rd.
832-217-5542
spanishschoolhouse.com

Your imagination and Spanish language skills will be stretched to the highest limits with hands-on, creative language camps. Have a great time with theme-based activities, games, science, contests, art, water activities and much more. Children ages 3 to 10 years old.

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Sugar Creek Montessori School

Adventure Camp

7222 Gaston Rd.
281-693-7267
sugarcreekmontessori.com/katy

Young adventure seekers 12 months through third-grade are invited to participate in camps ranging from 2 to 3 weeks. Topics include African Safari, Texas Adventures, Arts, Literature, and the Rainforest. Camp runs from June 10 - Aug. 21 and includes snacks and drinks.

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Terrific Tutors

Summer Enrichment Academy

281-206-4127
terrific-tutors.com

Students who have completed kindergarten through 12 years old will enjoy sessions 2 days a week, participating in academic enrichment activities with themes. An intensive summer reading intervention program called Reading Rockets is also offered.

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Tiger Land Child Care Center

Destination Fun

5315 E. Fifth St.

281-391-8750

tigerlanddayschool.com

First-graders through age 12 will experience a variety of arts and crafts, cooking activities, and sports at Tiger Land's Destination Fun camp. Campers will also take 2-3 off-site field trips per week.

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Willow Fork Country Club

Camp Willow Fork

21055 Westheimer Pkwy

281-579-6262

willowforkclub.com

Children ages 6 and older can focus on fun sports like golf, tennis, soccer, and recreational swimming at the beautiful Willow Fork Country Club. Need not be a member.

EDITOR'S NOTES:

- Please call and verify camp information as times, dates, and availability may have changed.
- Some camps offer full-day, part-day, or weekly sessions. Call venues for details.



MEGAN RICHARDS remembers attending summer camps when she was young and enjoyed making friends, playing outside, and swimming.



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