



## RECREATION SERVICES MEMORANDUM

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**TO:** MAYOR J. LEHMAN AND MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

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**NOTED:** B. ROTH, DIRECTOR OF RECREATION SERVICES

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**RE:** SUMMER CAMPS

**DATE:** MAY 27, 2019

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Recreation Services is excited as the energy of summer camps starts to pick up. With only two (2) months to go, we are offering a variety of camps with multiple date options. We aim to have something for everyone between the ages of 4 and 16 years to build on our 2018 success of a 15% growth in participation. In addition to our general base camps, we offer camps that are active, creative, explore the outdoors, science and technology-themed, youth-focused, and camps that are inclusive.

Here are just a few of the exciting camps being offered this summer:

CAMP	DESCRIPTION
<b>Dance and Drama Camp</b>	This brand new camp will give campers the opportunity to learn various elements of dance, as well as be able to create their own drama skits using props/costumes they create themselves, all leading up to the end of camp performance!
<b>Sports on the Turf Camp</b>	Get ready for a week of fun-playing sports on the turf! Learn the fundamental skills and rules of ultimate frisbee, track and field, flag football, and more!
<b>Science and Discovery Camp</b>	Campers will get to explore science through fun, hands-on experience and weekly themes. Campers participate in a variety of science activities, as well as outdoor play, recreational swimming, sports and games.
<b>EMS Camp</b>	This exciting camp will give participants a taste of what it's like to be a Paramedic, Police Officer, Fire Fighter and a Beach Lifeguard!
<b>Adventure Camp and Extreme Teens</b>	Campers will get to explore various exciting destinations by going on out-trips in and around the city to make the most of their summer!
<b>Adapted Camps</b>	Our Inclusion services team is offering a wide array of Adapted camps this summer for campers of all ages and abilities from <b>Adventure Sense</b> and <b>Creative Sense</b> to <b>Stage Sense</b> and <b>Life Sense</b> .

All of our day camps run Monday to Friday from 9:00 a.m. (with flexible drop off starting at 8:30 a.m.) to 4:00 p.m. with an option to add on AM care from 7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m. and/or PM care from 4:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. Camps start July 2<sup>nd</sup> and run until August 30<sup>th</sup>.

For more information on all of our camps please visit [www.barrie.ca/daycamps](http://www.barrie.ca/daycamps).