



**BOYS & GIRLS CLUB  
OF GENEVA**

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1<sup>st</sup>-6<sup>th</sup> Grade

**SUMMER**

**UNIVERSITY**

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CAMP**

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March 15, 2018

Dear Boys & Girls Club Parents,

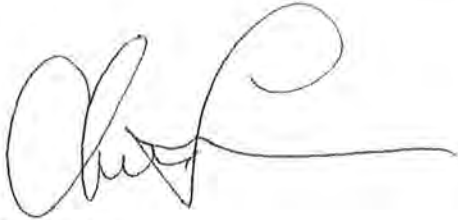
We have some exciting news about our free Summer University Program for Boys & Girls club members. This year we will offer a full-day camp experience from July 9<sup>th</sup> to August 17<sup>th</sup> aimed at both combating “summer learning loss” and filling your child’s summer with fun and excitement. Once again, we are partnering with the City School District and offering weekly field trips to some of the region’s most fun and engaging attractions. A study of last year’s program showed the summer engagement had remarkable impact on our camper’s readiness for the next school year with reading levels increasing or staying constant for more than 80 percent of our kids!

**If you sign up your child for Summer University by May 1<sup>st</sup>**, here is what they can expect:

- The first week of Summer University will be held at Goodman Street for grades 1 to 4 and at Carter Road for rising fifth and sixth graders. Programming will run from 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. and breakfast and lunch will be served that week.
- Starting Monday July 16 and continuing for the next four weeks, City School District buses will pick up Summer University students beginning at 7:30 a.m. and take him or her for breakfast at West Street School Monday through Thursday of each week. If you live less than roughly a mile from the school, you will be expected to drop your child at school by 8 a.m.
- At school, City School District teachers and Boys & Girls Club staff will offer from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. programs designed to be both fun and educational. Included in each week will be projects, experiments, a special area class (gym, art and music), opportunities to work with an enrichment teacher, continuing dual language support, and school-wide events. Last summer’s themes included Around the World, Go Green and Beach Week. Since off site field trips may be a part of the program, please fill out the field trip form attached.
- Lunch will be provided free at school each day and during Friday field trips
- By 1 p.m. Summer University students will be transported by City School District buses to one of the two locations: Entering first through fourth graders will go to our Boys & Girls Club at 1 Goodman Street. Entering fifth and sixth graders will go to our Teen Center at 160 Carter Road.
- Throughout the afternoons, Boys & Girls Club staff will lead the students in projects, clubs and field trips. Computer games, playgrounds and gyms will be used at both locations.
- For club members who meet weekly behavior standards, each Friday will feature age appropriate field trips leaving from both the Carter Road and Goodman Street locations at 9 a.m. and returning at 5:30 p.m. Destinations may include Corning Glass Works, Watkins Glen Gorge, Seneca Lake State Water Park, Niagara Falls, Seabreeze, Sky Zone, Buffalo and Rochester museums, Darien Lake and others. (Parents will be expected to drop children off at the Goodman and Carter Road locations for Friday field trips). To be eligible for Friday’s field trip, club members will need to meet program attendance requirements (see attached form). Any child who violates Boys & Girls Club rules of conduct during the week will not be able to attend the Friday field trip. Families of children not eligible for Friday field trips will need to arrange for their care that day.
- The sixth week of Summer University will consist of full-day programs at the two Boys & Girls Club locations. Special programming is being planned for this end-of-summer week. More details to come later but the final field trips will include visits to local theme parks as in past years.
- Summer University will run from 8 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday through Thursday and Field Trip Fridays from 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Parents will be expected to pick up your child by 5:30 p.m. at each location. Breakfast, lunch, snacks and drinks will be provided every day at no charge.

- The Boys & Girls Club of Geneva will also host a Summer Camp for Teen Club members. The six-week program is for active club members entering grades 7-12. A separate registration form and details will be available at the Teen Center.

**To qualify for Summer University:** Your child must be an active member of the Boys & Girls after-school program and have attended at least 20 days during the 2017-18 school year. We believe this summer program will both engage and excite while stimulating intellectual development during key summer months. We look forward to working with you and your children all summer long. **Registration for non-Boys & Girls Club after-school participants will be available on a space available basis starting May 1 and will cost \$400 for the summer.**

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Lavin', with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

Chris Lavin  
Executive Director  
Boys & Girls Club of Geneva



## Summer Program Registration Form

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Phone (best number(s) to contact during school hours):

\_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: (name and phone number) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Student's Grade in September 2018: \_\_\_\_\_



## Transportation

My child will need bus transportation:

\_\_\_\_\_ yes (please provide pick up address below)

\_\_\_\_\_ no - my child will walk or be picked up.

**Boys & Girls Club of Geneva NOTE:** Parents will be expected to pick your child up by no later than 5:30 p.m. at each location. Entering 1<sup>st</sup> to 4<sup>th</sup> graders at Goodman Club. Entering 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> graders at the Teen Center at Carter Road.

**PICK UP ADDRESS:** \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_





## Field Trip Permission

I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ (student name) to attend field trips during the summer program and to be transported by bus.

### Medical Alerts

Please briefly state any pertinent medical information (medications, allergies, food restrictions, etc.) we should know about your child:

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

## Summer Program Attendance Policy

In order for the staff of the summer program to plan for an engaging program, it is necessary for attendance to be a priority for students. It is expected that if students register, they will attend 90% of the program (18 out of 20 days). **If students miss more than two days for reasons other than illness, they may be dropped from the program.**

Student Name: \_\_\_\_\_

I have read and understand the Summer Program Attendance Policy.

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_