

# Summer Program 2024

**REGISTRATION FORMS:** may be downloaded from [www.redbarncc.com](http://www.redbarncc.com). Additional program information is available upon request at 860-669-7246 or [cguelke@redbarncc.com](mailto:cguelke@redbarncc.com). Upon receipt of your registration and fee, a confirmation email will be sent confirming your child's schedule and barn placement. Contracts, health forms and additional program information will be distributed in April. **Open house for Summer and Early Education Programs** will be held on January 20th, 10:00 – 12:00. An additional open house will be scheduled between May and June with dates TBD.

**SESSIONS:** Session 1: June 17<sup>th</sup> - July 12<sup>th</sup> (4 weeks). Session 2: July 15<sup>th</sup> - August 9<sup>th</sup> (4 weeks)  
Children may attend one or both sessions. Tuition is not charged for weeks the children will be away on vacation provided that the dates are indicated prior to June 1st. Children may attend 2, 3, 4 or 5 days per week. Flexible scheduling options are available. CHILDREN MUST BE FULLY TOILET TRAINED TO ATTEND THE PROGRAM.

**FEES AND TUITION:** Registration: \$50.00 for 1<sup>st</sup> child, \$25 for each additional child.

Wholesome snacks such as: yogurt, fruit, vegetables, cheese, and baked goods are included in the program rates. Early care is available starting at 8:00 am for an additional cost of \$9/day.

9:00 – 12:00 (AM ONLY)	1:00 – 4:00 (PM ONLY)	9:00 – 4:00 (ALL DAY)
\$46	\$46	\$85

Activities begin promptly at 9:05. Please plan to arrive between 8:55 – 9:05. Your child's barn offers a range of activities, such as visits to the pool, playground, outdoor exploration, cooperative games, dramatic play and art activities. A rotational schedule ensures that no two groups occupy the same space simultaneously, maintaining an engaging age-appropriate environment.

Each barn organizes its art and play activities around weekly themes. You will receive a handout on your child's first day with the plan for the summer. Little Barn children savor their lunch in the cool confines of their air-conditioned classroom, while Gray Barn children dine on shaded picnic tables at the Wishing Wall Terrace. Big Barn children spend their lunchtime outdoors, seeking shade under our evergreen trees near the head of the exploring trails.

A brief rest time follows all lunches before the children return to the day's activities. Afternoon sessions mirror morning routines with subtle variations. This approach allows afternoon-only attendees to partake in many of the same activities as full-day or morning-only children, with enough change to keep the routine engaging for all-day participants.

**SWIMMING:** Swimming instruction is guided by the Red Cross *Learn to Swim* program and is directed by a Red Cross certified Water Safety Instructor and lifeguard. Each group enjoys swim instruction in our 2 ½ to 5 ½ feet deep, 20' by 40', 80-degree heated pool in the morning and again in the afternoon for those who stay all day.

	Group	Ages	Child: Teacher Ratio	Swim Period	Pool Ratio
<b>SWIM INSTRUCTION AND GROUP RATIOS:</b>	Little Barn	3.5 and 4 year olds	15:3	35 minutes	15:5
	Gray Barn	4 & 5 year olds	10:2	35 minutes	10:4
	Big Barn A	5 & 6 year olds	14:2	40 minutes	16:4
	Big Barn B	5 & 6 year olds	14:2	40 minutes	16:4