





Enrollment Packet Summer 2018



June 13 - August 22

Red Caboose fosters a sense of community among children, their families, and staff, with a commitment to diversity and inclusion. We provide excellent education, nutrition, and playbased learning for children in a nurturing, safe environment emphasizing healthy socialemotional development.





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# School Age Program Director

Hello Friends and Families of RC! Camp Caboose is such a wonderful place for children to grow physically, mentally, and emotionally. I am a strong believer that Camp can build a child's character, self-esteem, and leadership qualities. I have been working with Red Caboose for almost two years, and I've seen my team work countless hours to ensure that we provide a fun, safe, rewarding, and an unforgettable Camp experience. I am ready to embark on this summer journey alongside our positive, committed, and caring staff members and Campers. What makes Camp Caboose the greatest is the feeling of a traditional Camp that also brings in nature, science, art, music, sports, and imagination!

I am looking forward to spending my summer getting to know our families and children! But most importantly, I am ready to play the biggest most amazing Staff vs Campers Dodgeball Game ever! See you this summer!



Andrea Suarez

# **Camp Directors**



KC and Robby have been working together since they started as co-teachers in the Marquette Gym ten years ago. Of course, you've all heard the legends. For three glorious years, that Gymnasium was more magical than Disneyworld, more majestic than The Grand Canyon, and more fun than a barrel full of monkeys who were all genetically engineered to be really fun. Now, it is their great pleasure (KC & Robby's that is, not the monkeys) to bring that energy to Camp Caboose as Co-Directors.

In addition to the many exciting new elements we are bringing to Camp Caboose, we will, of course, bring back all of the old favorite Camp traditions: Blast Off, Friday Fiesta, The Flies, Gold Rush, Breakfast Club, and Mercedes, our Golden Flamingo.

Does your child have an idea for a Camp activity? Be sure to fill out the suggestion sheet in your enrollment packet. Don't be afraid to think big!

# **Camp Caboose Information**

# Where will Camp be held this year?

Camp Caboose will be held at Marquette Elementary, 1501 Jenifer Street. Enter through the main doors off of the parking lot. All classroom and Camp information will be found on our "Where We Are" board in the front entrance.

# When is Summer Camp?

Weeks 1-10 will run from Wednesday, June 13 through Friday, August 17 (excluding Wednesday, July 4th.) Travel Week (week 11) will run from Monday, August 20 to Wednesday, August 22.

# What time is Summer Camp?

Camp Caboose hours are from 7:30am to 5:45pm.

# **Camp Traditions**

# Values Star & Star of the Week

This summer we will be continuing to use our Camp Caboose Values Star, which includes a different trait each day that we will focus on at Camp. These traits include: Community, Respect, Communication, Leader-

ship, and "Flowability." Each morning we will spotlight a value and learn more about it through staff and Camper participation in skits, songs, and games. Another tradition we plan to continue this summer is "Camper of the Week." On Fridays, our staff will nominate and vote on Shooting Star and Comet Campers who have shown star-like behavior all week. We will recognize these Campers at our Friday Fiesta with an award and a picture of them on our Camp Caboose website!

# Monday Blast Off & Friday Fiesta

Each Monday morning, we gather together and BLAST OFF the week with fun games, songs, and activities! We talk about what to expect for the week and review everything that we need to know (aka "the rules") in order to have a great week. <u>Please make sure your Camper is with us by 9am on Mondays</u> to join in the fun!

FRIDAY FIESTA, which begins at 1:30pm, is our favorite opportunity to share everything awesome from the past week, plus participate in fun skits, games, and songs. Oh, and there'll be snacks!





# **Shooting Stars**



The Shooting Star program is designed for Campers who are entering 1st and 2nd grade. Campers will get the opportunity to explore and use their imagination all summer long!

# Week One | June 13-15 | Superheroes

Everybody loves a good superhero movie, but what about the real superheroes who work tirelessly every day to keep us safe and protect us from danger? During this first, short week of Camp, we will talk about the different people in our community who work to make life better for everyone. We will make costumes and play games to I earn how we can all be heroes at Camp Caboose, and we will have a VERY special visit from some local heroes and their shiny, red truck!

# Week Two | June 18-22 | Let's Celebrate

Have you ever tried to celebrate every holiday in one week?! Sounds crazy, doesn't it? Well, that's exactly what we will be doing this week at Camp Caboose. Our Shooting Stars will celebrate everything we can think of this week. Valentine's Day? Sure. Why not? Birthday? Of course. Should we do Boxing Day? Hey, let's see what happens. What's that? In Oaxaca, Mexico there is a Holiday called "Night of The Radishes"? We are definitely going to try that! During this week, we will take any and every excuse to celebrate and cap it all off with a Pizza Party at Rocky Rococo!

# Week Three | June 25-29 | Animal Planet

We happen to live on the only planet we know of that has life on it, and boy is there life on it! In just one teaspoon of dirt there are more living things than there are people on the whole planet! During this week at Camp Caboose, we will talk about all of the amazing living things that we share our home with from the smallest to the biggest. We will learn how different animals live, eat, socialize, and get around. Finally, on our trip to the Mackenzie Center, we will learn more about the specific animals of Wisconsin.

# Week Four | July 2-6 (July 4th Closed) | MessFest

"LOOK AT THIS MESS! IT IS NOT NEARLY BIG ENOUGH!" Have you EVER heard an adult say that? MessFest is a time honored tradition at Camp Caboose, and we go all out. Imagine swimming in a pool full of pasta, building an ice cream sundae on top of your teacher's head, seeing who can fit the most oatmeal in their pockets, only eating with your hands, eating without any hands, having a fancy dress up mud pit dance party! Then stop imagining because all of your messiest dreams are about to come true!

# Week Five | July 9-13 | Water You Doing?

71% of the Earth is covered with water of one sort or another. There is water in the air we breathe, in the dirt we walk on, and water even makes up more than half of what WE are made of. Well, that seems worth celebrating! During this week at Camp Caboose, Campers will get to have a water battle, build a water balloon launcher, and-of course-swim, swim, swim! We will visit a splash pad, the beach, and the greatest swimming hole known to humankind! Better grab your swimsuit!

# Week Six | July 16-20 | Cirque De Summer Camp

Do you have what it takes to perform in the greatest show on earth? Let's find out! During this week at Camp, we will all transform into acrobats, contortionists, sword swallowers, clowns, and more! We will visit the Madison Circus Space and cap it all off with a trip to the Dane County Fair.

# Shooting Stars Continued...

# Week Seven | July 23-27 | Wild, Wild West

Howdy pardner! It's wild west time at Camp Caboose! Campers who come this week will get to experience some of the things we all love about the old west. We will learn about the diverse cultures that shaped our nation as we now know it. We will lasso some "cows", make our own cowpoke hats, learn some old cowpoke songs, eat some classic cowpoke fare, and have a good 'ol cowpoke square dance. In addition, we will visit Watson's Wild West Museum for a hootin' and hoolerin' good time! YEEEEEEEHAW!

# Week Eight | July 30 - August 3 | Space, The Final Frontier

If there's one thing we know about space it's that there sure is a lot of it out there. It can be a little intimidating. What do we do in space? We could explore different planets and moons, even different solar systems and galaxies. First, we'll need to build a space ship. After that, we will need to plot our course. Then, BLAST OFF! Campers will rocket through the cosmos at the speed of imagination! Among the many places our rocket ship will take us during this week of Camp will be the Milwaukee Public Museum and Planetarium. Begin Countdown!

### Week Nine | August 6-10 | Best Week Ever

What is your favorite thing? Pizza? Cupcakes? Or maybe it's not food. How about The World's Greatest Game of Tag or The Best Ever Slime Recipe? This week is all about nothing but the best of everything. We will give Campers the opportunity to pick a favorite activity to share with their group as well as going on an all- time-great field trip to the Midwest Clay Project because only the best will do for you!

### Week Ten | August 13-17 | Camp Caboose Challenge

The final week at Camp Caboose is all about the Epic Showdown. Campers will have to work together to complete a series of challenges vs. other teams. We will play a Camp wide game of multiple capture the flag and a Captain vs. Camper game of dodgeball. Our field trip for this week will take us to Sky Zone Trampoline Park.





# Comets

The Comet program is designed for Campers entering 3rd through 6th grade. What fun it is to be a Comet! You get a chance to choose your favorite Camp theme each week!

# Week One | June 13-15

# Option 1: It's A Jungle Out There

Madison is 3,632 miles from the Amazon rainforest, but this week we will bring wildlife, climate, and the excitement of the jungle to us! We will spend our time crafting rain sticks, oozing in jungle slime, gnoshing on monkey bread, and even taking a field trip to the zoo.

### **Option 2: Superheroes**

Not all superheroes wear capes, sometimes superheroes are just like you and me. This week will focus on heroes from comics AND from our own community. Meet real life "superheroes," create our own alter-ego superheroes, and take a break from being a hero to eat hero sandwiches.

### **Option 3: Under Construction**

Calling all architects in the making! We will build until our hearts are content, everything from a compost bin for Camp Caboose to a massive marble run to mini houses. We will also visit Dr. Evermor's Sculpture Garden to see the Forevertron, one of the world's largest scrap metal sculp-tures.

### Week Two | June 18-22

### **Option 1: Camp Spirit**

This week is all about having fun and building community. We will play Minute to Win It games, do a scavenger hunt, take a field trip to Vitense Mini Golf, play with the parachute, make trail mix, get ice cream and do cool projects that show our Camp Caboose spirit!

#### **Option 2: Let's Celebrate**

Have you ever tried to celebrate every holiday in one week? Well, that's exactly what we will be attempting to do this week at Camp. However, these aren't your typical, run of the mill holidays. Have you ever heard of "Night of the Radishes," "International Panic Day," or the "Lopburi" holidays? We will take a trip to Rocky Rococo's for pizza and movie party.

### Option 3: Move It

Does sitting still give you the heebee jeebees? Are you always on the move? We will be doing everything from dodgeball to swimming to mini golf at Vitense—the goal of this week is to get up, get moving, and be active.

### Week Three | June 25-29

### Option 1: In Our Own Backyard

Take an adventure in your own backyard! This week we will make animal tracks, go geocaching, make dirt cups, and explore bee keeping at Goodman Farms. We will finish our week with a trip to the Makenzie Center, a wildlife park.

### **Option 2: Just Beachy**

What do sand castle building, surf board designing, and boat-making all have in common (besides being totally fun)? They all have to do with the beach! This week is about embracing our inner beach bum and rolling with the waves. Remember to bring your swim suit and towel every day!

### **Option 3: Spectacular Science**

Prep your petri-dishes and ogle your goggles for a week of cutting-edge science! This week is all about embracing your inner "mad scientist". We'll have a whole day dedicated to making all different types of slime, we'll make plasma in the microwave, and we'll even go to Tommy Barlett's Robot World!

# Week Four | July 2-6

# **Option 1: MessFest**

Come be a part of the epic Camp Caboose tradition – MessFest! This is the one week in life where you are encouraged to get COMPLETELY MESSY—like chocolate syrup dipping from your ears, apple sauce in your pants, messy.

# <u> Option 2: Party in the USA</u>

It's our country's birthday week and what a perfect time to celebrate! To get us into a festive mood, we will throw our own barbeque with food and games. Other awesome activities will include making red, white, and blue cupcakes, a crazy water balloon fight, Capture The Flag, and a trip to catch some sun by the pool.

### **Option 3: Frost Bite**

Have you ever dreamed of a blizzard in the middle of summer? This week is all about how to beat the heat in a bunch of "cool" ways. Highlights of the week will include making dry ice bubbles, a snowball fight, homemade ice cream, and sledding—YES, sledding. Can you stand the cold in July?

### Week Five | July 9-13

# Option 1: Water World [Extra \$10 for Canoeing]

Get ready to get wet! From swimming to paddling to just goofing around, water is the focus this theme. Try out canoeing at Rutabaga, swim at the pool and the beach, and then go to the splash pad for a sprinklin' good time. Remember to bring your swim suit and towel every day! *Option 2: Around The World* 

Ever wanted to travel the world? What about trying new foods with ingredients you've never even heard of? This week we'll get our passports stamped for Japan, Mexico, Russia, and Jamaica, recreating crafts, playing games, and cooking foods for an immersive experience, all without ever leaving Madison.

### **Option 3: Success or Epic Fail**

Pinterest is a website full of perfect crafts, beautiful looking food, and no fail science experiments; or is it? This week we will take a look at the best (and worst) ideas on Pinterest and try them out in real life. Some projects are sure to be a huge success, while others may end up needing a little TLC.

#### Week Six | July 16-20

## Option 1: Life's A Circus

Come one, come all to the Camp Caboose Carnival! This week we will build our own mini version of the greatest show on Earth. Get ready to attempt juggling, do face painting, and visit the Dane County Fair- twice! So quit clowning around, and join the Circus!

### Option 2: At Your Service

Do you want to save the world but are unsure how? This week is all about doing a little bit of good for a lot of payoff. The projects are up to you, but past projects include making animal toys and treats to donate, baking cookies for the Fire Station on Willy Street, and serving free lemonade on the bike path. Talk to your Captain if you have ideas to benefit our community, and sign up for this week of paying it forward.

### **Option 3: It's Not Easy Being Green**

According to Kermit the Frog, that is. This week we'll prove him wrong by cooking delicious, healthy foods sourced straight from MadCity. We'll visit the Goodman Garden to get some tips on how to harvest our own food, then we'll concoct some recipes and go shopping for ingredients at local stores. Get ready to get cookin'!

#### Week Seven | July 23-27

### Option 1: All About Me

This theme is all about making things personalized just for you. We will paint self-portraits, create our own countries, make duct tape keychains, build lava lamps, make our names in crystal form, and go to MidWest Clay Project to make our own pottery that we will paint and fire in the kiln. It's all about you!

#### Option 2: Wild Wild West

Take a step back in time, to the days where people travelled by wagon and lassoed cattle—but since cattle don't roam freely anymore, we will try our best to lasso some chairs. We will also make our own butter, have a watermelon seed spitting contest, cook a wild west meal, create our own WANTED posters, and pan for "gold". We will travel to Watson's Wild West Museum to experience what that time period was really like. Get inspired while we are there because you may get the opportunity to help run Friday Fiesta Gold Rush!

### **Option 3: Ball-Allstar**

All week, nothing but dodgeballs, bouncy balls, soccer balls, meatballs, four square balls, popcorn balls; you get the idea. To top it off we will take a field trip to SkyZone to play the most intense dodgeball game in the history of Camp. Are you ready for a bouncing good time?

# Week Eight | July 30-August 3

### **Option 1: To Infinity and Beyond**

Buzz Lightyear has nothing on Camp Caboose when it comes to space exploration! We will work in teams to do a rocket launcher competition, play Cosmo Dodge, make moon sand, and take a trip to the planetarium in Milwaukee. Adjust your telescopes and get ready for an out of this world experience!

### **Option 2: Pet Palooza**

Do you have a pet or dream of owning one? This week is all about different kinds of pet animals and how to care for them. We will visit the animals at the main facility of the Dane County Humane Society and also have them visit us at Camp Caboose to talk about how to properly care for different kinds of pets.

### <u>Option 3: Just Eat It</u>

This summer we are combining two super popular themes (Fear Factor and Taste of Madison) into one insane week. We will spend our time eating bizarre food combinations, taste testing the most unusual dishes from local restaurants, making our own recipes that we concoct, and of course, eating bugs. Be ready to push yourself and your stomach to the limit. Just Eat It! Week Nine | August 6-10

### Option 1: Best Week Ever

It's almost the last week of summer, and there's still a ton of cool things that we haven't done! This week we will fit in as much fun as humanly possible. We will play egg-roulette, make survival bracelets, do glass etching, take a swimming trip, and go duct tape crazy; just to name a few things. End your summer the right way with the Best. Theme. Ever.

#### Option 2: Camp on Wheels

Can you ride a bike? Maybe you are already a pro? This week we will learn about bike maintenance, bike safety, and of course, have fun riding our bikes. This theme is for all levels of riders; we will find a pace that works for everyone. Please bring your bike, helmet, AND lock every day this week. If you don't own a bike, you can borrow one from Camp.

### Option 3: Card Crazy

Lay your cards on the table... We're talking all cards here: Pokemon, Uno, gigantic cards, Magic the Gathering, Poop, Exploding Kittens—if you can think of it, chances are, we will play it. We may even learn a few magic tricks from our favorite magician, Josh. Grab a deck (or six), and become a Camp card shark.

### Week Ten | August 13-17 | Camp Caboose Challenge

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# **Travel Week**

Campers will go on day-long field trips each day from August 20th to August 22nd. Please ensure that your Camper arrives no later than 8:30am. All field trips leave at 9am, and we will do our best to return by 4:30pm.

Monday, August 20thCountry Springs Hotel Water ParkTuesday, August 21stTour the Jelly Belly Factory and Petzke ParkWednesday, August 22ndWatertown Park and Aquatic Center



# Weekly Rates

Rates include breakfast, lunch, snack, and all activities, including swimming and all field trips (unless otherwise noted) for Summer Camp.

<u>Attending 6-10 weeks in total:</u>	<u>Attending 1-5 weeks in total:</u>
5 Days/wk: \$231.00	5 Days/wk: \$242.55
4 Days/wk: \$210.65	4 Days/wk: \$232.85
3 Days/wk: \$158.00	3 Days/wk: \$174.60
2 Days/wk: \$105.35	2 Days/wk: \$116.40

Drop-In Day & each day of Travel Week: \$58.20

\*Scholarship money may be available for families who qualify. Please contact the School Age Program Director, Andrea Suarez, at 608-251-5432 or school.age@redcaboosedaycare.org or our Billing Coordinator, Kim Owens, at 608-256-1566 or billing@redcaboosedaycare.org for more information.

# **Contact Information**

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# **CAMP CABOOSE ENROLLMENT FORM 2018**

To ensure that your child can start the 1st week of Camp, please have your packet & payment in by Friday, June 1st. <u>\*\*Any enrollments after this date will start the 2<sup>nd</sup> week of Camp.\*\*</u>

Date of Birth	Grade in 17/18	Gender	Youth Shirt Size
NAME OF CHILD			
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NAME OF CHILD			
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FAMILY STATUS: Married	l() Divorced() Separated()	Single () Partnered (	) Other ( )
			Other/Guardian ( )
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work phone:	cell phone:	employer/s	chool:
primary e-mail address:			
	Caboose mailings to this person		
PARTNER or OTHER INV	OLVED PERSON:		
home address:		zip:	home phone:
work phone:	cell phone:	employer/s	chool:
primary e-mail address:			
I J		ner/involved person:	

# **Emergency Contact Card**

Child(ren) Name (last,first)		Birth (date)	Enrolled (date)
Name (last, first)		_ Birth (date)	Enrolled (date)
Residence         Child(ren) lives with:          Mother        Father        Shared/split	residence Other		
Parents/Guardians			
Name Mother/Father/Guardian (circle one)	Address	Street, Address, City	
Phone: Home	Work		
Name	Address	3	
Mother/Father/Guardian (circle one)		Street, Address, City	
Phone: Home	Work		Cell
<b>Pick up authorization</b> —I give permissi authorization:	e .		v child(ren) anytime, without additional specific
<b>Emergency contacts</b> The following people may be called in an e my child(ren) from Camp if necessary.	mergency when parer	nt(s) or guardian(s)	cannot be reached and have permission to remove
Name		Relationship to chi	ld(ren)
Phone: Home	Work	Cell	L
Name		Relationship to chi	ld(ren)
Phone: Home	Work	Cell	
<b>Physician</b> —Red Caboose has my permiss Name			
<b>Emergency release</b> I give consent for emergency medical care	or treatment to be use	ed only if I cannot b	be reached immediately.
Hospital of choice			
Signature of parent or guardian			Date

# SUMMER ENROLLMENT FOR SHOOTING STARS

A FUN EXPERIENCE FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 1<sup>ST</sup> & 2<sup>ND</sup> GRADE

NAME OF CHILD \_\_\_\_\_

NAME OF CHILD

CONTRACTED ENROLLMENT SCHEDULE: (please check requested weeks)

FULL TIME (M-F) \_\_\_\_\_ OR PART TIME (2-4 days/wk): \_\_\_\_\_ M T W R F (circle days needed)

CONTRACTED WEEKS OF CARE: (please check requested weeks)

🛛 June 13-15	Theme: Superheroes
🛛 June 18-22	Theme: Let's Celebrate
🗌 June 25-29	Theme: Animal Planet
<ul><li>July 2-6</li><li>Closed July 4</li></ul>	Theme: Mess Fest
□ July 9-13	Theme: Water You doing?
July 16-20	Theme: Cirque De Summer Camp
□ July 23-27	Theme: Wild, Wild West
🗌 Jul 30-Aug 3	Theme: Space, The Final Frontier
🗆 Aug 6-10	Theme: Best Week Ever
🗆 Aug 13-17	Camp Caboose Challenge

TRAVEL WEEK: (please check requested days)

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\*No Camp: Wednesday, July 4th (holiday) and August 23rd through September 3rd.

Parent Signature

Print Name

Date

# SUMMER ENROLLMENT FOR COMETS

A FUN EXPERIENCE FOR CAMPERS ENTERING 3<sup>RD</sup>, 4<sup>TH</sup>, 5<sup>TH</sup>, & 6<sup>TH</sup> GRADE

# NAME OF CHILD

NAME OF CHILD

CONTRACTED ENROLLMENT SCHEDULE: (please check)

 FULL TIME (M-F) \_\_\_\_\_ OR
 PART TIME (2-4 days/wk): \_\_\_\_\_ M
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 W
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 F (circle days needed)

#### \*IMPORTANT\*

There are two parts to enrolling your child up as a Comet. First: check which week(s) you would like to enroll. Second: next to the week's theme options, designate your child's 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup>,& 3<sup>rd</sup> choice. For a description of each week's themes, please refer to pages 6-9. *Themes are on a first come, first serve basis and have limited space.* 

🗌 June 13-15	It's a Jungle Out There	Under Construction	
☐ June 18-22	Camp Spirit	Let's Celebrate	Move It
☐ June 25-29	In Our Own Backyard	Just Beachy	Spectacular Science
July 2-6 Closed July 4	MessFest	Party in the USA	Frost Bite
☐ July 9-13	Water World (Extra \$10)	Around the World	Success or Epic Fail
□ July 16-20	Life's a Circus	At Your Service	It's Not Easy Being Green
☐ July 23-27	All About Me	Wild Wild West	Ball-Allstar
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### • PARENT PERMISSIONS, PAYMENT AGREEMENT

#### \*Please turn this form in with your enrollment

The following agreements are non-negotiable components of Red Caboose Summer Camp, and a parent/guardian signature stating you have read the agreement with these statements is a necessary pre-requisite to enrollment. If signatures are not provided, enrollment will be placed on hold until they are provided.

<u>WITHDRAWAL & CHANGE OF SCHEDULE</u>: I agree to give Red Caboose a <u>four-week written notice</u> before withdrawing my child from the program. If I do not give such notice, I agree to pay in full the tuition for the contracted weeks and schedule. I understand that I may not reduce the number of days per week of my child's set schedule and that I may not reduce the number of weeks that my child is enrolled for Red Caboose.

<u>WEDNESDAY</u>, JULY 4, 2018: I understand that Wednesday, July 4th is a holiday, and Camp Caboose will not be in session. Due to Red Caboose policies, if a child is enrolled on this Wednesday, a charge will still be applied to the families' billing statement.

<u>FIELD TRIPS</u>: I understand that field trips (including swimming) by bus, van, or on foot, are an integral part of the program at Camp Caboose. I agree to let my child go on all field trips (including swimming) during the time she/he is enrolled at Camp Caboose.

<u>EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE</u>: I give my consent for emergency medical care or treatment to be used only if I cannot be reached immediately. In case of emergency (accident or illness) and I cannot be reached, I give full permission to Camp Caboose to transport my child to the nearest available health care facility. I will assume full responsibility, including financial responsibility, for services rendered.

<u>CITY ACCREDITATION COMMUNICATION</u>: I understand that this center is City of Madison Accredited. Madison Accreditation staff may be used for consultation in a confidential manner. I authorize this center to release information for the purpose of improving the quality of the program and supporting staff to best meet the needs of children in the classroom.

 <u>TEXTING</u>: I would like Red Caboose to text me any important summer Camp related updates or if a bus will be late:

 Phone number to text:
 Phone carrier:

The following permission statements are only valid when a parent/guardian has marked his or her initials on the "yes" space next to the statement. If you wish to deny permission for any statement, simply mark your initials in the "no" space next to the statement. Any statement without a mark will be assumed to be a "no." Please feel free to attach any additional instructions, directions, or clarification of your wishes on a separate piece of paper.

#### PHOTOGRAPHS and VIDEO:

yes no I agree and consent to the use of any photographs or video taken of persons under my guardianship. These pictures are to be used by Camp Caboose for educational, advertising, and publicity purposes only.

Photos and video may be posted on the Red Caboose web page, Facebook page, or YouTube channel.

#### SWIMMING INFORMATION:

The information below will be used to make your child's swimming experiences as safe and enjoyable as possible throughout the summer. Please specify any differences if you are answering for multiple children.

		Has your child ever been swimming at a pool or beach?
yes	no	
		Has your child taken swim lessons? If yes, please describe level completed and with whom.
yes	no	
		Is your child afraid of the water?
yes	no	
<u> </u>		Is you child afraid of putting his or her head under water?
yes	no	
		Is there anything else that we need to know regarding your child's experience while swimming?
yes	no	

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#### PAYMENT OF FEES:

I agree to pay for the days/weeks my child is enrolled, whether o	or not my child is in attendance. $I$	agree to pay my
Summer Camp fees IN ADVANCE: weekly b	vi-weekly monthly _	·
**Would you like an e-mail bill?yesno		
If yes, please provide ALL e-mail addresses here:		

To enroll, please include your first week's tuition with all enrollment forms. Please refer to the policies regarding schedule changes on page 21 and the check list on page 10 to ensure you have enrolled your child completely. If you would like your child to start the 1st week of Camp, please have your packet in to a member of admin by Friday, June 2nd.

Any enrollments after this date will start the  $2^{nd}$  week of Camp.

#### **To Complete Your Enrollment:**

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$\Rightarrow$	Fill out Enrollment P	Pages & <u>all health forms s</u> tarting wi	th PG. 15 \$
$\Rightarrow$	\$		
$\Rightarrow$	\$		
$\Rightarrow$	YES! I would like to s	support another child	\$
	1	ve included an additional ore with my deposit payment!	
	(This is a tax deductible	e donation.)	
		Total:	\$
orders should be written &		Red Caboose Child Ca 654 William	

Madison, WI 53703

Checks/money orders should be written & sent, along with all Enrollment Paperwork, to:

#### ENROLLMENT AGREEMENT:

**PARENT/S SIGNATURE** (both custodial parents/guardians must sign): Both custodial parents & guardians must sign the Enrollment Form. All persons signing this Child Enrollment Form agree that they are jointly and severally liable for any services provided by Red Caboose as set forth on this agreement.

Signature	Date:
Print Name	
Signature	Date:
Print Name	
For Red Caboose Admini	stration Only
Received by: on	SAPD BC Conf
Check # Amount	Priority Grouping: 6-9FT 6-9PT 3-5FT 3-5PT <b>16</b> 2

## HEALTH HISTORY AND EMERGENCY CARE PLAN

**Use of form:** This form is required for family and group child care centers and day camps to comply with DCF 250.04(6)(a)1. and 250.07(6)(L)5., DCF 251.04(6)(a)6. and 251.07(6)(k)5., and DCF 252.44(6)(g) of the Wisconsin Administrative Codes. Failure to comply may result in issuance of a noncompliance statement. Personal information you provide may be used for secondary purposes [Privacy Law, s.15.04(1)(m), Wisconsin Statutes].

**Instructions:** The parent / guardian should complete this form for placement in the child's file prior to the child's first day of attendance. Information contained on the form shall be shared with any person caring for the child. The department recommends that parents / guardians and center staff periodically review and update the information provided on this form.

CHILD INFORMATION							
Name (Last, First, MI)	(Last, First, MI) Address – Home (Street, City, State, Zip Code)						
Telephone Number	Birthdate	e (mm/dd/yyyy)		Date – First Day o	Date – First Day of Attendance (mm/dd/yyyy)		
PARENT / GUARDIAN INFORMATION Provide information where the pa	arent(s) / g	uardian(s) may be reached v	while the child is in a	care.			
Name		ne Number – Home	Telephone Numbe			ne Number – Cellular	
Name	Telepho	ne Number – Home	Telephone Numbe	er – Work	Telephone Number – Cellular		
PHYSICIAN / MEDICAL FACILITY INFORMATION							
Name – Physician	Address	<ul> <li>Medical Facility</li> </ul>				Telephone Number	
SUNSCREEN / INSECT REPELLENT AUTHORIZATION If provided by th authorizations shall be reviewed every 6 months and updated as necessary.		250.07(6)(f)2.a., Authorizati			updated a	s necessary.	
<ul> <li>Yes No I authorize the center to apply sunscreen to my child.</li> <li>Yes No I authorize the center to allow my child to self-apply sunscreen to my child to</li></ul>	een.					Ingredient Strength SPF 50	
Yes       No       I authorize the center to apply repellent to my child.         Yes       No       I authorize the center to allow my child to self-apply repellent.		Brand Name OFF! Unscented			Ingredier	It Strength	
HEALTH HISTORY AND EMERGENCY CARE PLAN If available, attach a	ny health	care plan information from th	ne child's physician,	therapist, etc.			
<ol> <li>Check any special medical condition that your child may have.</li> <li>No specific medical condition</li> </ol>							
Asthma Diabetes		Gastrointestina	al or feeding concer	ns including special	l diet and s	supplements	
<ul> <li>Cerebral palsy / motor disorder</li> <li>Epilepsy / seizure disorder</li> <li>Any disorder including Cognitively Disabled, LD, ADD, ADHD, or Autism</li> <li>Other condition(s) requiring special care – Specify.</li> </ul>							
<ul> <li>Milk allergy. If a child is allergic to milk, attach a statement from</li> <li>Food allergies – Specify food(s).</li> </ul>	the medic	cal professional indicating the	e acceptable alterna	itive.			
Non-food allergies – Specify.							

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2. Triggers that may cause problems – Specify.

3. Signs or symptoms to watch for – Specify.

4. Steps the child care provider should follow. If prescription or non-prescription medications are necessary, a copy of the form *Authorization to Administer Medication* should be attached to this form. Note: group child care centers and day camps may use their own form.

5. Identify any child care staff to whom you have given specialized training / instructions to help treat symptoms.

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6. When to call parents regarding symptoms or failure to respond to treatment.

7. When to consider that the condition requires emergency medical care or reassessment.

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8. Additional information that may be helpful to the child care provider.

SIGNATURE – Parent or Guardian	Date Signed (mm/dd/yyyy)

Review dates:

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#### DAY CARE IMMUNIZATION RECORD

COMPLETE AND RETURN TO DAY CARE CENTER. State law requires all children in day care centers to present evidence of immunization against certain diseases within **30 school days (6 calendar weeks) of admission to the day care center.** These requirements can be waived only if a properly signed health, religious, or personal conviction waiver is filed with the day care center. See "Waivers" below. If you have any questions on immunizations or how to complete this form, please contact your child's day care provider or your local health department.

	PERSONAL DATA PLEASE PR									
STEP 1	P 1       Child's Name(Last, First, Middle Initial)       Date of Birth (Month/Day/Year)       Area Code/T						Area Code/Te	elephone Number		
-	Name of Parent/Guardian/Legal Cu	stodian (	Last, First, Mic	dle Init	ial)	Addres	s (Street, Ap	artment num	ber, City, State, 2	ζip)
ſ	IMMUNIZATION HISTORY									
STEP 2	2 List the MONTH, DAY AND YEAR the child received each of the following immunizations. DO NOT USE A (4) OR (X) except to indicate whe the child has had chickenpox. If you do not have an immunization record for this child, contact your doctor or local public health department to obtain the records.							ndicate whether lepartment to		
	TYPE OF VACCINE First Dose Second Dose Third Dose Fourth Dos								Fourth Dose Ionth/Day/Year	Fifth Dose Month/Day/Year
·	Diphtheria-Tetanus-Pertussis (Specify DTP, DTaP, or DT)		,			<i></i>			<u></u>	
·	Polio									
	Hib (Haemophilus Influenzae Type I	3)								
	Pneumococcal Conjugate Vaccine (	PCV)								
	Hepatitis B Measles-Mumps-Rubella (MMR)									
	Varicella (chickenpox) vaccine Vaccine is required only if the child not had chickenpox disease.	has								
	Has the child had Varicella (chick	enpox)	disease? Che	eck the	appropriate	e box an	d provide th	ne vear if kno	own.	
	Yes year No or Unsure (Vaccine is require	(Va	accine is not re							
	REQUIREMENTS									
STEP 3	The following are the minimum <b>requ</b> requirements at day care entrance. dates of additional required doses.	<b>lired</b> imr Childrer	nunizations for who reach a	r the ch new ag	ild's age/gra e/grade leve	de at ent el while at	ry. All childre	en within the day care mus	range must mee at have their reco	these rds updated with
	AGE LEVELS						IBER OF DO			
	5 months through 15 months		/DTaP/DT	2 P		Hib	2 PCV	2 Hep B		
	16 months through 23 months 2 years through 4 years		/DTaP/DT /DTaP/DT	2 P 3 P		Hib' Hib <sup>1</sup>	3 PCV <sup>2</sup> 3 PCV <sup>2</sup>	2 Hep B 3 Hep B	$\frac{1 \text{ MMR}^3}{1 \text{ MMR}^3}$	1 Varicella
-	At Kindergarten entrance		/DTaP/DT <sup>4</sup>	4 P			5100	3 Hep B	$2 \text{ MMR}^3$	2 Varicella
	<sup>1</sup> If the child began the Hib series at after, no additional doses are requiring first birthday is also acceptable).	12-14 m red. Mir	onths of age, o imum of one d	only 2 d lose mu	oses are rec ust be receiv	uired. If ed after 1	the child rec 12 months of	eived one do	se of Hib at 15 m dose 4 days or l	onths of age or ess before the
	<sup>2</sup> If the child began the PCV series a age or after, no additional doses ar			only 2	doses are re	equired. I	f the child re	ceived the fir	st dose of PCV a	t 24 months of
	<sup>3</sup> MMR vaccine must have been rece	eived on	or after the firs	t birthd	ay (Note: a d	dose 4 da	ays or less be	efore the 1 <sup>st</sup> b	oirthday is also ad	cceptable).
	<sup>4</sup> Children entering kindergarten mus less before the 4 <sup>th</sup> birthday is also a	acceptab	eceived one do le).	ose afte	er the 4" birth	nday (eith	her the $3^{\circ}$ , $4^{\circ}$	or 5") to be	compliant (Note:	a dose 4 days or
STEP 4	COMPLIANCE DATA AND WA					hia fanna	40 4h 0 days			
SIEF 4	IF THE CHILD MEETS ALL REQU IF THE CHILD DOES NOT MEET A						-	•		center)
	Although the child has not rece			•						,
	received. I understand that it is notify the day care center in w	s my res	ponsibility to ol	btain th	e remaining					
	NOTE: Failure to stay on schedu fine of up to \$25.00 per day of vic		oort immuniza	ations t	o the day c	are cente	er may resu	lt in court ac	tion against the	parents and a
	For health reasons this child sl	nould not	receive the fo	llowing	immunizatio	ons	(List	in STEP 2 a	ny immunization	s already received)
				•	an's Signatur	•				
	For religious reasons this child	should r	not be immuniz	zed. (Lis	st in STEP 2	any imm	unizations a	lready receive	ed)	
	For personal conviction reasor	is this ch	ild should not l	be imm	unized. (List	in STEP	2 any immu	nizations alre	ady received):	
	SIGNATURE									
STEP 5	To the best of my knowledge this fo	rm is cor	mplete and acc	curate.						

# **Enrollment Checklist**

Submit the required forms below via email to school.age@redcaboosedaycare.org OR drop off at Red Caboose Child Care Center (654 Williamson Street.)

\*please check off each item completed & included

\_\_\_\_Camp Caboose Enrollment | Page 11

\_\_\_\_Emergency Contact Card | Page 12

\_\_\_\_Shooting Star Enrollment | Page 13

\_\_\_\_Comet Enrollment | Page 14

\_\_\_\_\_Parent Permissions, Payment Agreement | Page 15-16

\_\_\_\_Health Form | Page 17-18

\_\_\_\_Immunization Records | Page 19

\_\_\_\_Check/Money Order for Deposit: 1st Week Payment (& \$40 Registration Fee for families new to Red Caboose)

# Suggestion Box

Does your child have ideas for activities, projects, or games for this summer? Please write down your ideas- we would love for you to share them!

# Schedule Policy

All Change of Schedule requests need to be made the School Age Program Director, and will be accommodated whenever possible as long as space is available. All decisions of the School Age Program Director is final

## Weeks 1-10

Adding Days: If space is available, days can be added to a set schedule. (For example, a schedule of M,W,F may be changed to M-F for the remainder of summer.)

**Drop-In Days:** If space is available, Drop-In Days (any additional day not part of the set schedule) can be requested no more than one week in advance of the requested Drop-In Day.

**Changing Weekly Schedule:** If space is available, a set schedule may be permanently changed as long as there is no net reduction in days. (For example, a T,W schedule may be changed to a M,R schedule for the remainder of the summer.)

Switching Weeks: If space is available, a contracted week can be switched for a previously un-contracted week.

**Dropping Days/Weeks:** Individual days and/or weeks cannot be dropped once they have been contracted for.

**Withdrawing:** A four week written notice to the School Age Program Director is required to withdraw from the program.

### Travel Week (Week 11)

This schedule can differ from weeks 1-10 and does require a separate enrollment. Contracted schedules for week 11 (Travel Week) cannot be changed, except by adding one or more Drop-In Day(s) as explained above.





# Get 50% off one week of Camp Caboose tuition!

Returning Camp Caboose families have the opportunity to receive 50% off for one week of tuition when they refer a new Camper to Camp Caboose!

All returning families enrolled at Camp Caboose qualify!

### How to receive your tuition benefit:

- The returning family MUST have been enrolled in Camp Caboose 2017 (or before) and be enrolled for Camp Caboose 2018.
- The new family must provide the name of the returning Camp family in our enrollment packet.
- The referred family must be new to Camp Caboose.
- Both the new & returning families must enroll at Camp Caboose for a minimum of three days AND for at least six weeks.
- Once the referred family stays the minimum amount required, the returning family will receive a 50% off tuition credit for one week of Camp for one child.



# **Frequently Asked Questions**

# Do I need to bring a lunch?

No! Camp Caboose serves breakfast, lunch, & afternoon snack! The meals are prepared by Red Caboose's own Nutritional Coordinator, and each meal focuses on fresh fruits, vegetables, and whole grains. Vegetarian options are always available.

# What do I need to bring on a daily basis?

Camp Caboose spends a lot of their time outside so our children need to bring a hat, water bottle, and comfortable shoes. (And a swimsuit and towel might be a good idea, too!)

# Will my child get to go swimming?

YES!! Both Shooting Stars and Comets groups will be going on swim trips every other week including Travel/Field Trip Week! So, it is always good to remember to bring your swimsuit and towel every day.

# Will my child get to go on any field trips?

YES!! Campers are able to explore their community through frequent field trips! Shooting Star Captains plan field trips that relate to their group activities every week. Comets take field trips throughout the week that correspond with the theme that they are signed up for.

# How can I find out weekly Camp events?

Check out our website at <u>www.redcaboosechildcare.org</u> or our parent board to see what activities and trips counselors have planned!



# CAMP CABOOSE

1501 JENIFER ST. MADISON, WI 53703 608-204-6887

Please send all mail and payments only to:

Red Caboose Child Care Center, Inc. 654 Williamson Street Madison, WI 53703

Phone: 608-251-5432 Fax: 608-256-1516 school.age@redcaboosedaycare.org



Join us this summer for an unforgettable Camp experience! Place mailing label here!

# **ENROLLMENT DEADLINES**

- ⇒ Current and Alumni Families have priority enrollment until April 2, 2018! After that, enrollment is open to the public.
- ⇒ Everyone who enrolls by June 1st begins the first week of Camp (space permitting.)
- ⇒ Camp begins Wednesday, June 13th!

The CACFP is operated in accordance with USDA policy, which does not permit discrimination because of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability. If you believe that your child has been treated unfairly in receiving food services for any of these reasons, write immediately to USDA, Director, Office of Civil Rights, Room 326-W, Whitten Building, 1400 Independence Avenue, SW, Washington DC 20250-9410 or call (202) 720-5964 (voice and TDD). USDA is an equal opportunity provider and employer.