



We have planned an exciting camp that will keep young children active and captivate their minds during their spring vacation. At our Environmental Center, the classrooms extend outside of the building – onto our trails, woods, and river – so we can provide exciting, hands-on activities for children to learn about nature and the environment. I invite children to enroll in our camp for a spring adventure.

Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr.



**Joseph N. DiVincenzo, Jr., Essex County Executive
And the Board of Chosen Freeholders**

Invite Children in 1st to 5th Grades to Participate in

Nature Explorers Spring Camp 2019



Dates: Tuesday, April 16; Wednesday, April 17 & Thursday, April 18, 2019
Or

Dates: Tuesday, April 23; Wednesday, April 24 & Thursday, April 25, 2019

Time: 12:30pm to 4:30pm

Location: Essex County Environmental Center
621-B Eagle Rock Avenue, Roseland

Fees: \$160 per child for all 3 days OR \$60 per child/per day

Includes materials and take-home projects.

Campers are immersed in nature using stories, hikes, crafts, exploration, and hands-on discovery.

SPACE IS LIMITED; ADVANCE REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED

Minimum number of participants required.

For information, please call the Essex County Environmental Center at 973-228-8776.

COUNTY OF ESSEX

Department Of Parks, Recreation and Cultural Affairs

ESSEX COUNTY ENVIRONMENTAL CENTER

621-B EAGLE ROCK AVENUE, ROSELAND, NEW JERSEY 07068

Phone: 973.228.8776 Fax: 973.228.3793

www.essexcountynj.org



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Camp Details

Fees: Cost is \$160 per child for all 3 days OR \$60 per child per day. Fee includes all materials.

Dates: *Register by April 12th* for camp on Tuesday, April 16; Wednesday, April 17; Thursday, April 18, 2019.
Register by April 18th for camp on Tuesday, April 23; Wednesday, April 24; Thursday, April 25, 2019.

Pre-registration and advance payment are required; see above registration deadlines. Please make checks payable to "Essex County Parks." Cash and money orders are also accepted; NO credit cards. Please note that there are no refunds or credits for missed or cancelled classes. Minimum number of participants needed. **Max: 15 children per session.**

Length and Setting: Camp begins promptly at 12:30pm and ends at 4:30pm. Activities are held inside and outside the Essex County Environmental Center.

Campers are required to be signed in and out at the ECEC front desk each camp day by a parent/guardian. If you are unable to pick up your child(ren) at dismissal time, please coordinate with someone and advise the Center of the change. Prior to camp, each child will receive information detailing how to prepare.

Due to an increase in allergy concerns, the Essex County Environmental Center is no longer providing snacks to campers. *We ask campers to bring their own peanut-free snack from home.*

The Essex County Environmental Center is a facility of the Essex County Parks System and is located in Essex County West Essex Park. Weather permitting, all children are expected to explore the outdoors. **Please NO open-toe shoes or flip-flops.**

Registration Application

I would like to register for the following session(s):

First through Fifth Grade Spring Camp 2019, 12:30pm to 4:30pm

\$160 per child for all 3 days OR \$60 per child/per day.

Week 1: April 16 April 17 April 18 OR Week 2: April 23 April 24 April 25

Participant's Name: _____ Birth Date: _____

Parent/Guardian Name: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell/Alt. Phone: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Email: _____

Medical Information:

Does the participant have any limitations or allergies (including food related) that would limit participation in any activities at the Essex County Environmental Center? Please note: Essex County Environmental Center staff can not administer medication. If your child can not administer his/her own medication, a parent or guardian must do so. **Please Explain.**

Emergency Contacts: Please provide a name and phone number for each person we may contact first in case of an emergency.

 Contact #1: _____

 Contact #2: _____

In case of emergency, I allow the Staff of the Essex County Environmental Center to contact the above mentioned people as well as 911 or appropriate authorities (where applicable).

Parent/Guardian Signature: _____ Date: _____

Please Print Parent/Guardian Name: _____



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Photo Release and Consent Form

I hereby give my permission to the County of Essex and the Essex County Environmental Center, its agents or employees, and to the photographer, my free and unlimited consent and permission to use photographs of the child named below in all forms, media and manners, without restriction as to changes or alterations, for advertising, trade, promotion, exhibition, or any other lawful purposes that have been obtained from his/her participation in programs sponsored by the Essex County Environmental Center and the County of Essex.

I waive any right to inspect or approve the photographs or electronic matter that may be used in conjunction with them now or in the future, whether that use is known to me or unknown, and I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising from or related to the use of the photographs. I understand that the name and contact information of the child will be withheld from public disclosure.

Name of Child: _____

Name of Parent or Guardian: _____

Address: _____

I hereby agree to release, defend, and hold harmless the County of Essex, the Essex County Environmental Center, its agents or employees, including any firm publishing and/or distributing the finished product in whole or in part, from and against any claims, damages or liability arising from or related to the use of the photographs or program participation.

I am signing this Release of my own free will and I have not been influenced or coerced by any representative or employee of the County of Essex or the Essex County Environmental Center:

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE

DATE

WITNESS (Essex County Environmental Center Staff)

DATE



**County of Essex Environmental Center
WARNING, WAIVER, AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY**

DATE: _____

In consideration of being given permission to participate in the:

SPRING CAMP 2019 _____ (the "Event") on (date[s]) _____

supervised by Essex County Parks System

I hereby waive, release and discharge any and all claims for damages for death, personal injury or property damage which I may have, or which hereafter accrue to me, against the County of Essex or the Essex County Environmental Center as a result of my participation in the above listed Event. I realize that accidents and injuries can arise out of the Event, and accordingly, this release is intended to discharge the County, its trustees, officers, employees, commission members, and volunteers, and any public agencies from and against any and all liability arising out of or connected in any way with my participation in the Event. This waiver and release is binding upon my heirs and assigns.

I acknowledge that I have been fully informed of the risks and dangers involved in this activity. I acknowledge that I have read, agree, and fully understand the above Warning, Waiver, and Release of Liability. I further acknowledge and agree that the reasons for my being requested to sign this Release have been fully explained to me and I understand them. If any provision, including any exception, part, phrase, or term, or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, the application to other persons or circumstances shall not be affected thereby and the validity of this waiver in any and all other respects shall not be affected thereby.

I am signing this instrument of my own free will and I have not been influenced or coerced by any representative or employee of the County of Essex or the Essex County Environmental Center:

CHILD NAME **DATE**

If signatory is less than 18 years of age, this must also be signed by a parent or guardian.

PARENT/GUARDIAN SIGNATURE **DATE**

WITNESS (Essex County Environmental Center Staff) **DATE**

Please forward signed copies of this waiver form to:

**Department of Parks, Recreation & Cultural Affairs
Essex County Environmental Center
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Roseland, NJ 07068**

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