Caroline County Public Schools and Partners Present the
2016 Summer Learning Programs

A world of fun and learning awaits the students of Caroline County with a wide variety of programs that will keep them engaged and involved in creative ways throughout the summer. If you have questions about any of these programs, contact numbers are provided below.

CCPS Summer Learning Adventure

www.ccps.us

The Caroline County Public Schools Summer Learning Adventure will provide specially selected students an opportunity to catch up on math, reading and writing skills and prepare them for a jump start ahead of the new school year. Students will receive extra support and customized instruction with smaller class sizes compared to the regular school year.

Grades K-5 – Students will use a variety of reading materials for reading, writing and discussions. There will be weekly visits from the librarian from the Caroline County Public Library who will bring books for check out. In K-2, students will also use a fun, online reading program called Smarty Ants. The math program in grades K-5 will focus on number and number sense, using manipulatives, and high quality teacher-led lessons. Fifth graders will also receive instruction in Patterns, Functions, and Algebra.

Grades 6-8 – Students will be engaged in reading through Language! Live, a teacher-led/online reading program. They will be focused on Patterns, Functions, and Algebra for mathematics as well.

Middle school students will also have the opportunity to take part in the 21st Century Community Learning Center’s STEM (science, technology, engineering and math) program, which partners with the Science Museum of Virginia, SimVentions, and the University of Mary Washington. This will be offered on a first come, first serve basis to about 40 middle school students.

Grades 10-12 – High school students will be able to make up required SOL tests they didn’t pass during the regular school year with an SOL remediation program called Project Graduation. They will also be able to enroll in one or more classes in which they were unsuccessful during the regular school year and need to retake.

Dates: June 6 – July 7 (Monday through Thursday except for July 4)

Time: 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Location: Caroline Middle School, 13325 Devils Three Jump Rd., Milford, VA 22514

Breakfast and lunch are provided based on your child’s current meal status.

Transportation is provided and will follow a revised bus route which will be published in the Caroline Progress.
Be a Reading Superhero this Summer!

Any student can participate in Scholastic’s Summer Reading Challenge by reading books, logging their minutes, and winning virtual prizes. Students can also register to win more prizes on the Scholastic website. Get started today by visiting www.scholastic.com/ups/campaigns/src-2016.

YMCA Summer Loss Learning Prevention Program

Twenty rising third grade students from Bowling Green Elementary have been selected to participate in a literacy and math pilot program with the Caroline Family YMCA. Teachers will work closely with each student to provide individual support and instruction. In addition to classroom activities in literacy and math, these students will be taking frequent field trips and enjoying visits from community partners who will provide engaging, hands-on literacy experiences.

Dates: June 6 – July 7 (Monday through Thursday except for July 4)
Time: 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
Location: Caroline Middle School, 13325 Devils Three Jump Rd, Milford, VA 22514

Breakfast and lunch are provided based on your child’s current meal status.

Transportation is provided and will follow a revised bus route which will be published in the Caroline Progress.

Coming to Your Neighborhood!

https://carolinelibrary.org/

The Caroline County Bookmobile will be visiting various neighborhoods throughout Caroline County during the months of June and July.  Caroline Library: Phone: 633-5455

The schedule for these visits is as follows:

Tuesday: Western Caroline
   8:45-10:15 - Lake Caroline Clubhouse
   10:30-12:00 - Belmont Subdivision Front Entrance

Wednesday: Port Royal
   8:45-10:15 - Tidewater Mobile Home Park Entrance
   10:30-12:00 - Rt. 17 Mobile Home Park Entrance

Thursday: Dawn Community
   9:00-10:30 - Second Mt. Zion Baptist Church Parking Lot
YMCA Summer Camp

http://www.family-ymca.org/branches/Caroline/CarolineOverview1.html

When school is out, it is time for FUN! Sunshine, friendships, tradition...YMCA Summer Day Camp is an action packed, full-day experience for children. Field trips, indoor swimming, water park visits, nature, storytelling, music, singing, games, sports, arts & crafts and much more! New this year will be a fun pen pal program with students attending the Parks and Rec Summer Camp (see below). Students participating in the YMCA Summer Camp will also have opportunities to improve their reading skills through regular library visits where they can check out books to read. Contact the Caroline YMCA at 804-448-9622 for additional details and registration information.

Dates: May 31 – August 12

Location: Caroline Family YMCA, Ladysmith, VA

Phone: 804-448-9622

Parks and Recreation Summer Camp

https://co.caroline.va.us/238/Parks-Recreation

Designed for students ages 5 to 12 years, this camp will include library visits for finding great books to read. Enjoy arts and crafts, fun sports competitions, organized games, thematic special events, and weekly field trips at this enrichment camp. Camp participants will be moving to fitness and various dance activities. Field trips to Germanna Community College and the University of Mary Washington will be offered so that students can begin to think about their future goals. Interested students can become reporters and write columns and articles that will be published in the Parks and Rec newsletter for students and parents.

Dates: May 31 – July 15

Bowling Green Annex Building and C.T. Smith Building, Ladysmith

Contact the Caroline Parks and Recreation Department at 804-633-7277 for additional details and information on how to enroll your child in this program.