

# Summer Seals

## Insider



June 13 - 24

### Seals Make A Splash in Summer Learning!

Summer 16 of Summer Seals Day Camp is underway, and we are already diving into our first theme of water exploration! This year, Susquehanna (SU) graduate and returnee to Summer Seals, Shelby Young and Susquehanna junior, Joanna Campbell are teaching our rising fifth graders. SU graduate and returnee, Olivia Lee and SU junior, Katie Sheaffer are teaching our rising fourth graders. SU graduate Grace Hernandez, and SU senior, Brooke Leitzel, are teaching the rising third graders. We are preparing for an action-packed summer filled with water experiences, space adventures, and land discoveries. Check out our camp preview for all our exciting field trip plans and events coming up! Also, don't forget to like our Summer Seals Day Camp Facebook page to stay up to date on our adventures!

This past week, students read about types of water, animals found in and around water, and learned about how we can identify water based on its attributes. We have had lots of fun along the way. This is only the beginning of our summer journey, and it is off to a great start! Thank you for following our progress as we read, create, explore, and plunge into learning!

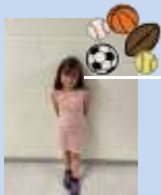


Summer Seals testing different types of water

#### Student Corner

"What was your favorite part of our first week at camp?"

"So far, my favorite part was playing games in gym!"  
Izzy,  
3<sup>rd</sup> grade



"My favorite part was eating munchkins and snacks!"  
Audrey,  
4<sup>th</sup> Grade



"My favorite part was playing dodge ball and getting Mr. P out!"  
Kaleb,  
5<sup>th</sup> grade



### A Day in the Life of a Summer Seal

What do Summer Seals do each day at camp?

8:00 am Summer Seals arrive and greet their friends! Students complete morning work posted on the board from their teachers!



8:30 am Summer Seals participate in physical activity, playing games like around the wagon, dodge ball or red light green light.

9:00 am Snack time!

9:20 am Students participate in reading activities related to each week's theme.

10:30 am Recess!

11:00 am Students participate in math activities related to each week's theme.

12:00 pm Lunch



12:30 pm Directors, spend time with the students engaging them in academic competitions and games.

1:00 pm Students participate in hands-on activities related to each week's theme.



2:30 pm Physical activity session.

3:00 pm Dismissal time! Another day of camp is done!

#### Summer Seals Camp Preview

June 28 Electric City Aquarium  
July 25 Franklin Institute  
July 4-5 4<sup>th</sup> of July Holiday  
July 28 Car Wash & Rotary Lunch  
Aug. 2 Lake Tobias  
Aug. 4 Celebration & Graduation

#### Meet Our Staff

Colleen Kerber  
Madison Rice  
program co-directors

Ryan Pelletier  
Jacob Hoover  
Summer Seals  
Student Advocates

Grace Hernandez  
Brooke Leitzel  
Third Grade Teachers

Olivia Lee  
Katie Sheaffer  
Fourth Grade Teachers

Shelby Young  
Joanna Campbell  
Fifth Grade Teachers

Barb Bennett  
Betsy Einsig  
Carole Leininger  
Foster Grandparents

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