

2024 SUMMER CAMPS

GENERAL DAY CAMP

June 17 - Aug 9 (8 one-week sessions)

9am - 2pm

Cost: \$250 per session

The Alameda Boys & Girls Club Summer Day Camp is an action-packed and fun-filled general program for youth who have completed 1st-5th grades. Campers will increase their social skills and confidence through one-hour rotations based around recreational games, arts and crafts, and field trips.

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Week 1 (June 17-21)	Grades 1 – 5
Week 2 (June 24-28)	
Week 3 (July 1-5)	
Week 4 (July 8-12)	
Week 5 (July 15-19)	
Week 6 (July 22-26)	
Week 7 (July 29 - August 2)	
Week 8 (August 5-9)	

SOLAR CAMP

June 17 – Aug 9 (6 one-week sessions)

9am – 12pm

Cost: \$300 per session

Want to learn more about the sun and use engineering to solve problems? Join us for a free Hands-on Solar Camp this summer! We will have two weeks of camp per age groups: 10-11, 12-13, and 14-17. We will be using teamwork and collaboration to solve problems and create solutions. Choose your session and join us to investigate sustainability practices, build solar devices, and more!

Week 1 (June 17-21)	Ages 10-11
Week 2 (June 24-28)	
Week 5 (July 15-19)	Ages 12-13
Week 6 (July 22-26)	
Week 7 (July 29 - August 2)	Ages 14-17
Week 8 (August 5-9)	

PHOTO & VIDEO CAMP

June 17 – July 19 (4 one-week sessions)

9am – 1pm

Cost: \$250 per session

At Alameda Boys & Girls Club's Photo & Video Camp, Teens will learn the fundamentals of operating both DSLR camera and video equipment, learn photo and editing skills, and more. They will also gain confidence in the art of storytelling, lighting, and composition for both photography and videography. Teens will have the opportunity to create a passion project: photo portfolios or a final video project to demonstrate the skills they've obtained during summer camp. You may sign up for one, multiple, or all weeks of this camp!

Week 1 (June 17-21)	Ages 13-18
Week 2 (June 24-28)	
Week 4 (July 8-12)	
Week 5 (July 15-19)	

CREATIVE CAMP

June 17 - Aug 9 (8 one-week sessions)

9am - 3pm

Cost: \$300 per session

A hands-on Art Camp for ages 10-14. The goal of Creative Camp is to learn the importance of different types of art media and how to bring them all together to make mixed media marvels. There are eight weeks of Creative Camp offered, and you may sign up for one, some, or all weeks!

Week 1 (June 17-21)	Ages 10-14
Week 2 (June 24-28)	
Week 3 (July 1-5)	
Week 4 (July 8-12)	
Week 5 (July 15-19)	
Week 6 (July 22-26)	
Week 7 (July 29 - August 2)	
Week 8 (August 5-9)	

BASKETBALL CAMP

June 17 – June 28 (2 one-week sessions)

9am - 12pm

Cost: \$250 per session

The Alameda Boys & Girls Club Basketball Camp will provide a great opportunity for children ages 6-9 to learn the basics to become a successful basketball player. Youth will participate in dribbling, passing, and shooting drills, as well as full court exercises. Through the Alameda Boys & Girls Club Basketball Camp, youth will also develop sportsmanship skills and strengthen their individual basketball skills.

Week 1 (June 17-21)	Ages 6-9
Week 2 (June 24-28)	

ALL-STAR ATHLETICS CAMP

June 24 – Aug 9 (6 one-week sessions)

9am – 12pm

Cost: \$250 per session

At All-Star Athletics Camp, Campers will learn and participate in new athletic activities every day! Campers will participate in kickball, soccer, dodgeball, volleyball, and more. This is a great opportunity for youth to explore different sports and find new passions, all while gaining skills in sportsmanship and teamwork.

Week 3 (July 1-5)	Ages 10-12
Week 7 (July 29 - August 2)	
Week 4 (July 8-12)	Ages 6-9
Week 5 (July 15-19)	
Week 6 (July 22-26)	
Week 8 (August 5-9)	

LITTLE FARM ON THE ISLAND: URBAN FARMS AND THEIR IMPORTANCE

June 17 – July 19 (2 one-week sessions)

10am - 2pm

Cost: \$250 per session

Come and learn the ins and outs of sustainable food at Italo's Garden, a ¼ acre farm in the middle of Alameda Island! Interested in learning how a tiny little seed can transform into a plate of delicious food? Youth will experience the pride of stewardship by creating, maintaining, harvesting and sharing the food and knowledge from an organic garden. They will be assigned to grow their own microgreens and will care, steward, and most importantly eat their own creations! The final day of camp will conclude with a field trip to observe how other urban farms contribute to their local community.

Week 1 (June 17-21)	Ages 6-9
Week 5 (July 15-19)	Ages 13-16

COOKING SEASONALLY: SUMMER

June 24 – August 2 (3 one-week sessions)

10am - 2pm

Cost: \$250 per session

Summer is the season of abundance. Our little farm at the Alameda Boys & Girls Club will be offering a plethora of warm season goodies to transform into delicious snacks and meals. The youth will understand the seasonal transitions in identifying differences between cool and warm season crops, when and how to harvest crops, and creating nutritious food in our commercial kitchen. There will be a surplus of produce with our harvesting. We will divert food waste by collaborating with a local restaurant/chef for a cooking demonstration at a commercial level.

Week 2 (June 24-28)	Ages 6-9
Week 4 (July 8-12)	Ages 10-12
Week 7 (July 29 - August 2)	Ages 13-16

MUSIC PRODUCTION CAMP | in partnership with the Bay Area Music Project

June 24 – 28 (1 one-week session)

1pm – 4pm Cost: \$250

Students will explore the world of music production, and learn the basics of digital audio and composition. Topics covered include use of software instruments, synthesis, beat production, mixing, and more. Students will learn the basics of Ableton Live, a popular and powerful digital audio workstation used by professional and amateur producers across the world. A variety of genres and styles will be explored, and students will be encouraged to compose and produce in the style of their choice, learning how to produce and replicate the trademark sounds of their chosen genre. Camp is open to all skill levels, but is focused on the fundamentals of the art form. No prior musical experience is necessary.

Week 2 (June 24-28) Ages 12-17

AUDIO ENGINEERING & RECORDING | in partnership with the Bay Area Music

Project

July 8 – 12 (1 one-week session)

1pm – 4pm Cost: \$250

Students will learn the ins and outs of recording live audio in a studio environment. Focusing on the fundamentals of audio engineering, students will learn about microphone placement, current audio technology, recording and mixing techniques, and more. The week will culminate with a finished collaborative composition, with students working both as musicians and engineers together to create a piece of recorded music, learning each step of the recording process. Some musical experience is ideal, and students will be encouraged to bring their personal instruments to camp.

Week 4 (July 8-12) Ages 12-17

UKULELE 101 | in partnership with the Bay Area Music Project

July 15 - 26 (2 one-week sessions)

1pm - 4pm

Cost: \$300 per session

Students will learn the basics of the Ukulele, an incredibly accessible instrument that will have them strumming and playing their favorite songs quickly. The camp will focus on learning chord shapes, strumming patterns, and reading musical tablature and notation. The Ukulele is an excellent instrument for exploring basic music theory concepts, all of which can be applied on any instrument. Students will also be shown how to compose and write original music through basic chord progressions and melodies. No musical experience required, instruments will be provided.

Week 5 (July 15-19)	Ages 7-11
Week 6 (July 22-26)	Ages 12-17

GUITAR 101 | in partnership with the Bay Area Music Project

July 29 – August 17 (2 one-week sessions)

1pm – 4pm

Cost: \$300 per session

Students will learn the basics of the guitar, a classic instrument for a wide variety of musical styles, be it rock, pop, classical, or many more. This camp will focus on learning chord shapes, strumming patterns, and reading musical tablature and notation. The guitar is a versatile instrument, used in a multitude of ways across the world. Students will learn the basics of using the guitar as a rhythm instrument, a lead instrument, as well as the basics of fingerstyle playing. Students will also be shown how to compose and write original music through basic chord progressions and melodies. No musical experience required; instruments will be provided.

Week 7 (July 29 - August 2)	Ages 7-11
Week 8 (August 5-9)	Ages 12-17

STRING ENSEMBLE | in partnership with the Bay Area Music Project

July 22 – August 2 (1 two-week session)

Morning session: 9am – 12pm Afternoon session: 1pm – 4pm

Cost: \$600

Calling all strings players! Spend two fun weeks developing your violin, viola, and cello skills! These fun and engaging small group sessions will help build confidence, technical skills, and musicianship in a string orchestra setting. Students will learn from professional musicians from Bay Area Music Project and their peers. The program features dynamic and diverse musical styles, such as classical, jazz, pop, and film scores. An informal performance will be presented at the end of each week. Students must have at least one year of experience in either violin, viola, or cello. Instruments supplied if needed!

Week 6-7 (July 22 - August 2)	MORNING SESSION - Ages 8-11
Week 6-7 (July 22 - August 2)	AFTERNOON SESSION - Ages 12-17