2026

SUMMER ACTIVITY GUIDE

Children's Service Council
700 S.W. Second Ave
Okeechobee, Florida 34974
(863)462-5000 ext. 1065

LET'S KEEP OUR CHILDREN SAFE, SUPERVISED AND ACTIVE THIS SUMMER!

SI NECESITA AYUDA CON TRADUCCION, POR FAVOR, VEA A LA DEFENSORA DE MIGRANTES DE LA ESCUELA A LA QUE ASISTE SU HIJO/A.

Arts and Crafts

Arts and Crafts Days

Our Village Okeechobee
202 NE 2nd St, Suite 8
Okeechobee, FL 34972
Monday June 15, 22, 29 and July 6, 13, 20
3-4 pm
Explore your creative side with a variety of arts and crafts!
Any child in elementary school
$15 per child. Additional children $10 per child. Discount for those who attend dance and arts & crafts.
Call Our Village at 863-447-0473
David Hall
david@ourvillageokeechobee.org
863-447-0473
www.ourvillageokeechobee.org

Bloom & Move Arts and Dance Camp

Boxfit Okeechobee
113 S Parrott Ave
Okeechobee, FL 34974
June 2nd - June 25th (Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday)
9AM-11AM
The Bloom & Move Arts and Dance Camp is a creative summer program designed for children ages 4–8. Hosted at The Pottery Place in Okeechobee, FL, the camp focuses on building confidence and friendship through a mix of physical and artistic exploration.
To participate in the Bloom & Move Arts and Dance Camp, all campers and their legal guardians must meet the following criteria:
Age Requirement: Participants must be between the ages of 4 and 8 at the start of the camp session.
Behavioral Compliance: Participants are required to follow all safety rules and instructions. Per camp policy, the staff reserves the right to dismiss any child whose behavior is consistently disruptive or unsafe to themselves or others without a refund.
A one time fee of $75 for the whole camp.
Contact facilitator Maria Zapata at 863-623-7719
Text, call or email
boxfitokeechobee@gmail.com
863-623-7719

Crafting and Friendship Camp

UF/IFAS Extension Okeechobee County 4-H and Children's Services of Okeechobee County
458 Hwy 98 North
Okeechobee, FL 34972
July 6, 2026 to July 10, 2026
9 a.m. to 3 p.m.
Campers will participate in a variety of crafting techniques, from fundamentals to repurposing.
Camp participants must be 8 years old as of September 1, 2025 in order to attend camp.
$150.00 per camper
https://sfyl.ifas.ufl.edu/okeechobee/4-h-youth-development-/4-h-camps/ or stop by our office to pick up a paper form. Payment and registration form must be received before camp spot is reserved.
Paula Daniel or Josephine Dorriety
paulinemdaniel@ufl.edu
863-763-6469

Educational/Tutoring/Family Activities

Health Science Leadership Summer Camp

Indian River State College
Indian River State College, Dixon Hendry Campus,
2229 NW 9th Avenue
Okeechobee, FL 34972
June 8, 2026 - June 25, 2026
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm
Students will have the opportunity to explore healthcare careers while earning college credit in Introduction to Healthcare, covering key topics such as communication, safety, and ethics.
The experience includes hands-on activities, student showcases, and a career exploration component at HCA Florida Raulerson Hospital and Indian River State College health programs. All participants will also earn their CPR certification.
This program is fully funded through the Children's Services Council, making it accessible to participating students.
9th - 12th graders
No cost
Registration packets can be picked up at the Dixon Hendy Campus
Maria Johnson
mgjohnso@irsc.edu
863-824-6023

Tutoring

Our Village Okeechobee
205 NE 2nd St
All summer and year round
As scheduled
Preventing summer slide or catching up your student? Let us tutor your elementary student this summer
Elementary School aged students
$3-30/hour depending on income
Call 863-447-0473
Leah Suarez
leah@ourvillageokeechobee.org
863-447-0473
www.ourvillageokeechobee.org

2nd Annual Kid's Day of Fishing

Big O Teen Anglers
OKEECHOBEE AG CENTER. SR70
6/13/2026
10am-3pm
Provide guidance and knowledge to the community youth interested in fishing. All tackle is provided by FWC and food, drinks and prizes by the Big O Teen Anglers.
Open to any youth in the community.
Fee: None. Paid for by the Childrens Services Council, Garrards Bait & Tackle, Fast Break Tackle and Big O Teen Anglers.
No registration required.
Danielle R DeWitt
Bota.danielle@gmail.com
561-436-8491

Health Promotion

Wemmer Family Orthodontics

Wemmer Family Orthodontics
2025 US HIGHWAY 441 N
Okeechobee, FL 34972
6/1/26-10/1/26
8:00-4:00
Orthodontic Evaluation
Ages 8 and up
No charge for evalaution
863-467-2332
Samantha
drwemmer@gmail.com
863-467-2332
https://wemmerorthodontics.com/

Florida Department of Health in Okeechobee County

Florida Department of Health in Okeechobee County
1728 NW 9th Ave
Okeechobee, Fl 34972
Monday through Friday
8:00 am to 5:00 pm
We offer school physicals and immunizations as well as sports physicals with EKG if required.
Please call the Health Department for more information
Please call the Health Department for more information
Call for an appointment
Florida Department of Health in Okeechobee County
FDOH47.contactus@flhealth.gov
863-462-5800

Library/Reading Programs

Dig into History! 2026 Library Summer Reading Program

Okeechobee County Public Library
206 SW 16th Street
Okeechobee, FL 34974
5/26/26 - 7/31/26
10:00 - 6:00
Summer Reading challenges begin on May 26th at the Okeechobee Library! Don't forget to stop by and sign up to receive a prize bag and a Summer Reading tracker for your chance to win even more prizes! And pick up a calendar to find out more dates and details of our upcoming presentations and concerts to celebrate America's 250th anniversary for our Adult Summer Reading program, and Dig into History with our Dinosaur activities for our Youth Summer Reading program!
All ages.
Fee: N/A
In person.
Sonya Chapa
sonya@myhlc.org
863-467-7764
https://www.myhlc.org

Open Recreation

Uniquely You

Our Village Okeechobee
202 NE 2nd St, Suite 8
Okeechobee, FL 34972
Every Wednesday
1-3pm Elementary, 3-5pm Middle School
This is open play for children who are uniquely abled.
Uniquely abled
Fee: None
Just come for play!
Veronica Gilchrist
veronica@ourvillageokeechobee.org
863-447-0473
www.ourvillageokeechobee.org

Other

Men of Distinction
Men of Distinction
Okeechobee Freshman Campus
610 SW 2nd Avenue
Okeechobee, FL 34974
6/8/26 thru 7/31/26
800 to 1:00
Provide Character building through mentorship
12-18 year old student athletes
Fee: $0
Through Camp Director
Coach Whitlock
jefferybwhitlock@gmail.com
863-623-7187

Overnight Camps

Camp Kulaqua

More 2 Life Youth
High Springs, Florida
June 26-29, 2026
4 days, 3 nights
The More 2 Life Youth Summer Camp is an opportunity to provide biblical guidance to students ranging from 6th to 12th grade. We look to provide new opportunities to students by exploring new locations and providing students with experiences that are unique to Florida. During this four day camp we are hoping to go on an excursion to Springs, give guided canoeing trips, and enjoy outdoor activities such as paintball and a teams ropes course. The cost for these excursions and travel have in the past been the burden of the family to pay, but our hope is to lower the cost associated with attending camp to assist our local families.
6th-12th Grade
Fee: 100
Brandon McKee
brandon@m2lministries.com
863-801-3499
https://m2lministries.com/events/kairos-2026-youth-camp/2026-06-26

Performing Arts

Okeechobee Music Lessons

Okeechobee Music, Inc.
909 S. Parrott Avenue, Suite J4
Okeechobee, Florida 34974
Ongoing Monday- Saturday dependent on lesson desired.
11:30-5:30 Monday - Saturday dependent upon instrument.
Professionals teach private individual Bass, Drums, Guitar, Mandolin, Piano, Sax, Ukulele, Violin and Vocal lessons.
Willingness to learn, practice and procure an instrument for at home practice - some rentals instruments available @ no cost for first month.
$15.00/$20 per half hour lesson if paid monthly/weekly.
Call 863-467-9373 or Facebook or OkeechobeeMusic@yahoo.com
Brenda or Lori
OkeechobeeMusic@yahoo.com
863-467-9373
Facebook - Okeechobee Music

Jimmy Gary Jr. Film Acting Camp

Childrens Services Council
Everglades Elementary School
33725 SE 8th St,
Okeechobee, FL 34974
June 15th-June 26th
9am-4pm
Step into the spotlight at my Film Acting Workshop in Okeechobee, a hands-on training experience for aspiring and developing actors. Participants will work on on-camera scenes, audition techniques, and character development while learning the discipline and confidence needed to perform on a real set. In a supportive, high-energy environment, you'll get professional coaching, practical industry tips, and the chance to build skills that can carry you from the classroom to the screen.
12-18 ages
$299 for 10 days of camp
Send email to jgfimactingcamp@gmail.com or go to the website jimmygaryjr.com
Jimmy Gary Jr.
jgarynewyork@gmail.com
347-778-8730
https://www.facebook.com/share/18fhcQbN2X/

Happy Feet

Our Village Okeechobee, Inc.
202 NE 2nd St. Suite 8
Okeechobee, FL 34972
Mondays June 15, 22, 29 July 6,13, 20
2:00-3:00 pm
Have fun dancing at our Happy Feet Dance Days, on Mondays during summer. Elementary school aged kids.
Any child in Elementary school.
$15 per child. Additional children $10.
Call 863-447-0473
David Hall
david@ourvillageokeechobee.org
863-447-0473
www.ourvillageokeechobee.org

Music and Movement

Our Village Okeechobee
202 NE 2nd St Suite 8
Okeechobee, FL 34974
Every Wednesday
5:45 - 6:30pm
Music and Movement Class is so good for your little ones ages birth to kindergarten
0-5 and your grown up must come
Suggested donation $10-15
Just come
Leah Suarez
leah@ourvillageokeechobee.org
863-447-0473
www.ourvillageokeechobee.org

Sports/Fitness

Futsal Summer Camp

Boxfit Okeechobee
925 NW 23rd Ln
Okeechobee, FL 34972
June 30th - July 23rd
High School 7am-9am, Middle School 9am-11am
This Futsal Summer Camp at the Yearling Middle School Gym offers a dynamic, four-week program designed to elevate the skills and character of Okeechobee's youth. Led by certified coaches and sanctioned by US Youth Futsal, the curriculum progresses from foundational agility and discipline to advanced ball control and competitive 5v5 matches. Beyond physical training, the camp focuses on building Game IQ, confidence, and mental health, using the global sport of futsal to foster cultural connection and provide a structured alternative to negative community influences.
To ensure a high-quality training environment, participants must meet the following criteria:
Skill Level: This camp is designed for players with intermediate to advanced soccer or futsal experience. Participants should possess a solid foundation in ball control and be prepared for high-pressure technical drills.
Coachability: Athletes must demonstrate a high level of coachability, showing a willingness to listen, apply feedback immediately, and maintain a growth mindset throughout the sessions.
Behavior & Discipline Policy: In alignment with our mission to build character, all campers are required to adhere to a strict conduct and discipline policy. Respect for coaches, teammates, and facilities is mandatory. Unsportsmanlike conduct or disruptive behavior may result in removal from the program to maintain a focused training atmosphere.
Grade Level: Open to students entering Middle School (9 AM session) or High School (7 AM session) for the 2026-2027 academic year.
A one time fee of $75 for the whole camp.
Call, text, or email
Manuel Sanchez
boxfitokeechobee@gmail.com
863-532-1145

Wrestling Club of Okeechobee

Chobee Wrestling
2800 HWY 441 North
Okeechobee, FL 34974
March 1 to July 15
Tuesday and Thursday
6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.
Introduction of wrestling, techniques, skills and sportsmanship to the youth of Okeechobee
Ages: 6 to 18
Fee: $0
Bruce Jahner
hicrotch2@comcast.net
863.634.9411

Elementary School Futsal Camp

Boxfit Okeechobee
Yearling Middle School
925 NW 23rd Lane
Okeechobee, FL 34972
June 2nd - June 25th
8am-10am
This Futsal Summer Camp at the Yearling Middle School Gym offers a dynamic, four-week program designed to elevate the skills and character of Okeechobee's youth. Led by certified coaches and sanctioned by US Youth Futsal, the curriculum progresses from foundational agility and discipline to advanced ball control and competitive 5v5 matches. Beyond physical training, the camp focuses on building Game IQ,
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Behavior & Discipline Policy: In alignment with our mission to build character, all campers are required to adhere to a strict conduct and discipline policy. Respect for coaches, teammates, and facilities is mandatory. Unsportsmanlike conduct or disruptive behavior may result in removal from the program to maintain a focused training atmosphere.
Grade Level: Open to students in Elementary School.
$75
Contact Coach Sanchez at 863-532-1145 or boxfitokeechobee@gmail.com

Raptor Sports Coed Lacrosse Camp

Raptor Sports and Events
Okeechobee County Soccer fields
July 6th through July 10th
7am to 12pm
Raptor Sports Coed Lacrosse Camp is where skill-building meets serious fun! Designed for boys and girls ages 10–18, this camp is the perfect place to learn, improve, and fall in love with the game of lacrosse. Athletes will master the fundamentals of catching, throwing, cradling, and game play—through exciting drills, team challenges, and real-game action in a high-energy, supportive environment.
Beyond the field, campers are fully taken care of with a camp shirt, water bottle, and daily breakfast

and lunch—so they can stay fueled, focused, and ready to play. Whether you're picking up a stick for the first time or sharpening your skills, Raptor Sports is the place to grow your game and have an unforgettable experience. All this takes place with contributions from the Children's Service Council
To be eligible for the camp you need to be 10 to 18 years old and fill out the registration form
$40.00 fee for camp
Registration link , Email, Facebook
Steve Szentmartoni
Raptorsportsandevents@gmail.com
863-634-1317
https://forms.gle/kCrCufYtFveNUbzYA

Chobee Elite Volleyball Camp

Chobee Elite Volleyball
Location, times and dates will be determined. Please email or call with any questions.
We are offering a structured volleyball camp designed to teach and develop fundamental volleyball skills in a fun, supportive environment.
Youth K-12 are invited to attend
$50
Monica Koger
chobeeeliteathletics@gmail.com
863-801-0836

O.Y.F.L. Football and Cheer Camp

O.Y.F.L.
Soccer Fields/ Douglas Park Community Center
June 29th- July 2nd
5:30pm-7:30pm
This FREE 4-Day Summer Youth Camp is a fun, event where kids ages 4–15 can come together to learn and grow through football, and cheer. Throughout the week, participants will be guided through skill-building drills, fundamentals, and engaging activities designed to improve coordination, confidence, and teamwork. The camp focuses on creating a safe, positive environment where kids can stay active, make new friends, and enjoy the game while learning the basics the right way. This camp is all about development, fun, and bringing the community together.
Children ages 4-15
Free
Online Registration Link
Chaka Smith
Chaka_s@yahoo.com
863-634-7424
https://www.facebook.com/OYFLBrahmans/

Summer Day Camps

Sheriff's STARS Summer Camp

Okeechobee County Sheriff's Office
Daily Drop off at Osceola Middle School
June 1st-5th, June 8th-12th, June 15th-19th
7:30am-3:00pm
Ages 8-12: OCSO Gun Range, Yankee Point, Camp Impact, Sports Complex, Miking R Farms
Ages 12-15: OCSO Gun Range, Yankee Point, Navy Museum, Sports Complex, Hunter/Boater Safety
Ages 8-12 (Weeks of June 1st and June 15th), Ages 12-15(week of June 8th)
FREE
Contact: Sgt.C. Torres
Sgt. Cristina Torres
ctorres@okeesheriff.com
863-763-3117

H20 Encounter Environmental Education Camp

UF/IFAS Okeechobee County 4-H and Children's Services Council of Okeechobee
Daily camp drop off and pick up location will be Yearling Middle School, 925 NW 23rd Lane.
June 15-19 (week 1), June 22-26 (week 2), July 13-17 (week 3)
7:30 AM - 5:00 PM
H20 Camp will educate youth about the role that water plays in every aspect of our daily lives. Water quality and its importance to our local environments will be explored in several educational, fun and hands-on activities. Visits to Environmental Science Centers, Gatorland, Natural Areas, and other water centric destinations are on the H20 camp schedule. To attend H20 Camp, youth must have been at least 8 years old as of September 1, 2025. Teens that have completed the 9th grade are encouraged to apply for Teen Counselor positions which are scholarship funded.
$175.00 registration fee includes camp shirt, all entry fees, light breakfast each morning, snacks, lunch, and water refills.
Registration forms available at the Extension Office, 458 US Highway 98 North, or online registration available at: https://sfyl.ifas.ufl.edu/okeechobee/4-h-youth-development-/4-h-camps/ or here: https://www.okeechobeecountyfl.gov/departments/okeechobee-
Paula Daniel
paulinemdaniel@ufl.edu
863-763-6469

Trek Through Florida History Camp

UF/IFAS Extension Okeechobee County 4-H and Children's Services Council of Okeechobee
Daily camp drop off and pick up location will be Yearling Middle School, 925 NW 23rd Lane.
July 6-10
7:30 AM - 5:00 PM
Trek Through Florida History Camp will explore many different cultural aspects of Florida living through the years, such as tours of historically important homesteads and towns and art and history museums. Campers will also learn about many innovative discoveries linked to Florida and be part of fun and informative hands-on creative learning opportunities. A Visit to the Museum of Science and Innovation and the Jupiter Lighthouse are part of the camp schedule.
Youth must have been at least 8 years old as of September 1, 2025, to attend this camp. Youth that have completed the 9th grade are encouraged to apply for Teen Counselor positions at camp, these positions are scholarship funded.
$175.00 registration fee includes a camp shirt, entry to all camp activities, light breakfast, snacks, lunch, and water refills.
Registration forms available at the Extension Office, 458 US Highway 98 North, or online registration available at: https://sfyl.ifas.ufl.edu/okeechobee/4-h-youth-development-/4-h-camps/ or here: https://www.okeechobeecountyfl.gov/departments/okeechobee-
Paula Daniel
paulinemdaniel@ufl.edu
863-763-6469

4-H Shooting Sports and Conservation Camp

UF/IFAS Extension Okeechobee County 4-H and Children's Services Council of Okeechobee
Daily camp drop off and pick up location will be the Extension Office, 458 US Highway 98 North.
July 20-24
8:30 AM - 3:30 PM
Shooting Sports Camp will focus on firearm safety practices, and local conservation and natural resource education. Camp will help youth discover opportunities to engage in the abundant outdoor recreational opportunities that we have access to in and around our community.
Youth must have been at least 10 years old as of September 1, 2025, to attend this camp.
$175.00 camp registration fee includes all camp activities, breakfast, lunch, snacks, and water refills.
Registration forms available at the Extension Office, 458 US Highway 98 North, or online registration available at: https://sfyl.ifas.ufl.edu/okeechobee/4-h-youth-development-/4-h-camps/ or here: https://www.okeechobeecountyfl.gov/departments/okeechobee-
Carrie Muldoon
cmuldoon@ufl.edu
863-763-6469

Camp Success

Helping People Succeed
South Elementary in June, Indian River State College in July
6/8/26-7/31/26
8:30 - 4:30
Summer program for children with suspected or diagnosed disability.
Children 5-13 with a suspected/diagnosed disability
$0
ctedesco@hpsfl.org
Candice Tedesco
ctedesco@hpsfl.org
772-618-3215
https://www.hpsfl.org

Okeechobee Parks & Rec. Summer Play Camp

Okeechobee Parks and Rec./New Horizons
Okeechobee Civic Center
June 8th - July 24th
regulaer camp hours 8:30am - 4:30pm (extended care if needed 7:30am-5:30pm)
A 7 week summer camp. Indoor and outdoor games, arts & crafts, sports, swimming, field trips, “Too Good for Violence” curriculum…
6yrs old to 13yrs old
$85 weekly fee (extended care if needed additional $20 to $35)
Online thru our website.
https://okeeparksandrec.recdesk.com/Community/Home
Terra Scurry
tmorris@okeechobeecountyfl.gov
863-763-6950 or 863-532-1134

Okeechobee Junior Leader Skills

Partnering Organizations - OCSD, OCEDC, EFO, CSC
Osceola Middle School
825 SW 28th Street
Okeechobee, FL 34974
June 3rd - June 16th, June 17th - June 30th
8:30 to 1:30
Building a stronger, healthier, and more vibrant community begins with investing in our future leaders. The Okeechobee Junior Leaders Skills Camp introduces students to the workforce while developing the personal and professional skills needed for success. This program inspires teens to grow as confident role models and active civic leaders.
Students eligible for the program must be Okeechobee County residents currently enrolled in grades 6th through 11th during the 2025-2026 school year. Interested students are required to complete a registration form, which is available through the link provided in this description. For more information visit www.ocedcorp.com under the tab Junior Leaders.

No Fees. Students and parents will be asked to sign a contract. The contract is found here https://drive.google.com/file/d/1lPbkVBQKsRNMmye6Va9PHcynFha-0Xvb/view?usp=sharing

Complete Application LINK.
https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLScUpnXTi39I7NevTvAqAOkyLHKva1unrJagru9DVoq6HOStKw/viewform?usp=header
Daryl Roehm
daryl.roehm@okeeschools.org
863-462-5000 ext 1064
Subscribe Link - https://tinyurl.com/OJLS2026

OVO Summer Camp

Our Village Okeechobee
826 NE 16th Ave
Okeechobee, FL 34972
June 9th - July 30th
8am - 4pm
This camp is for children to learn social emotional skills in a fun environment.
Must be enrolled in the Our Village Peer Support Program
$10/week
Call 863-447-0473
Damaris Olvera
damaris@ourvillageokeechobee.org
863-447-0473
http://www.ourvillageokeechobee.org

Camp Unbreakable

Our Village Okeechobee
202 NE 2nnd St. Suite 8
Okeechobee, FL 34972
June 9th through July 30th
9am-4pm
This camp is designed for the incoming high school freshman, sophomore, junior class. We will be exploring many things that are needed for success in high school and in life. PLUS: you will receive your community service hours needed for high school graduation - all in ONE summer! you will also learn needed job skills. Most all of our teens end up with employment during high school, based on the experiences you have here at Our Village.
Incoming Freshman/Incoming Sophomore/Incoming Junior
Just a willingness to learn.
Ccall 863-447-0473
Veronica Gilchrist
veronica@ourvillageokeechobee.org
863-447-0473
www.ourvillageokeechobee.org

Farm to Plate Agriculture Day Camp

UF/IFAS Okeechobee County Extension
UF/IFAS Extension Okeechobee County 458 Highway 98 North
June 9-12 (4 day camp)
8:30AM - 3:30 PM
Join us for 4 days of exploring the local agricultural industry in and around Okeechobee. Camp also includes an educational day trip to the Ona Beef Cattle Research and Education Center Youth Field Day event.
Youth must reside in Okeechobee County or immediate vicinity. Youth must have been at least 8 years old as of September 1, 2025.
$150.00 registration fee.
Registration available at the Extension Office, or online at the UF/IFAS Okeechobee website or the Okeechobee County Board of County Commissioners website on the 4-H page.
Lauren Butler
l.butler@ufl.edu
863-763-6469

Chobee Community United Summer Camp

C.C.U
1258 N. E. 13th Ave,
Okeechobee, FL 34972
June 8,2026 - June 26, 2026
8am-4pm
CCU summer will be hosting a 3 week long summer camp. Filled with a variety of indoor and outdoor activities. Lots of fun and a great way to spend the summer.
Ages 8-14
$30 registration fee and a $25 weekly fee
You call Yelena Robinson and a link will be posted on Facebook.
Yelena Robinson
Yelenarobinson@outlook.com
863-447-8880

Rain Forest of the World

Peace Lutheran School
750 NW 23rd Lane
Okeechobee, FL 34972
June 3, 2026 - July 24, 2026
9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (Early morning and aftercare hours available for additional fees)
Campers will spend the summer learning about God and his amazing love as well as one of his beautiful creations, the rainforest. Each week campers will learn about a different type of rainforest located on Earth. They will participate in hands on learning activities, crafts, songs, Bible lessons and fieldtrips. Campers may range between 2 years old up to completing fourth grade.
Supply Fee: $100 for the summer; Tiny Tots (Not Potty Trained): 1/2 Day $950 for summer, Full Day $1350 for summer; Potty Trained Tiney Tots up to

completing 4th grade: 1/2 Day $825 for summer, Full Day $1150 for the summer Additional Fees if needed:
Pick up an application, complete and return to Peace Lutheran School. Contact us at 863-763-7566 with questions.
Heather Thomas
okee.peace25@gmail.com
863-763-5766
https://www.peacelutheranschool-okeechobee.org/

Tender Care Daycare and Preschool, Inc.

Tender Care Daycare and Preschool, Inc.
604 SW 4th Street
Okeechobee, FL 34974
June 1 2026 to August 7 2026
6:30 am to 6 pm
We are a preschool and after care, our center is open year around except for certain holidays.
We accept private pay and SR students
This would cost 165.00 a week for children 6 to 12
Call 863-467-5588
Debbie, Tiffany or Megan
Tendercareschool@hotmail.com
863-467-5588

Cowboy & Cowgirl Heritage Camp

Alpha Ministries & Freedom Ranch
Freedom Ranch 11655 Hwy 441 SE Okeechobee FL 34974
June 1 & 3, June 8 & 9, June 13 & 17, July 6 & 8, July 27 & 29, & August 3 & 5 2026
8 am-12 pm is camp Drop off as early as 7:30 and pick up by 12:30
Our goal is to teach and expose children in Okeechobee ages 5-14 about horses, cattle, dutch oven cooking and Florida history. We also have games, water activities, arts and crafts, horse and beef education and fun and creative outdoor activities.
We are looking for kids aged 5-14 years old.
We have a $75 registration fee
Call 863-697-9898 or email freedomranchevents@yahoo.com or Facebook Freedom Ranch Okeechobee messenger
Angela Boney
freedomranchevents@yahoo.com
863-697-9898

Soldier Summer Camp

Rock Solid Christian Academy
401 SW 4th Street
June 8- July 24
7:30-5:15
RSCA provides recreational and educational summer care with a biblical worldview.
Completed Kindergarten-3rd grade
$125 per week
call 863-763-0164
Amanda Carver
amandac@rscasoldiers.com
863-763-0164

Vacation Bible School

VBS "Illumination Station"

First Baptist Church
ROC 310 SW 5th Avenue
June 15-18th Monday -Thursday
7:30-12:00
Bible Missions.Music.Crafts.Snacks.Recreation
Kindergarten-5th grades
No Cost-Free
online. fbcokee.org
Melanie
melanie@fbcokee.org
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https://www.fbcokee.org

More 2 Life VBS

More 2 Life Kids
M2L Church-
551 NE 39TH BLVD
OKEECHOBEE, FL 34972
July 20-24
5 PM - 8 PM
The More 2 Life Kids Vacation Bible School is designed to provide a safe, engaging, and faith-centered environment where children can learn biblical principles while building friendships and developing positive values. The program serves children in the local community by offering structured activities that include Bible lessons, interactive learning, crafts, music, games, and small group discussions. These experiences help children develop a stronger understanding of faith, character, and community in a supportive setting.
The More 2 Life Kids Vacation Bible School is a program designed to enrich kids ranging in ages of five to ten. In order to operate the program needs a high-quality curriculum, learning materials, snacks, and volunteer support. Age-appropriate curriculum is essential to ensure that biblical lessons are presented in a way that is engaging, understandable, and meaningful for children of different grade levels. Structured lesson plans, activity guides, and teaching resources help volunteers deliver consistent and impactful instruction throughout the program.
In addition to curriculum, the program requires a variety of educational materials and supplies. Craft materials, activity kits, teaching visuals, and hands-on learning tools allow children to actively participate in lessons and reinforce key messages through creative expression and interactive learning. These materials help make the program memorable and effective for young participants.
K-5th grade

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Summer Feeding Locations

Fort Drum Hitching Post Mobile Food Pick Up
32603 US Hwy 441N, Okeechobee
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
11:00 a.m. - 11:20 a.m. Monday -Thursday
Parents may pick up food for children age 18 and under. This is a Grab-N-Go Bus distribution. Children will receive breakfast and lunch for the day.
Children age 18 and under
If the children, you are picking up for are not present you will have to provide their names to the onsite team. There is a form that will be provided.
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McArthur Dairy Line 3
NE 207th St & US HWY 441
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
11:35 a.m. to 11:55 a.m. Monday-Thursday
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McArthur Dairy Housing
McArthur Dairy Road & South US HWY 441
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
12:10 p.m. to 12:30 p.m. Monday – Thursday
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Okeechobee Missionary Baptist Church
4212 US 441 North (parking lot)
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
12:45 p.m. 1:05 p.m. Monday – Thursday
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Summer Food Distribution Bethel Missionary Baptist Church
1258 NE 13th Ave., Okeechobee
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
10:45 a.m. 11:05 a.m. Monday – Thursday
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Summer Food Distribution Douglas Brown Community Center
826 NE 16th Ave, Okeechobee
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
11:20 a.m. - 11:40 a.m. Monday -Thursday
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Summer Food Distribution Dean's Court Area
NW 10th Ave & NW 11th St, Okeechobee
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
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Summer Food Distribution - 15A Area
SE 86th Blvd & SE 57th DR
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
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Summer Food Distribution - The Oaks at Shannon's Crossing
833 US 441
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
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Summer Food Distribution - Oak Park
SW 34th Terrace & SW 20th ST, Okeechobee
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
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Summer Food Distribution - Dewberry Area (1)
NW 34th & 2nd St., Okeechobee
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Summer Food Distribution - Dewberry Area (2)
NW 36th Terrace & NW 6th St., Okeechobee
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
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Summer Food Distribution - Kiwanis Park
350 NW 6th Ave., Okeechobee
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
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Summer Food Distribution - Christ Fellowship Church
701 S. Parrot Ave., Okeechobee (south parking lot)
June 3 - June 30th & July 1st - July 16th
12:30 p.m. to 12:50 p.m. Monday – Thursday
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Summer Food Distribution - Everglades Elementary
3725 SE 8th St, Okeechobee
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Summer Food Distribution - Seminole Elementary
2690 NW 42nd Ave., Okeechobee
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ACTIVE IN OKEECHOBEE

Summer already??? What activities have you planned for your children this summer, how about your teens? Children's Service Council has prepared this 2026 Summer Activity Guide to assist you in selecting activities appropriate for your children. Take a close look at all the activities; look for age appropriate programs, family-time opportunities, enrollment deadlines, fees (if applicable) and be sure to call the program to verify date, time and location.We hope this guide will assist you in finding several activities to keep your children safe, supervised, healthy and active this summer.

Many thanks to the community for providing information for this guide and to the many individuals that have donated time to insure the information is as complete and accurate as possible.

Not all summer activity camps are sponsored by or affiliated with the Children's Service Council.