

**Summer
Program
Opportunities
2024**

Grand Isle Supervisory Union

What is new with GISU Summer Programming?

GISU is excited to offer summer programming again!

What to know:

- Camps are held at school buildings
- Each camp is open to ALL students in GISU
- Programs serve students in different grade ranges
- There are camps for students in grades K-9
- All camps are FREE

*We cannot offer tuition dollars for partner organizations this year or moving forward.

Contact summerfun@gisu.org with any questions.

How to Register:

Registration:

Complete the Summer Programming Registration Form that is linked on slide 16.

- Only one registration form is needed per family.
- Registration is done by the week rather than by the camp.

Priority Deadline:

March 15, 2024* in order to be entered into the lottery.

Acceptance:

Acceptance or notification of placement on the waitlist will be sent to families no later than **April 5, 2024**.

*Applications to camps/programs will still be accepted after the registration deadline if there is capacity in the program to accept more students.

Lottery System:

All camps have a certain number of students they can serve. Spots will be filled using a lottery process.

Lottery Process:

- First priority to applications received by March 15th
- Second round will be for applications received after March 15th
- Siblings will be entered into the lottery together.

Please Note:

- Only register for camps you know your child is available to attend.
- You do not need to sign up for every week of camp.
- If you register for a camp and are unable to attend, please email the camp director as well as summerfun@gisu.org so that the spot can be offered to another student.

Transportation Information

Transportation will be provided to the greatest extent possible to all summer camps.

- Additional transportation information will be sent out after enrollment is complete.



Summer Program Overview

Week 1: June 24th - June 28th

- CARES Camp at Grand Isle School
- Adventure Camp at Grand Isle School
- Cooking Camp at Grand Isle School
- Wilderness Skills Club at Folsom School

Week 2: July 1st - July 5th

- CARES Camp at Grand Isle School

Week 3: July 8th - July 12th

- CARES Camp at Grand Isle School
- Alburgh Summer Program at Alburgh School
- Library Camp at Grand Isle School
- All Sports Camp at Alburgh School

Week 4: July 15th - July 19th

- CARES Camp at Grand Isle School
- Alburgh Summer Program at Alburgh School
- Rosie's Girls at Alburgh School
- Floor Hockey Camp at Alburgh School

Week 5: July 22nd - July 26th

- CARES Camp at Grand Isle School
- Alburgh Summer Program at Alburgh School
- Archery Camp at Alburgh School
- Pedal Power Bicycle Club at Folsom School

Week 6: July 29th - August 2nd

- Alburgh Summer Program at Alburgh School
- Art Camp at North Hero School
- Survival Camp at Alburgh School
- Challenger Soccer at Folsom School

Week 7: August 12th - August 16th

- Watershed Wigglers Camp at Folsom School

Week by Week Offerings

Week 1: June 24th- June 28th



Camp	<u>CARES Camp</u>	<u>Adventure Camp</u>	<u>Wilderness Skills Club</u>	<u>Cooking Camp</u>
Days	M-F	M-F	M-F	M-F
Hours	8:30 - 4:00	8:30 - 4:00	8:30 - 4:00	8:30 - 12:00
Location	Grand Isle School	Grand Isle School	Folsom	Grand Isle School
Grades Served	Incoming 1-6	Incoming 6-9	Incoming 4-6	Incoming 4-6

Week 2: July 1st - July 5th



Camp	<u>CARES Camp</u>
Days	M-W No camp 7/4-7/5
Hours	8:30 - 4:00
Location	Grand Isle School
Grades Served	Incoming 1-6

Week 3: July 8th - July 12th



Camp	CARES Camp	Alburgh Summer Program	Library Camp	All Sports Camp
Days	M-F	M-F	M-F	M-F
Hours	8:30 - 4:00	8:30 - 1:00	8:30 - 12	12:30 - 4:00
Location	Grand Isle School	Alburgh School	Grand Isle School	Alburgh School
Grades Served	Incoming 1-6	Incoming K-9	Incoming 4-6	Incoming 1-3

Week 4: July 15th - July 19th



Camp	<u>CARES Camp</u>	<u>Alburgh Summer Program</u>	<u>Rosie's Girls</u>	<u>Floor Hockey Camp</u>
Days	M-F	M-F	M-F	M-F
Hours	8:30 - 4:00	8:30 - 1:00	12:30-4:00	12:30-4:00
Location	Grand Isle School	Alburgh School	Alburgh School	Alburgh School
Grades Served	Incoming 1-6	Incoming K-9	Incoming 4-9	Incoming 4-6

Week 5: July 22nd - July 26th



Camp	CARES Camp	Alburgh Summer Program	Archery Camp	Pedal Power Bicycle Club
Days	M and T *No Camp W-Fr	M-F	M-F	M-F
Hours	8:30 - 4:00	8:30 - 1:00	12:30-4:00	8:30 - 4:00
Location	Grand Isle School	Alburgh School	Alburgh School	Folsom School
Grades Served	Incoming 1-6	Incoming K-9	Incoming 7-9	Incoming 6-8

Week 6: July 29th - August 2nd



Camp	<u>Alburgh Summer Program</u>	<u>Art Camp</u>	<u>Survival Camp</u>	<u>Challenger Soccer</u>
Days	M-F	M-F	M-F	M-F
Hours	8:30 - 1:00	8:30-12:00	12:30-4:00	*Depends on the grades
Location	Alburgh School	North Hero School	Alburgh School	Folsom School
Grades Served	Incoming K-9	Incoming 1-6	Incoming 6-8	All Grade Levels

Week 7: August 12th - August 16th



Camp	<u>Watershed</u> <u>Wigglers Camp</u>
Days	M-F
Hours	8:30 - 4:00
Location	Folsom School
Grades Served	Incoming 2-4

Registration Form

Note: Only one registration form is required per family. Please reach out to summerfun@gisu.org if you have any questions regarding registration.



REGISTER HERE!!!



Camp Descriptions

C.A.R.E.S. Camp

Activities include: Water Play, STEAM activities, Arts and Crafts, Sensory Play, Several Field Trips

Location:	Grand Isle School
Dates:	Monday - Friday 6/24/24-7/23/24
Times:	8:30am - 4:00pm
Incoming Grades:	1-6
Max Capacity:	60



Summer Program - Alburgh School

- Monday - Friday 8:30am-12:30pm from July 8 - August 2
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by GISU staff
- Activities include:
 - Academics
 - Art
 - Social-Emotional Learning
 - Physical Education
 - Cooking
 - Field Trips
- Max Capacity: 80



Adventure Camp - Grand Isle School

- Monday - Friday 8:30am-4:00pm from June 24th-28th
- Incoming Grades 6-9
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Mr. Foster
- Program Overview:
 - Daycation at Smuggler's Notch
 - Kayaking in North Hero
 - Rock Climbing at MetroRock Essex
 - Hiking at Camels Hump
 - Fishing at Knights Point
- Max Capacity: 12



Wilderness Skills Camp - Folsom School



- Monday - Friday 8:30am-4:00pm from June 24th-28th
- GISU students grades 4-6 welcome to sign up
- Hosted by South Hero Land Trust
- Program Overview:
 - This is a club for students interested in learning skills to thrive in the woods, as well as deepen their connection with the natural world. Based at the South Hero Recreation Park, we will also spend time in the Folsom Learning Garden, as well as nearby conserved natural areas.
 - In giving credit to the Abenaki and other Indigenous cultures, we will explore the differences between appreciation vs appropriation, as well as the importance of honoring tribal sovereignty. Through a progression of hands-on activities, we will cover shelter building, firemaking, cooking, edible and poisonous plants ID, bird languages, fishing, ethical wildcrafting, tracking, using natural materials to make ropes, tools & art, and more. With an ethos of safety and reciprocity, this camp will give students the knowledge to enjoy the outdoors, be good stewards of the land, as well as gain a better appreciation for the peoples who have maintained these traditional ecological skills since time immemorial.
- Max Capacity: 16

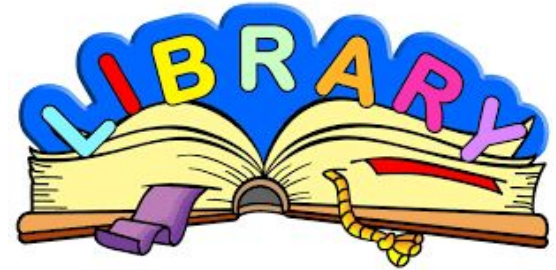
Let's Cook! - Grand Isle School



- Monday - Friday 8:30am-12pm from June 24th-28th
- GISU students grades 4-6 welcome to sign up
- Program Overview:
 - A half day camp for grades 4-6 that will reinforce fraction concepts using food and recipes. Students will spend time playing math games and applying their knowledge of fractions to successfully read recipes. Together we will cook, practice, and play!
- Hosted by Ms. Peat
- Max Capacity: 15

Library Learners Camp - Grand Isle School

- Monday-Thursday 8:30am - 12:00pm from July 8th -12th
- All GISU Students Grades 4-6 welcome to sign up
- Hosted By Ms. Drasler
- Program Overview:
 - Library Camp will help students to learn more about the library. From cataloging to online research, students will have the chance to gain important literary skills.
 - Activities will include: book making, sharing stories, research projects, cataloging and more. Students will also have the chance to check out books to read over the summer.
- Max Capacity: 10



All Sports Camp - Alburgh School

- Monday - Friday 12:30pm-4:00pm from July 8th-12th
- Incoming Grades 1-3
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Mr. Foster
- Program Overview: learn a different sport each day!
 - Hockey
 - Racquet Sports
 - Soccer
 - Diamond Sports
 - Golf
- Max Capacity: 20



Rosie's Girls - Alburgh School

- Monday - Friday 12:30pm-4:00pm from July 8th-12th
- All GISU students who identify as females incoming grades 4-9 are welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Ms. Ashline
- Program Overview:
 - Rosie's Girls® is a STEM, trades, and career exploration program for middle school girls entering grades 5-8. At Rosie's Girls summer camps, participants are introduced to a career field that is non-traditional for their gender through hands-on learning in a supportive and empowering environment.
- Max Capacity: 12



[Rosie's Girls Video 1](#)

[Rosie's Girls Video 2](#)

Floor Hockey Camp - Alburgh School

- Monday - Friday 12:30pm-4:00pm from July 8th-12th
- Incoming Grades 4-9
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Mr. Foster
- Program Overview:
 - Students will learn to play floor hockey in a safe and positive manner. Development of skills and drills during the week will transition into actual floor hockey games. Students will learn to handle the puck/ball on both their forehand and backhand sides, passing, shooting, positions and roles of each position, faceoffs, and overall strategy associated with the game.
- Max Capacity: 20



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Archery Camp - Alburgh School

- Monday - Friday 12:30pm-4:00pm from July 22nd-26th
- Incoming Grades 6-9
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Mr. Foster
- Program Overview:
 - Students will learn the safety and skills to successfully practice archery
- Max Capacity: 12



Pedal Power Bicycle Camp - Folsom School

- Monday - Friday 8:30am-4:00pm from July 22nd-26th
- GISU students grades 6-8 welcome to sign up
- Hosted by South Hero Land Trust
- Program Overview:
 - Let's explore South Hero and the surrounding area by bicycle! As a group we will bike to apple orchards, vegetable farms, local businesses, natural areas, beaches, and museums, some of which will include meetings and tours with local community members. For our two "big days" we will bike and ferry to Burlington and then to Plattsburgh. We may also engage in a volunteer service project related to food security or similar, details TBD.
 - We'll also do bicycle-themed games, including relay races, obstacle courses, and more. Sprinkled throughout will be mini-lessons on bike safety, rules of the road, signaling, bike mechanics, repair, adjustments, and tune-ups, so that students come away empowered with the skills to enjoy the lifelong freedom that bicycling provides. We will have extra bikes and helmets available to borrow for anyone who needs one.
 - Contact guy@shlt.org to learn more.
- Max Capacity: 16



Art Camp - North Hero School

- Monday - Friday 8:30pm-12:00pm from July 29th-August 2nd
- Incoming Grades 1-6
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Ms. Thibault
- Program Overview:
 - During art camp, we will explore different art mediums! We will complete projects like rock gardens and dot paintings. We will also spend some time outdoors!
- Max Capacity: 12



Survival Camp - Alburgh School

- Monday - Friday 12:30pm-4:00pm from July 29th-August 2nd
- Incoming Grades 6-9
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Mr. Foster
- Program Overview:
 - Learn essential safety skills and how to utilize outdoor survival tools for your outdoor adventures!
- Max Capacity: 12



Champlain Islands International Soccer Camp – Folsom School

- Monday-Friday July 29th - August 2nd
 - Tiny Tikes - Ages 3-6, 12:15pm-1:00pm
 - Half Day - Ages 6-10, 9:00am - 12:00pm
 - Full Day - Ages 8-14, 9:00am - 3:00 pm
- All GISU students welcome to sign up
- Hosted by Challenger International Soccer Camps and assisted by Ms. Kendrach
- GISU families will register through
- GISU summer registration only



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Watershed Wigglers Camp - Folsom School

- Monday - Friday 8:30am-4:00pm from August 12th-16th
- GISU students grades 2-4 welcome to sign up
- Hosted by South Hero Land Trust
- Program Overview:
 - Let's celebrate our watershed! At this camp, based at the outdoor classroom at the South Hero Rec Park (next to Folsom), we will connect deeply with our watershed through art, play, music, science, and more. Using the pond as our muse, we will make friends with amphibians, dragonflies, cattails, swallows, and other creatures who inhabit the area, do science experiments to determine various water quality factors, learn to design our own water filters, engage in restoration projects to protect wetland habitat, and more!
- Max Capacity: 16

