Summer Camps 2014
Many dates to be announced

Audubon Nature Camp Huntington, VT 802-434-3068
http://vt.audubon.org/day-camps
Ages 3-12, CIT ages 14-17. Day camp.

Bellwether School Williston, VT 802-863-4839
http://www.bellwetherschool.org/our-programs/summer-program
One and two week themed programs for ages 4-8 and 8-13

Camp Agape Vermont Covenant Hills Christian Camp, Cabot, VT 802-988-9965
info@campagapevermont.org.
A free, week-long camp for children in Vermont, who have experienced a parent’s incarceration.

Camp Akeela Strafford, VT 866-680-4744
http://www.campakeela.com
Akeela is a small, co-ed supportive sleep-away camp for children ages 9-16. Akeela has camps for social skills, Aspergers, Non-verbal learning disorder/r, and for older campers in 11th grade and beyond. Session One: June 28-July 21 and Session Two: July 24-August 16

Camp Allen Bedford, NH
http://www.campallennh.org/ 603-622-8471
Camp Allen provides opportunities for growth, friendship and fun for children and adults with cognitive and/or physical disabilities. Counselor to Camper ratio is 2:1. 1:1 also available. Fully accessible.

Camp Come As You Are Bedford, NH 603-622-8471
http://www.lpadistrictone.org/camp-caya.html
Camp CAYA, is family camping experience for New England families with dwarf children, teens, siblings and parents of all sizes. The camp is hosted by Camp Allen.

Camp Communicate Pine Tree Camp, Rome, ME 207-443-3341
www.pinetreesociety.org/camp_communicate.asp
An innovative weekend designed for children, who are non-verbal and who use augmentative communication, to communicate. Child attends with a parent/caregiver. Fully accessible. Friday, August 22-24

Camp Compass at The Stern Center Williston, VT 802-878-2332 ext 323
http://www.sterncenter.org/programs-services/summer-opportunities
A one week, half day, activity-based camp experience to promote social learning for students that find it challenging to navigate their way in social situations.

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Camp Dartmouth-Hitchcock  Lake Morey, Fairlee, VT 603-650-4988  
Camp provides children and adolescents with juvenile arthritis and rheumatic diseases a social opportunity, at a fun camp, to meet others with similar diagnosis. Focus for those attending is on personal growth and independence. Sunday, August 17-23

Camp Daybreak  Camp Thorpe, Goshen, VT 802-223-6263
http://www.campdaybreak.com/  
Camp Daybreak is a one-week residential program of Vermont Association for Mental Health, for Vermont children ages 8-11 with a range of social, emotional and behavioral needs. Campers are paired with high school or college-age volunteer.  
August 10- August 17

Camp Exclamation Point  Camp Aloha Hive, W. Fairlee, VT 802-234-0016
http://www.campexclamationpoint.org/  
Camp Exclamation Point provides continuity and community to rural underserved Vermont kids through a week-long summer residential camp. For children currently in grades 3 through 8.

Camp For Me  Stowe High School, VT 802-338-7382
http://camp4me.org/  
Camp For Me is a day camp for adopted Vermont children and teens. Camp ages 7-13. Teen Leadership ages 14-17. Bus service is available from Burlington, Williston and Waterbury.  
Session One: July 7-11. Session Two: July 14-18

Camp Kaleidoscope: Families Celebrating the Autism Spectrum  Starksboro, VT 800-430-2667
Celebrating families with kids on the Autism Spectrum. Family camp with programs for children aged 3-12. Aids may attend for free.  
June 28- July 1

Camp Maple Leaf  Wallingford VT 802-446-3577
http://mapleleafclinic.com/camp.htm  
A fun, day camp experience, that focuses on the development of social skills and leisure/recreation skills for children and teens with Nonverbal Learning Disabilities, Asperger’s Syndrome, High Functioning Autism, or PDD-NOS.

Camp Paw Paw  Chittenden Humane Society, South Burlington, VT 802-862-0135
http://www.chittendenhumane.org/programs-services/camp-paw-paw  
A summer camp for children ages 7-12, who love animals and want to learn more about them. This is a hands-on learning experience where children will learn about proper pet care, animal safety, and animal-related careers, allowing them to become skilled animal caretakers and ambassadors for animal welfare.

Camp Pride  New Durham, NH  781-961-1023
http://www.blindcitizens.org/camp.htm  
Camp Pride is a summer camp for children and young teens in New England who are blind or visually impaired.
Camp Promise  Easter Seals Camp Hemlock, Hebron CT  206-931-8067
http://camppromise.org/index.php
Camp Promise is a free residential camp for children 6+, including adults with neuromuscular disorders. Transitions Program for teens and adult campers (learn about going to college, job opportunities, assistive technology, dating and sexuality). Free for campers.

Camp Rainbow  Rainbow Farm, Georgia VT  802-393-6649
http://www.ncssinc.org/developmental-services/camp-rainbow
For children with Autism to enjoy a fun, stimulating, creative summer camp experience in which to refresh and strengthen behavioral, communication, social and academic skill in preparation for the next school year. Parent Retreat and Sibshop programs offered.

Camp Ramapo  Rhinebeck, NY  845-876-8403
www.ramapoforchildren.org/camp/our-camp-programs
Learn and grow at our traditional residential summer camp experience for children aged 6 to 16 with social, emotional or learning challenges including children affected by autism spectrum disorders.

Camp Starfish  Rindge, NH  978-368-6580
http://www.campstarfish.org/camps.html
Day camp, overnight camps, and year-round programs for children and teens aged 5+ in New England, who would benefit from extra support. Overnight camps provide a 1:1 staff-to-camper ratio to enable success, build social skills, teach coping mechanisms, and help children who have difficulty finding success in traditional settings. Some campers have a diagnosis of an ASD, or a social, emotional or other mental health disorder.

Camp Ta-Kum-Ta  South Hero, VT  802-372-5863
http://www.takumta.org/
Camp Ta-Kum-Ta is for children ages 7-17 who have or have had cancer and who live in Vermont or receive treatment in Vermont. Camp T-K-T is “where kids go to reclaim a childhood robbed by cancer.” Weekend winter camps for children, a Mom’s retreat, and sibling programs.
July 27- August 2

Camp Thorpe  Goshen, VT  802-247-6611
http://www.campthorpe.org/calendar/
Mountain Reach (ages 10 to 20) Mountain Reach accepts children with a variety of physical and developmental challenges including cerebral palsy, epilepsy, muscular dystrophy, moderate emotional difficulties, Down syndrome and abuse histories. Campers receive individual care, close supervision, assistance with participation in activities and a caring structured environment. Pine Haven (ages 21 and over) Campers accepted are primarily developmentally disabled. However, some campers are physically challenged or may have moderate behavioral concerns. Camp activities are designed to be fun and age appropriate.
June 22- July 4, July 6- July 18, July 20- August 1, August 3- August 9

Catamount Outdoor Center  Williston, VT  802-879-6001
http://catamountoutdoor.com/camps-overview/
Day camps at Catamount Outdoor Center for ages 6 through adult. Camps include Mountain Bike Camp, Running Camp and Visual Arts Camp.

Champlain Sailing Center  Waterfront Burlington, VT  802-864-2499
Youth Summer Camps:  http://communitysailingcenter.org/programs/youth/
Adaptive Watersports:  http://communitysailingcenter.org/community/adaptive/

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**Codding Hollow Therapeutic Learning Camp**  Hope Grows Community Farm, Hyde Park, VT
802-635-3528
http://events.r20.constantcontact.com/register/event?oeidk=a07e7dcy58da7f7fa7bllr=qej9y6lab
A playful approach to social cognition, self-regulation and academic support.
Session One: July 22- July 26 and Session Two: July 29- August 2, possible 3rd session.

**Double H Hole in the Wall Camp** Lake Luzerne, NY 518-696-5676
www.doublehranch.org
Double H Ranch provides specialized camping and year-round support for children and their families dealing with critical or life-threatening illnesses. Residential Camp is for ages 6-16 and the Alumni program is for ages 17-21. All programs are free. Spring and Fall offer themed weekends, including children with cancer, women with cancer, spina bifida, diabetes, and for siblings and/or child of someone with serious illness or who have died. Adaptive ski weekends in winter. Fully accessible.

**Easter Seals of Vermont** Berlin, VT 802-223-4744
http://nh.easterseals.com/site/PageServer?pagename=NHDR_camp_sno mo
The Easter Seals Camping Program at Camp Sno Mo in Gilmanton, NH offers six one-week sessions of overnight recreational opportunities for children and young adults with developmental, physical or emotional disabilities. Easter Seals camps provide accessible traditional summer camp activities including swimming, fishing, boating, arts and crafts, hiking and archery.

**Echo Summer Science Camps** Burlington, VT 877-324-6386
http://www.echovermont.org/events/camps.html
School vacation and summer camps for grades K-8.

**Epilepsy Foundation of Vermont** Rutland, VT 802-775-1686
http://www.epilepsylvt.org/scholarships.html
Offers scholarship for Vermont children with seizure disorder to attend camp of choice. Up to $100/year.

**Essex Parks and Recreation** Essex, VT 802-878-1341
http://www.essex.org/index.asp>Type=B_BASIC&SEC={74939B84-F49B-43C6-BF3A-AE918DAD3FAE}
School vacation and summer camps for school aged children.

**Farm and Wilderness** Plymouth, VT 802-422-3761
http://www.farmandwilderness.org/summer-camps
Summer camps and year-round programs in Plymouth, VT for children and teens ages 4-17.

**Farmhouse Center Equestrian and Sports Camp** Colchester VT 802-872-8712
Open to all children. Weekly day program for children ages 6-17. Toddler program for ages 3-6. Riding, sports, arts, culinary arts, gardening, and field trips.

**Flynn Arts** Burlington, VT 802-652-4548 ext 4

**Green Mountain Council, Cub Scout and Boy Scout Camps**
http://www.scoutingvermont.org/camping
Camp is generally organized through child’s local Boy Scout troop or pack.

**Joslin Diabetes Center**  617-309-2400
http://www.joslin.org/info/choosing_a_summer_camp.html
Camping, sports and fun combined with diabetes education and support to give children with diabetes, and their families, the tools they need to live happy, healthy, balanced lives.
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Camp Joslin residential summer camp for boys ages 6-16, in Charlton, MA
Clara Barton Camp residential summer camp for girls ages 6-16, in North Oxford, MA
Family Camp residential summer camp for entire families (parents and siblings) with at least one child (boy and/or girl, 6-16) who has insulin-dependent diabetes, in North Oxford, MA
Adventure Programs Coed Adventure programs for boys and girls ages 13-18

Kids Culinary Camp Highgate, VT 802-868-3030
http://kidsculinary.com/services
Kids Culinary Camp is a residential and day camp offering one and two-week sessions where kids 10 and up learn a variety of cooking skills in a fun atmosphere with other kids who like to cook.

Kroka Expeditions Marlow, NH 603-835-9087
http://www.kroka.org/page/index.shtml
Ages 6-18. Expeditions is committed to awakening in young people a connection to nature and the spirit within, and a capacity for conscious living and compassionate service. We strive to achieve this through wilderness adventure, community living, farming, and the practice of traditional and indigenous skills.

Lake Champlain Maritime Museum, Discover Champlain Vergennes, VT 802-475-2022 ext 113
http://www.lcmm.org/education/champlain_discovery.htm
This exciting co-educational program will give ten individuals, age 13-16, the opportunity to build a 17' sea kayak, then launch their newly built boats and embark on a 11-day paddling and camping exploration of Lake Champlain. Students own the kayak they build upon completion of the program.

I Can Shine Various locations throughout USA 610-647-4176
http://icanshine.org. The Camp provides quality learning opportunities for individuals with disabilities. By creating an environment where each person is empowered to maximize their individual abilities, everyone can shine.

Montshire Museum Norwich, VT 802-649-2200
http://montshire.org/programs/summer-camp/
Summer day camps with a focus on science and nature for preschoolers through 8th grade.

Lotus Lake Camp Williamstown, VT 802-433-5451
http://www.lotuslakecamp.com/
Coed Day camp, 8 weeks, M-F. Full day: ages 6-14; half-day for age 4/5.

http://www.newenglandhemophilia.org/programs.html
Four day camp for families with children 6 mo.-15 years with bleeding disorders. Teens aged 16 and 17 can be Junior Counselors. Medical staff from the Hemophilia Treatment Centers staff the camp. July 23-26, 2014.

Night Eagle Wilderness Adventures Cuttingsville, VT 802-446-6100
www.nighteaglewilderness.com
A unique summer camp for boys ages 10-14. Night Eagle is based on earth based cultures and is designed to build a boy's self-confidence and foster a better understanding of native peoples and their relationship to the earth.

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In the Hawaiian language, *ohana* means family, community, a circle of good friends. The camp we call Ohana brings families and friends together to refresh and celebrate their ties, and build new ones with others who enjoy living simply for a time in the out-of-doors, and sharing all that nature has to offer.

**Ohana Family Camp**  
Fairlee, VT 802-333-3400  
[www.ohanacamp.org](http://www.ohanacamp.org)  

Partners In Adventure, Burlington, S. Burlington and Essex, VT 802-425-2638  
[http://www.partnersinadventure.org](http://www.partnersinadventure.org)  

Serving campers with and without disabilities ages 8 through 25. A wide variety of activities are offered for young people with a full range of physical and intellectual abilities. Ages 8 through 25

**Petra Cliffs**, Burlington, VT 802-657-3872  
[www.petracliffs.com](http://www.petracliffs.com)  

One week day camps for ages 6-14 and Overnight Wilderness Expeditions for ages 10-16.

**Rosies Girls Summer Day Camp**  
Essex or Barre, Vermont 800-639-1472  

Rosie's Girls is a three week summer day camp for girls entering 6th-8th grades that encourages participants to develop and strengthen their capacities and confidence and helps them expand their perception of the range of educational and career options that are attainable in an atmosphere that is fun, supportive and positive.  
Essex, VT Session June 23- July 11 or Barre, VT Session July 21- August 8

**The Schoolhouse**  
South Burlington, VT 802-355-7023  

The Schoolhouse nurtures each child’s natural love of learning and helps each child assume responsibility for learning and proceed at her/his own pace. The Schoolhouse is a family-centered, consciously diverse school for children in early K through 6th grade. Ages 5-13.

**Silver Towers Camp**  
Ripton, VT 802-775-9756  
[www.silvertowerscamp.org](http://www.silvertowerscamp.org)  

Silver Towers Camp is an extraordinary one or two-week residential camp for exceptional people ages six to seventy-five whom are physically and mentally challenged. Supported by Vermont ELKS.

**Siskin Coutts Camp**  
Derby, VT 802-673-5638  

A non-profit, co-educational residential and day camp for boys and girls aged 3-15. Bear Cub Science Camps for ages 3-6, Day Camp for ages 5-12, Residential Camp for ages 8-15, Canoe Camp for ages 9-15, and Teen Adventure Camps for ages 12-15.

**Talent Development Institute**  
Johnson State College, VT 802-658-9941  

The Talent Development Institute is a program for gifted students’ grade 4-9. The Institute combines the relaxed atmosphere of a summer camp with new academic and creative opportunities.

**Transitional Services for Youth and Families**  
Busy Bodies Day Camp 802-863-4130  
[http://www.tsyf.org/Social_Services.html](http://www.tsyf.org/Social_Services.html)  

This camp is for children ages 5-12 with academic, social and other challenges and would like to enjoy fun and interactive activities to make their summer positive and enjoyable.

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**Zeno Mountain Farm Camp** Lincoln VT 802-453-4663  
http://zenomountainfarm.org/camps/  
Zeno Mountain Farm is an organization that runs camps for people with and without disabilities. Everyone works together so all can experience a life full of creativity, adventure, fun and community. This month-long camp brings people together in Lincoln, Vermont. We participate in pottery, dancing, music, acting, poetry, art, sports and adventures in the community.

**VSA The State Organization on Arts and Disability** Winooski, VT 802-655-7772  
http://www.vsavt.org/events/upcoming/  
Connect the experience of riding and being with horses with art activities that encourage self expression and creativity.

**Vermont Adaptive Ski and Sports** 802-786-4991  
http://www.vermontadaptive.org/index.php  
Vermont Adaptive Ski and Sports is committed to empowering individuals with disabilities. We promote independence and further equality through access and instruction to sports and recreational opportunities. Year round programs across Vermont.

**Vermont Youth Conservation Corp** Richmond, VT 802-434-3969  
http://www.vycc.org/about/programs/  
Several opportunities for youth aged 16+. Work and Leadership experience, school credit, trail and farm programs. LEAP Program for youth who are blind or visually impaired.

**YMCA Day Camps** Various sites across northern Vermont  
http://www.gbymca.org/youth-development/camp/other/  

- **YMCA Camp Greylock** KingsIsland Bay State Park Ferrisburgh, VT 802-655-9622  

- **YMCA Camp Abnaki** North Hero, VT 802-372-8275  
  Boys residential camp, ages 7-16. Day camp also offered for ages 6-10

- **YWCA Camp Hochelaga** South Hero, VT 802-862-7520  
  [www.ywca.org/vermont/camp](www.ywca.org/vermont/camp)  
  Girls residential camp, ages 6-17 on Lake Champlain.

**YouthBuild, A program of ReSource Vermont**  
Burlington, VT 802-658-4143 ext 27 or Barre, VT 802-477-7800 ext 12  
http://www.retrainvt.org/retrain/youthbuild  
YouthBuild is for Chittenden and Washington County youth and young adults aged 16-24 who have dropped out of high school and need comprehensive development and job training. Participants spend 6 to 24 months in the program, dividing their time between the construction site and the YouthBuild alternative classroom. The program includes school completion, job training, community service, leadership development, and being part of community.