# Summer Camp 2022 Themes

(Extra Dates: Monday, August 22<sup>nd</sup> and Tuesday, August 23<sup>rd</sup>-NO THEME)

• Week 1 (June 6<sup>th</sup>-10<sup>th</sup>): "Clowning Around"-Discover the thrill of the circus! We know our campers love to showcase their special talents, and we love seeing it all! A circus show is more than just clown performers; shows may include acrobats, trapeze acts, musicians, hoops, jugglers and so much more. This week campers will have the opportunity to discover their inner showman under the BIG TOP!

### Mystic Waters Family Aquatic Center

• Week 2 (June 13<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>): "Crazy National Day Holidays"-Nothing beats a day of celebrations, except 365 of them! America is a bit of an odd nation, so it's no wonder it has so many fun, crazy and weird national holidays. From *National Pizza Day* to *National Bubble Wrap Appreciation Day*, join us as we celebrate and discover where all these seemingly random days came to be.

### Cypress Cove Family Aquatic Park

• Week 3 (June 20<sup>th</sup>-24<sup>th</sup>): "Hawaiian Hullabaloo"- Bring your leis, grass skirts, Hawaiian shirts, and coconuts for our Hawaiian Luau dance, we are celebrating our summer Flying High Hawaiian style! Campers will participate in water and land games, learn water safety, make fun beach scene crafts, and learn water science.

## **o** Wheeling Family Aquatic Center

• Week 4 (June 27<sup>th</sup>-July 1<sup>st</sup>): "Color and Create"- Let's enjoy the weather, explore the colors of the rainbow and create fun art projects by playing with Sidewalk Chalk. Compare to the toys and technology available to today, chalk might be considered a little bit to old-school; however, it offers a world of options in the way of art and games, both indoors and outdoors. Prepare to get messy as we make camp colorful this week!

### o Rainbow Falls Waterpark

• Week 5 (July 4<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup>): "Pajama USA Celebration"-Oh say can you see...another fun amazing week of camp! Help us celebrate all we love about the USA while rocking our most comfortable jammies. That's right, do nothing more than roll out of bed, show up to camp, be ready to have fun as we celebrate the birth of our country.

## o Mystic Waters Family Aquatic Center

• Week 6 (July 11<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>): "Outdoor Explorers"- Most kids love an adventure, and what's better than exploring the great outdoors! Great adventures combine with a little play every day helps develop healthy, curious and active kids. This great combination is also a great recipe for growing tomorrow's environmentally aware adults.

#### o The Morton Arboretum

• Week 7 (July 18<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>): "Backyard Bash"- The summer months mean outdoor play! A backyard is nothing, but one's own personal oasis! We don't have a backyard, but we sure do have an amazing gym. From Jenga to Capture the Flay, everybody gets a turn this week. Let's play the outdoor games we love, and the ones we can't wait to master!

#### o Rice Pool & Water Park

• Week 8 (July 25<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup>): "Birthday Celebration"-Because every day is someone's birthday! Birthdays are important because they give everyone a day to feel special. They remind us that we're growing older, but birthdays also symbolize how far we've come. This week we will celebrate past, upcoming and future birthdays. A week full of celebrations to show our appreciation to our special campers!

# **o** Wheeling Family Aquatic Center

• Week 9 (Aug 1<sup>st</sup>-5<sup>th</sup>): "Aquapalooza"- Beat the Heat!! Summer is not complete without all the water fun a kid can stand. This water extravaganza week will be the best week because hydration is the highway to happiness. Be prepared to get wet!

### o Rainbow Falls Waterpark

• Week 10 (Aug 8<sup>th</sup>-12<sup>th</sup>): "Ice Age Giants"-We will be STOMPING back! Imagine living at a time when giant mammals roamed the earth. Sloths were as tall as houses, and armadillos were as big as a small car! This week we will explore what life was like during the Ice Age and learned about the enormous animals that our human ancestors lived alongside with.

#### o Brookfield Zoo

• Week 11 (Aug 15<sup>th</sup>-19<sup>th</sup>): "Everything is Awesome!"-Welcome to Emmett's LEGO world! Emmett created the double-decker couch, what can you build out of Legos? There is more to Legos than just being a fun toy that keeps kids occupied for hours; one may see the educational and development benefits for kids. Prepare for a full-week LEGO camp packed with hands-on and minds-on STEM fun!

# o LEGOLAND Discovery Center Chicago