

# LOWER NAZARETH TOWNSHIP 2023 SUMMER PARK PROGRAM REGISTRATION FORM

**\*\*\* Children must be at least 5 years old and under 11 years old at the start of the program \*\*\***  
\*7/21/12\*6/26/18\*

Child's Name	Birthdate	Grade (Current)
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Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City, State & Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Guardian's Name	Home Phone
Cell Phone	Work Phone
Parent/Guardian's Name	Home Phone
Cell Phone	Work Phone

Parents/Guardians' Email Addresses  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
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**\*\*\* VERY IMPORTANT \*\*\***  
 ALL NOTIFICATIONS WILL BE THROUGH  
 NIXLE. TEXT "SUMMERPARK" TO 888777

Emergency Contact <small>(other than parent/guardian)</small>	Name	Phone

The following Individual(s) (other than parents/guardians) may drop off my child(ren) or my child(ren) can be released to them:

Please have the below individuals text "SUMMERPARK" to 888777 to receive all summer park related notifications

Name	Relationship	Phone Number

Parent/Guardian Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*\* NO REFUNDS WILL BE GIVEN UNDER ANY CIRCUMSTANCES \*\*\***

Township Use Only:

Resident	\$ 225.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	
Non-Resident	\$ 250.00	<input type="checkbox"/>	
<small>Resident or Non-Resident          More Than One Child - \$25.00          Discount on Each Additional Child</small>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

Payment Received \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Check # \_\_\_\_\_

Accepted By: \_\_\_\_\_



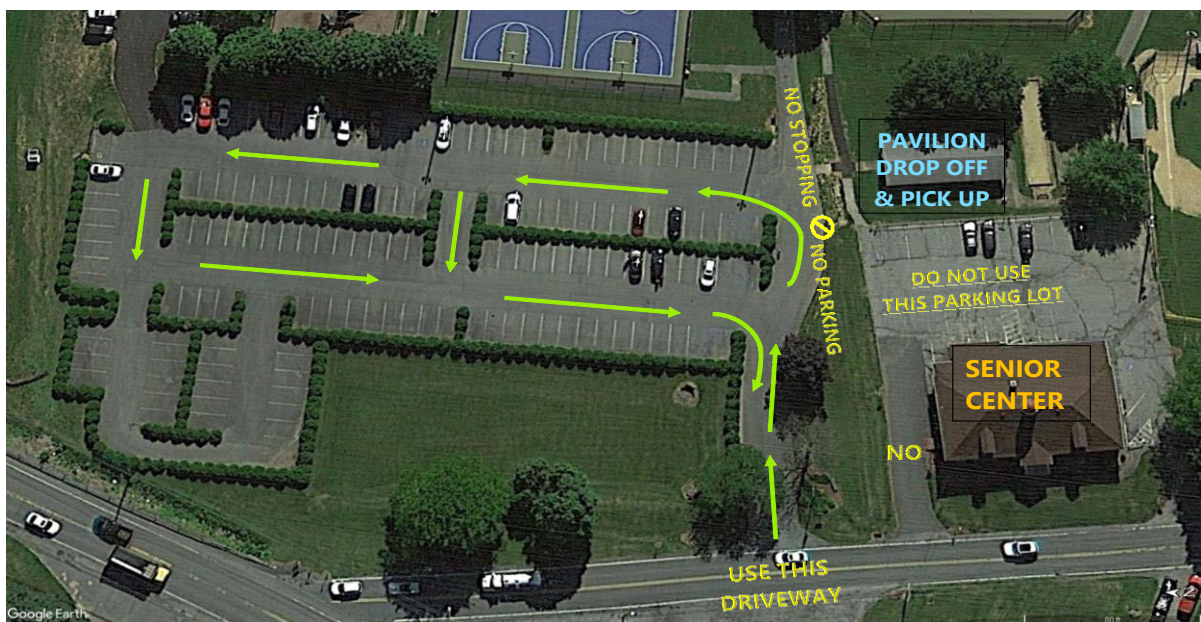
Dear Parents (Guardians) and Park Attendees:

Welcome to the Lower Nazareth Township Summer Park Program. The staff has put a great deal of time and effort into planning another exciting and enjoyable summer. For the program to be a success we have implemented the policies listed below. Please thoroughly review the guidelines and sign on the back if you agree with the terms.

### **PARKING & DROP OFF PROCEDURE**

- **The Township Building Parking Lot (smaller lot between township building and pavilion) is being utilized by the Senior Center. VERY IMPORTANT: NO PARKING - DURING DROP OFF or PICK UP is permitted from this lot. The Senior Center opens at 9 AM with seniors arriving to park in the smaller lot behind the Senior Center. For everyone's safety please park your car in a parking space in the larger lot when dropping off/retrieving your children. You would then have to walk your child over the pavilion to sign them in. To help with safety and traffic issues, we have also implemented a one-way policy in the large parking lot (see below graphic).**
- Children must sign-in with the leaders upon arrival. **Children may not be dropped off prior to 9:00 am and should arrive not later than 9:30 am.** They will receive a wristband to wear while participating in the program.
- Every child must be retrieved by a parent, guardian or designated responsible party. Children are not permitted to leave the park on their own. Please make sure you have listed the individuals who will be picking up your children on the registration form(s).
- They are to be signed out with their leaders and return the wristband each day. **Children need to be picked up promptly at the end of each session. Late pick-ups will not be tolerated. After ONE late pick-up, the children not picked up on time will be dropped from the program with NO REFUND.**

#### Lower Nazareth Township Summer Recreation Program



Pick Up and Drop Off Procedures:



## PARTICIPANT & PARENTAL BEHAVIOR

For us to operate an efficient and organized program, it is necessary for the staff to maintain control of the children during our activities. It is your responsibility to discuss with your children his/her behavior while attending the program.

- Disruptive, abusive behavior, foul language, and rude behavior by participants and/or parents towards the Program Director, Program Leaders, Township Staff, Program Visitors will not be tolerated.
- No cell phones or electronic devices. Parents can get a message to children through the Park Coordinator.
- Do not climb trees or on the rock.
- Do not throw sticks, stones, or dirt.
- Keep the park clean – Pick up your trash.
- No fighting – If you have a problem, walk away and tell a counselor.
- Disciplinary action will be given when applicable. There is a three (3) strike policy – (1st offense) verbal, (2<sup>nd</sup> offense) written and parents spoken to, and (3<sup>rd</sup> offense) suspension. Fourth offense, child will be terminated from the program without a refund.

## HELPFUL TIPS TO ENSURE HEALTH & SAFETY

- Children should bring a water bottle with their name on it.
- Please feel free to pack a snack (NUT FREE!!) Numerous children participating in our program have food allergies. **Please check the ingredients list on all food labels to be sure!**
- Please label your children's belongings with first & last name.
- Please apply sunscreen prior to coming to park.
- Children should wear sneakers (no sandals or flip-flops).

## WEATHER CANCELLATIONS

The Park Program is not a rain or shine program due to the lack of indoor facilities for all of the children. We are trying something new this summer. If we have light rain which is expected to clear with no high winds or lightening current or forecasted and the facility conditions are not saturated, we will split the children into two groups with one group inside the building located right at the park and one group under the pavilion to play games and crafts while the weather is inclement. Depending on the number of children that attend on that given day, they may all be inside the building until the weather clears. Children may get wet or muddy once the rain clears and they are allowed out in the park. Feel free to keep your children home on any day with inclement weather if you do not like this setup and/or activities. We were trying to give parents/guardians an option when the weather is expected to clear.

- In the event of inclement weather with an unfavorable forecast prior to 9:00 am, the program will be cancelled. **This decision will be made approximately (1) one hour prior to the scheduled start time and will be based upon current weather conditions, facility conditions, and weather forecasts.**
- If we experience bad weather between 9:00 am and 12:00 pm, the children will be split between the building and pavilion to play games and do crafts until park is over. Obviously, if the weather conditions



are expected to get worse, we will cancel park and encourage parents to retrieve their children as soon as possible.

- In both situations we will post announcements to Nixle and Facebook. **You and anyone authorized to pick up or drop off the children must sign up for Nixle to receive the fastest notifications. Just text “SUMMERPARK” to 888777.**
- **Please be sure that whoever is responsible for drop off / pick up knows how to receive these alerts.**

If you have a concern regarding the program, contact either Lorie Gyarmaty at [LGyarmaty@lowernazaeth.com](mailto:LGyarmaty@lowernazaeth.com) by phone at (610) 759-7434, extension 1001. We are looking forward to a fun-filled and exciting summer with your children.

Sincerely,

Lorie Gyarmaty  
Park Program Coordinator

Lower Nazareth Township reserves the right to drop a participant from the program if a participant or the parent does not adhere to these policies.

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*By signing below, I acknowledge I have read and understand the above, and will discuss these rules with my children.*

*Parent Signature* \_\_\_\_\_ *Date* \_\_\_\_\_

*Children Attending Program:* \_\_\_\_\_

