The aim of the Rice University Summer Youth Activity Program is to introduce children to a variety of sport and recreational activities in a friendly, non-competitive environment. Participants will spend the summer having fun, meeting new friends and being physically active. A summer with S.Y.A.P. will leave your child with a sense of physical, social and emotional accomplishment, and memories that will last a lifetime.

Questions? Call 713-348-4058 or send an email to syap@rice.edu

**GENERAL EXPECTATIONS**

- Children must report on time to all scheduled activities.
- Children are encouraged to participate in all scheduled activities. Only the Director, Assistant Director, or the activity instructor may grant permission for a child to be excused from an activity, including swimming.
- Children are not permitted to leave the program area or go off campus.
- Children are forbidden to participate in emotionally or physically abusive acts.

**CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT**

Children should dress in casual, summer clothing, tennis/gym shoes (non-scruffing soles). Each child must bring a swimsuit and a towel for swimming. Children are encouraged to wear sunscreen, but note that the Summer Youth Activity Program will not apply. Please mark all personal items and avoid sending expensive or fragile objects. Children may NOT bring cards for trading, electronic gaming devices, audio players, or cell phones, and are discouraged from wearing jewelry. Rice University and its employees will not be responsible for any lost or stolen items.

**STAFF**

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**DIRECTIONS**

Travel along Alumni Drive until you reach the second stop sign. *Active unloading only, cars left unattended will be ticketed* **No supervision will be provided for children who are dropped off prior to 8:15 a.m.**

**DAILY AGENDA**

- **8:15 a.m. - 8:45 a.m.** Drop-off
- **8:50 a.m. - 9:45 a.m.** Wolves vs. Wildcats
- **9:50 a.m. - 11:45 a.m.** Lunch
- **11:50 a.m. - 12:25 p.m.** Activities*
- **12:30 p.m. - 2:50 p.m.** Activities*
- **3:00 p.m. - 3:50 p.m.** Pick-up
- **3:00 p.m. - 5:30 p.m.** Late Activity Program

*Activities will rotate between A & B days

**LUNCH, SNACKS, & CONCESSIONS**

Children should bring a packed lunch and water bottle daily. Concessions will be sold during the afternoon break.

**PICK-UP**

* Cars should enter campus from Rice Boulevard at Entrance 20 (Alumni Drive). *Travel along Alumni Drive until you reach the second stop sign.* *Take a right onto Laboratory Road, stay to the right so thru-traffic can flow on the left.* *Drop children off curbside in front of Recreation Center building between 8:15 a.m. and 8:45 a.m.* *Active unloading only, cars left unattended will be ticketed* **No supervision will be provided for children who are dropped off prior to 8:15 a.m.**

**TENTATIVE ACTIVITY SCHEDULE**

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**INCLEMENT WEATHER**

Except under extreme conditions, S.Y.A.P. will be held during inclement weather. Whenever possible, outdoor classes will be assigned a gymnasium or other activity area for use in case of rain. Possible alternatives to the regular activity could include showing a video, reviewing game rules and/or strategy, or participation in other games and activities.

**PLEASE NOTE:**

While a rare occurrence, the Summer Youth Activity Program staff reserves the right to remove any child whose behavior is disruptive or abusive. This includes, but is not limited to the destruction of University property, causing physical or emotional harm to self or others, and excessive inappropriateness. No refund will be made if a child is dismissed from the program. Charges will be assessed against participants responsible for damaged or missing University equipment or property.