



Next Generation Children's Centers Summer Program 2012

For Pre-K, Kindergarten and School Age children to age 7
June 25th—August 30th

Returning Guest Visitors:
Rhythm Kids!
Erica's Amazing Science Show

Summer Kick-Off Week: June 25th—*Olympic Opening Ceremonies*

We are going to be celebrating the London 2012 Olympic Games with sports, games and learning what good sportsmanship is happens here!

Session 1 July 2nd—13th— *Fizz, Boom, Splat! How did you do that?*

The time will be filled with science experiments and science observations! The children also be challenged to create their own inventions and make a prototype of it! Art, science and critical thinking skills all combined into one!

Session 2 July 16th—27th— *Animals, Animals Near and Far*

The children will be discovering animals from our backyard, to those on other continents and their what their environments are like. Nature walks, learning about exotic locations and building their appreciation for our natural world is what this session is all about!

Session 3—July 30th—August 10th— *Music Mania*

We will be investigating different types of music (jazz, classical, pop and rock) and different instruments that people use. The children will also create their own instruments and end the week demonstrating their new instruments to the younger children at our school! Dance party for everyone!

Session 4— August 13th—24th— *Storytelling Adventures*

Examining all the different types of stories and authors out there. The children will read, act out and write their own fairy tales, tall tales and myths. NGCC will be highlighting Caldecott award books and spotlighting different authors. We will also be having "special guests" to come in to read a book—would you like to join us?

Summer Send-Off Week: August 27th—30th— *Olympic Closing Ceremonies*

It might be the end of the Olympics—but not for the great days of summer! We'll revisit our favorite games, sports activities and send summer off with a celebration while getting ready for the up-coming school year!

