

We are so excited to welcome each and every one of you to our Cranbrook Day Camp family! We have been hard at work planning events and training our staff to ensure that your child has the best camp experience this summer. Our goal at CDC is the holistic development in health, happiness, and life skills within a safe and encouraging environment with guidance from qualified staff members to allow each camper to develop his individual abilities. Our camp has a long-standing tradition of teaching kindness, respect, and character. These are the values we live by. Be kind, show respect, and have good character. We discuss these values with campers every morning, and we work on living out these values each day at camp. Each week campers will get to participate in a wide variety of activities including soccer, swimming, basketball, lacrosse, archery, tennis, field sports, canoeing, arts & crafts, science & nature, music, and creative movement! We look forward to meeting you on Monday!

~Camp Administration

DAILY SCHEDULE

- Morning Meeting
- Activity 1
- Activity 2
- Snack
- Activity 3
- Activity 4
- Activity 5
- Lunch
- Swim

FRIDAY ACTIVITIES

- Week 1 POOFBALL!!!!!!
- Week 2 Amazing Race
- Fourth of July Celebration
- Volleyball
- Kickball Tournament
- CDC OLYMPICS
- Counselor Basketball
- CDC BBQ and Water Slides



Contact Information

248 645 3674 **Option 2**

CranbrookDayCamp@Cranbrook.edu

If your child is going to miss one ore more day or is being picked up early or dropped off late, please call, email or send in a note.

Everyday Items

- Water Bottle
- Swimsuit and Towel
- Closed Toe Footwear



CDC Drop Off

Camper drop off begins at 8:45am. Our counselors will greet your camper at the car. Anything that needs to make its way to the office can be handed to the counselor during drop off. Please use the Boys Middle School entrance located off of Valley Way.

The CDC Promise

We, the CDC Camp Staff, promise to provide our campers a fun and memorable experience that helps them grow into respectful and responsible young men. In doing so, we strive to provide all campers several opportunities to see integrity in action.

CDC Pick Up

Pick up takes place in the same place as drop off. We dismiss at 3pm and need your help to keep things moving smoothly. Please have your authorized pick up form in our staff's line of vision. This form can be found online inside the Document Center.

Reminders

- Label all of your child's belongings!
- If your child forgets something at camp, have them look in the lost and found in the lobby of the Boys Middle School.
- Any medications brought to camp need to have an Authorization to Administer Medication (AAM) form with them. Please deliver forms and medication to the camp office or give it to a staff member at drop off



My name is Chad Chappell, and I am honored to serve as the new Director of Cranbrook Day Camp (CDC). Although new to the Cranbrook Community, I am no stranger to summer camp management. I have 13 years of experience as a full-time camp director overseeing year-round residential and day camp programs. When the school year is in session, I serve as a school administrator for a local school district. This year, I chose Cranbrook for myself and brought my three fantastic children, aged four, eight, and thirteen. When I'm not at camp, my lovely wife and I cherish spending quality time together with our kids, relishing life and having fun in the sun!

Chad



At CDC respect, individuality, and trust are at the forefront of everything we do. Please feel free to reach out to us so that we can ensure that your child shares that experience.

-Chad

Holly



My name is Holly Berkseth (aka ThunderPanda) and this is my 4th year as an Assistant Director at CDC. I started at Cranbrook in 2014 when I was hired as the Arts and Crafts instructor at CDC. During the school year, I work as at 1st Grade Teacher at Brookside. When I am not at Cranbrook, I love spending time with my fiancé, Andrew, and our two cats, Gus and Poptart. We enjoy cooking new meals together, going on road trips up north, and playing board games and card games. I am excited for another fun summer together!

Jonathan



Hello! My name is Jonathan Clauss, and I am excited to be your Cranbrook Day Camp ambassador. This will be my 12th summer with Cranbrook Day Camp and my 14th year with Cranbrook, where I've enjoyed roles from recess supervisor to head varsity football coach. When I'm not at camp, I love spending time with my family—my wife and our four-year-old daughter, Violet. We enjoy riding bikes, having water balloon fights, playing on playgrounds, and having family movie nights. I look forward to another amazing summer with all of you!

Hi, everyone! My name is Danny, and this will be my 11th year at CDC and my 6th as an assistant director! During the school year, I can be found on the Cranbrook grounds, teaching fifth grade and coaching football and basketball. When I get some free time, I like to travel and go hiking with my wife, Sydney, and our canine son, Louie. I also love golfing and just spending as much time outside as possible! I am looking forward to an amazing summer together!

Danny



Emily



My name is Emily Gilbert (aka ThunderGiraffe) and this is my 2nd year as an Assistant Director at CDC. During the school year, I work as at 2nd Grade Teacher at Brookside. When I am not at Cranbrook, I love spending time with my husband (Zach) and two daughters (Lexi and Everly) and our dog Willy. We love to spend time outside, watch movies, build Legos, and play games (video and board). I am looking forward to another fun summer with everyone!

My name is Kara Yeatts and I'm delighted to be joining the CDC admin team for the third consecutive summer. During the school year, I teach Pre-Kindergarten at the Vlasic Early Childhood Center at Cranbrook- Brookside, where I thoroughly enjoy the dynamic challenges of working with young children. Outside of school, I enjoy camping with my family, raising monarch butterflies, and playing the guitar and ukulele. I am eagerly anticipating another wonderful summer!



