

# R.A.P.



2018  
Parents Handbook  
Ages: 6, 7, 8

Camp is located at:

Pinewood Elementary School  
901 Kings Road  
Rotterdam, NY 12303  
(518) 356-1561





**TOWN OF ROTTERDAM  
SENIOR CITIZEN CENTER  
Department of Parks & Recreation**

May 16, 2018

Dear Parents/Guardians:

Welcome to the Town of Rotterdam's **Recreational Activities Program (R.A.P.)** for children ages 6 – 8

Attached please find several forms to be completed and returned no later than **June 22, 2018**. This includes a form with pertinent medical information about your child, where you can be reached, as well as emergency contact information. In addition, there is a form to be filled out regarding who is authorized to pick up your child. These are important forms to ensure the safety and well being of your child.

I ask that your child comes to the program dressed appropriately for a variety of activities (i.e. clothes that can get dirty, proper footwear) and that they leave toys at home. There will be plenty of toys and activities available to them during the program.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding your child or the program, please feel free to contact me. The staff and I look forward to working with you and your child this summer.

Have a good end of the school year. **See you on Monday, July 9, 2018.**

Sincerely,  
Dreama D'Ortona, Project Coordinator  
Recreation and Senior Programs



## **RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES PROGRAM (R.A.P.)**

### **For Children 6, 7 & 8 year olds Rotterdam Residents Only**

- To attend the Recreational Activities Program (R.A.P.) children **must be 6, 7 or 8** years of age by **July 1, 2018**.
- This program provides residents of Rotterdam a recreational summer program that provides for a child a structured medium for recreation and socialization for three hours per day, five days per week for a six week session.
- The program is under the direct supervision of a teacher and also staffed by Recreation Specialists who have attended college or are now attending college with an emphasis on education. The Rotterdam Parks and Recreation Department will also provide supervision.
- **R.A.P.** is held at the **Pine Grove School**.
- **Cost: \$120.00 per child.**

**Six-Week Session (Monday through Friday) July 9 – August 17, 2018**

**July 9 – July 20, 2018**

**8:45 AM – 11:30 AM**

**Registration:** *Rotterdam Senior Citizens Center, 2639 Hamburg Street*

**Wednesday, May 6, 2018 6:00 – 8:00 PM**

**Saturday, May 16, 2018 10:00 AM. to 1:00 PM**

- **Proof of the child's age and Town residency are required at time of registration.**

## R.A.P. Summer **2018** Parents Check List

- Please fill out a medical form for each child in the program and return the forms by **June 22, 2018**.
- We are requesting that each child bring in a clean white T-shirt (with his or her name on the tag) for tie-dye
- Please administer all medication **prior to class**. Our Recreation Specialists are not allowed to do so.
- Please keep in mind that many of our activities take place outdoors so remember to wear sunscreen and/or bug spray.
- We advise that children dress in play clothes because some of our crafts get messy.
- Children are highly advised to wear sneakers each day as many games are in the gym and/or on the playground. (If you choose to wear rubber sole sandals, please be sure they have a back strap for support.)
- The \$120.00 that was paid at registration is actually cost effective for the parents and it will insure that we have a **"nut free"** environment for the children. The \$120.00 covers snacks, arts and crafts and Fun-Day.
- Please do not leave brothers/sisters and guests not registered for the program!
- Children must **arrive at 8:45 AM** and are picked up promptly at **11:30 AM** and must be signed in and out each day.
- Please feel free to speak to any of our staff if you have any concerns or questions.
- Please leave toys at home. There will be plenty of toys and activities available for the children during the program.