

NAPER SETTLEMENT



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Museum announces new summer camp offerings in 2020

NAPERVILLE, IL — Naper Settlement is pleased to announce its line-up of hands-on, educational day camps at Camp Naper this summer, with registration opening February 17. The two-month program offers nineteen uniquely themed experiences ranging from 1- to 5- day camps for campers in grades 1-8. Children embark on an interactive learning adventure while exploring topics such as science, art, history, and architecture.

“Camp Naper will be a whole new experience for our campers in 2020,” said Jackie Maronic, learning experiences team leader. “Every camp has been reimaged to interpret the themes in a new way. From our sampler packs to week-long camps, the variety will appeal to campers of all age levels and interests. For new and returning campers alike, it will build a new set of skills and create lasting memories.”

Naper Settlement’s robust list of camps this year includes seven new offerings and all camps provide an advanced track for older campers. Highlights include:

- **World War II: America Goes All In**, where campers will learn about the use of propaganda, rationing, and scrap collecting during the war;
- **OG Pioneers: Living Off the Grid**, where campers will practice conservation and recycling “pioneer style”;
- **DIY Week: Makers Make Their Mark**, where campers will explore their creativity and sustainability through making soap, candles, house décor, and more;
- **And Camp Failing Forward: Inventors and Inventions**, where history and technology collide to teach campers about some of the world’s most remarkable inventions and how failure can lead to innovation.

Camps begin June 1 and run through July 30. All camps are from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m., with drop off available for parents beginning at 8 a.m. For detailed information on all camp tracks, visit www.NaperSettlement.org/CampNaper. To register, call 630-420-6010.

About Naper Settlement

Naper Settlement is a nationally accredited, award-winning outdoor living history museum set on 13 magnificent acres in the heart of Naperville. Located 30 miles from Chicago, the museum is home to thirty historical structures dating back as early as the 1830s. Featuring exhibits, special events, educational programming and more, Naper

Settlement is where history comes alive and the community comes to connect. For more information, visit www.napersettlement.org or call (630) 420-6010.

About Naperville Heritage Society

Founded in 1969, the Naperville Heritage Society is a not-for-profit organization and administrator of Naper Settlement, the City of Naperville's museum. With a commitment to the community and a focus to the future, the mission of the Naperville Heritage Society is to collect, document, preserve, and support the history of Naperville, Illinois past and present.