Dragon's Den
Outdoor Explorer Camp

Teaching mental resilience during survival situations

Nursing student teaches Wilderness First Aid skills

We learned to make our own safe and effective fire starters!

Fishing and Kayaking with Venture Outdoors!

Learning how to use maps and compasses

Creating friendships! Kids will come back to check how “Sunny” is growing!

Meeting the goats along the GAP Trail
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Circus and Magic Camp

Learning to juggle takes teamwork!

Learning magic tricks and teaching each other

Local teaching artist from Pittsburgh Circus Arts Collaborative!

Summer Camp is exhausting!
Challenge By Choice!
When an influx of campers with conflicting interests from Greater Valley Community Services Foster Care, and all over Pittsburgh arrived for Musical Theater camp this week, we created a parallel camp program overnight. This new program consisted of outdoor activities, sports, games and adventures in the local parks.
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Seasonal Help! Partnerships with the Homestead Borough, Goodwill, and Bridging The Gaps help us do our best to employ local youth and young adults.

Hot lunches are provided by Rainbow Kitchen, one camper described it as "the best food in Pittsburgh."

Every morning, we go grocery shopping for fresh and organic veggies and fruit that kids asked for the previous day.
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Outdoor Explorer Camp Week 2
This theme was so popular, we had to offer it again!

As always, the course was a big hit! And this was the first camp to use our newly-opened rock wall!

Field trip to Schenley Park! Hiking and...

Drip Drip DROP

Building fires safely

...building shelters!

Meeting the goats along the GAP Trail
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Dragon's Laboratory

Exploring the parts of a flower and how they attract...

...BEES!!!

Building the strongest spaghetti structure

A week of chemistry, physics, engineering, and astronomy chock full of activities, and of course, the Scientific Method!

Egg Drop! Don't break any eggs!

Turning mad scientists into happy scientists

Tin Foil Boats! How much weight can they hold?
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Strong Like A Dragon

A week full of exercise, games, and sports to keep a young dragon fit!

Football
Basketball
Relay Races
Bike ride with Venture Outdoors down on the GAP Trail
Cooling down with some yoga
Namaste