



"We build strong kids, strong families,  
strong communities"

# Summer Activities

## KIDS ARE FIRST SUMMER WORKSHOP

Jefferson County Family YMCA and the Port Townsend School District would like to invite your son/daughter to participate in an exciting new program, the Kids Are First Summer Workshop. The purpose of the program is to prepare your child for academic and social success as he/she begins 6th grade at Blue Heron Middle School.

Your child may participate in one of two one-week workshops at Blue Heron Middle School from August 6-10 or August 13-17, 2007. There is room for 15 students in each week-long workshop. During each of the summer workshops, the morning portion of each day will be facilitated by certified Blue Heron teachers who will work with students on an individual basis to improve academic skills. In the afternoon, a recreational specialist will transport the students to fun activities of their preference. Transportation will be provided to and from the workshop by YMCA van.

## DAY CAMP WITH SANDY SHORT - THE GREAT OUT-OF-DOORS

**Five week-long camps: June 25-29, July 2-6\*, July 9-13, July 16-20, July 23-27  
9 a.m.-4 p.m., Chimacum School Main Campus**

Each day we will travel to new adventures. Each day we'll have a new theme: swimming, hiking, outdoor cooking, dragon tracking, wall climbing, etc. Participants should come prepared with lunch, snack and beverage.

Cost \$135/week. Additional costs include T-shirt and one-time registration fee.  
Register before June 15: 344-3270 ext. 543.

## YMCA GRANT STREET UNIQUELY YOU CAMP

**Session One: July 23-August 3 Session Two: August 6-10 Session Three: August 13-24**

Learn your Chinese Year animal, star sign, gemstones and more so you can design your personal stencil. Paint a T-shirt, etch glass, make burnt wood projects, even print your own money using your Uniquely You logo.

*NOTE: Activities, field trips and curriculum are the same for all sessions.*

The YMCA Grant Street Summer Camp offers state-licensed care, exciting field trips and enriching activities for children ages 5-12 years old. Each session is limited to 12 children.

**Hours: 9 a.m. - 4 p.m. Monday through Friday**

**Rates: Weekly \$85, two-week session \$170. Payment due upon registration.**

**Location: The YMCA portable at Grant Street Elementary School**

## JEFFERSON COUNTY FAMILY YMCA'S ENRICHMENT PROGRAM

*This summer Jefferson County Family YMCA's Enrichment Program  
will operate for two sessions 9 a.m.-4 p.m. each day:*

**Session One, \$160: Monday-Friday, June 25-July 6\***

**GROSSOLOGY** - Join teachers Dawn and Peter Braden and investigate the science of really gross things. In this session, you will be diving into some of the slimy, revolting, stinky, mushy, crusty, yet scientifically accurate aspects of our bodies. Join us as we make snot, study spit and experiment with what makes us burp!

*\* No camp on July 4*

**Session Two, \$180: Monday-Friday, July 9-20**

**NATIVE AMERICAN TRIBES** - Teachers Dawn Braden and Molly O'Brien will introduce you to the cultures of a variety of Native American Tribes through literature and related activities. Understand native legends and why they are important.

All-day trips include: Field trip to Carrie Blake Park July 6; field trip to Olympic Game Farm July 20.

Camp enrollment is limited to 60 campers per day. First priority will be given to those attending full sessions (two weeks each); second priority will be given to those attending on a weekly basis. For information on the camp sessions or registration, contact the Jefferson County Family YMCA office at 385-5811.

## THE ART OF CYCLING AND STREET SKILLS

**Fee \$35, includes student manual**

**Thursday 6/7 from 6-9pm, Friday 6/8/, 6-9pm, Saturday 6/9 from 9am to noon**

Learn how to safely ride a bicycle for recreation and transportation. Improve your bicycling skills: selecting the right bike for you, fixing a flat tire, riding with traffic, learn your rights and duties on the road, riding at night, crashes and how to deter them, visibility, bikes and transit, negotiating busy intersections, making traffic lights turn green, riding in the rain and more. The classes include presentations, discussion, question/answer periods and on-bike skills work and on-road cycling practice. Equipment needed: functioning bicycle and bicycle helmet. Class size is 6 (4 minimum), geared for adults, contact instructor for youth participation.

*Instructor David McCulloch, 360-385-3912, League of American Bicyclists Cycling Instructor, #417-C. Bicycle advocate and instructor for 10 years.*

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