**CAMP JCC 2020 SESSIONS** JUNE 22 – AUGUST 7, 2020 (7 WEEKS)

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**AM/PM Extended Day Options**

**9 AM-4 PM**

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**YOUR PLACE at the **

**Bender JCC**

**301.348.3883**

**6125 Montrose Road, Rockville, MD 20852 | campjcc@benderjccgw.org**

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**ADOM, LAVAN, KACHOL**

These programs offer a variety of activities in a low-camper-to-counselor ratio, including instructional and recreational swim, sports, music, arts & crafts, Israeli culture, teva (nature), drama, dance and STEM.

**Adom - Red**

AGE 4 BY 9/01/2020
AGE 5 BY 9/01/2020 AND ENTERING KINDERGARTEN

Highlights include exciting theme days, special events and Shabbat celebrations.

**Lavan - White**

ENTERING GRADE 1

Highlights include exciting theme days, special events and Shabbat celebrations, plus a field trip each session.

**Kachol - Blue**

ENTERING GRADE 2

Highlights include exciting theme days, special events, Shabbat celebrations and adventurous field trips.

**Machaneh b’Ivrit - Camp Kindergarten & Grade 1**

Machaneh b’Ivrit offers all the options of Camp JCC in an immersive Hebrew environment! Machaneh b’Ivrit gives campers an opportunity to play, laugh, sing, swim, run, and create, all in Hebrew!

**Note:** The only two registration options offered are: Sessions 1 and 2 (4 weeks) or Sessions 1, 2 and 3 (7 weeks)

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**SPECIALTY PROGRAMS**

**Zahav - Gold**

ENTERING GRADES 5 & 6

Daily trips offer excitement, adventure and fun. Excursions may include theme parks, water parks, hiking, ziplining and tubing. Each session includes an overnight and Friday recreational swim at camp.

**Omanut - Creative Arts**

ENTERING GRADES 1-7

Draw, paint, sculpt and design! Guided by expert artists, campers enjoy the creative process and showcase their art at the end of each session. Programming includes instructional and recreational swim in our outdoor pool.

**Habimah - Theater Arts**

ENTERING GRADES 2-7

From specialists, learn to act, write plays, design sets, improvise, dance and sing. Campers perform in our state-of-the-art theater. Programming includes instructional and recreational swim in our outdoor pool.

**Maccabiah - Sports**

ENTERING GRADES 2-7

Camper choose weekly from a range of sports to develop skills under the supervision of collegiate athletes and local coaches. Sports may include baseball/ball, basketball, soccer, football, instructional swim and recreational swim!

**KESEF - SILVER (Specialty)**

ENTERING GRADES 3 & 4

Campers spend part of their day in a specialty camp program. The remainder is led by our incredible Camp JCC staff in various activities including instructional and recreational swim in our outdoor pool.

Following is a brief description of each specialty. Learn more about these options by visiting benderjccgw.org/camp.

**STEM (Sessions 1, 2 and 3)**

Learn from MdBio Foundation experts about science and our environment, experimenting and investigating in a safe space.

**Culinary Creations (Session 1)**

Everyone loves to be creative in the kitchen! Campers have the opportunity to prepare, cook and then eat their amazing creations.

**T-Shirt Design (Session 1)**

Our clothes express who we are, but what if we had even more of a say in what we wear? Learn to design and create your own shirts through tie-dye, screen printing, and more.

**Backyard Games (Session 1)**

From classics like bocce and pickleball to newer hits like KanJam and spikeball, every day will feel like a picnic with exciting backyard games!

**LEGO® Engineering Challenge (Session 2)**

Do you like to build? Lego professionals from Play-Well TEKnologies provide Lego-filled fun. Campers will enjoy collaborating with friends.

**Glass Fusion (Session 2)**

Dream up exciting glass designs while trying your hands at slumping, fusing, annealing!

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**Farm to Table (Session 3)**

Interested in learning more about the food on your plate? Learn how to grow your own food, how to make it into a delicious meal, and everything in between!

**Jewelry Making (Session 3)**

Cultivate your creativity and learn jewelry making techniques through designing bracelets, necklaces, earrings, and other accessories.

**CSI (Session 3)**

Do you have what it takes to join the CSI? Test your skills through proper evidence collection, fingerprint analysis, and more.

**Session(s)**

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**Outdoor Adventure (Session 2)**

Our adventurers will stretch their legs and minds while exploring the outdoors. The session includes one overnight. This is a full-day program.

**Improvisation (Session 2)**

Laugh your way through drama games as you stretch your creativity and think on your feet!

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**TEEN PROGRAM OPTIONS**

**Gesher - Bridge**

ENTERING GRADES 7 & 8

So you want to make a difference this summer but you still want to enjoy the fun of field trips with friends? Join Camp JCC for the best of both worlds. This summer, in Gesher, teens will get to split each week between earning SSL hours though activities like working at a food bank, helping to build/repair homes for those in need and much more. Combine that with field trips like an escape room, bowling, rafting and more, and you have a recipe for a rewarding summer!

**Kochavim - Stars**

FOR TEENS AND YOUNG ADULTS

AGES 12-21 WITH SPECIAL NEEDS

Kochavim is a transitional program for teens and young adults with a wide range of disabilities. Socialization, recreation and independent living skills are enhanced in a fun environment. An interview is required for new participants. Please note: AM/PM extended day is not available for Kochavim. For more information and to schedule an interview, contact kochavim@benderjccgw.org.

**Madatz - Counselor-In-Training**

ENTERING GRADE 10

So, you want to be a counselor? Start by developing leadership and mentoring skills for a lifetime. Earn 30 SSL hours per week.

Contact campjcc@benderjccgw.org to schedule an interview before submitting a camper application.

**Note:** Program offered Sessions 1 & 2 (4 weeks) and Session 3 (3 weeks).

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**Apply at benderjccgw.org/campjcc**

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*Minimum enrollment required for each specialty option. Families will be contacted in March if minimum enrollment has not been met.*
THE CAMP JCC APPROACH

Every day Camp JCC is packed full of activities, friendship, ruach (spirit) and adventure. While our campers rave that Camp JCC is “the best place ever,” we know that spending a summer at Camp JCC provides opportunities for campers to gain valuable skills while also stepping outside their comfort zone to increase their self-esteem.

Camp JCC offers your child a place to learn new skills and build on existing ones. Whether mastering the perfect baseball swing, learning a new swim stroke, performing in a play or creating works of art, our Camp JCC programs bring out the best in every camper. Camp JCC offers choices to stretch and grow their abilities and opportunities to foster lasting relationships and create memories that will last a lifetime.

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SUMMER KIDS CLUB

Kids Club
ENTERING PRE-K-GR6
Traditional Summer Kids Club is designed to pack your child’s days with a range of activities, including recreational swim in our outdoor pool, field trips and special events. Children play sports, enjoy arts & crafts and engage in hands-on activities in a fun and supervised setting with quality and caring staff.

AM/PM Extended Day is available for an additional cost. Camp JCC medical forms can be used for these weeks. Please note that there will not be a registered nurse on-site. For more information, contact abgcamp@benderjccgw.org.

Aleph Week | June 15-19
Bet Week | August 10-14
Gimmel Week | August 17-21