

#### **Program Schedule**

Our full day programs incorporate hands-on experiential learning in a fun environment.

- July 12–August 14
- Monday–Friday
- Camps run from 8:30am-4:00pm
- Flexible drop-off between 8:30 & 9:00am
- Pick up at 4:00pm
- Aftercare until 5:00pm | Monday–Thursday

Aftercare is available for all campers participating in our Summer Adventure Camps. *Please note a minimum of 3 registered campers is required for the aftercare program.* 

### **Program Fees**

- CRM Members (Family Membership level & above).. \$245
- Nonmembers.....\$275
- Aftercare (per child, per week, Monday-Thursday) ...\$50

**Camp Discounts:** Become a member and receive member rates today.

**Multiple Week Discount:** Register for two or more weeks and get \$10 off the second and each additional camp. *Does not apply to aftercare.* 

**Sibling Discount:** After your first child's registration, save \$10 per week for each additional sibling.

## Registration

Registration is quick and easy online. Register by going to ctrivermuseum.org. Registration is not complete until you have made payment and completed all registration forms. Confirmation of completed registrations will be sent by email. *Space is limited, so please register early.* 

- Register online at ctrivermuseum.org
- Make payment online
- Download registration forms

QUESTIONS? PLEASE CALL 860.767.8269 extension 113

### **Looking for More?**

The Connecticut River Museum invites teachers and students to discover the River Valley and explore the natural environment and human experience along its 410 miles.

Connecticut River Museum programs are available for grades pre-K to 12 for public, private, and homeschool groups. In each program students will participate in a variety of learning experiences that allow them to investigate the River and its people through observation, experimentation, and exploration.

Winter and Spring Mini-Camps: During the December and April school vacation days, children ages 6–12 are invited to join our mini-camps. Each day is a different theme and will be filled with fun, engaging activities in the Museum and outside around Essex.

Visit www.ctrivermuseum.org for more information or contact the Director of Education at sburns@ctrivermuseum.org or 860.767.8269.





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AT THE CONNECTICUT RIVER MUSEUM



6 WEEKS OF INTERACTIVE PROGRAMMING ABOUT THE CONNECTICUT RIVER!

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# HISTORY NATURE ADVENTURE EXPLORE LEARN CREATE

#### Sailing into the Past

July 6-10 | Ages 12-15

Learn how to sail a tall ship aboard the reproduction of the *Onrust*. The original ship was a wooden vessel built by Dutch explorer Captain Adriaen Block and his crew. Rig sails, tie knots, fire a cannon—by the end of the week you will have the skills to sail the *Onrust* on the Connecticut River. > *Located at the Museum campus in Essex*.

#### **Finding the First Americans**

July 13-17 | Ages 9-12

Learn about the diverse indigenous people who called Connecticut home! Make a dugout canoe, cook on an open fire, and build a wigwam model. Try your hand at building a fishing net, planting a Three Sisters Garden, or creating pottery. > Located at historic Bushnell Farm in Old Saybrook.

#### **Colonial Survival**

July 20-24 | Ages 6-8

Travel back in time and discover what life was like on a colonial farm. Build a timber frame structure, learn to weave, cook on an open hearth, plant a garden, play colonial games, and more! ▶ *Located at historic Bushnell Farm in Old Saybrook.* 

#### **Return to Colonial Life**

July 20-24 | Ages 9-12

Have you survived Colonial Survival Camp? Are you ready to travel back to the past? Become a member of a colonial community and try your hand at farming and woodworking. Experience a colonial school day and cook an entire meal on the open hearth. (Participation in Colonial Survival Camp not required.) > Located at historic Bushnell Farm in Old Saybrook.

#### Life at Sea

July 27-31 | Ages 9-12

Ahoy Matey! Join our crew and learn the skills of a sailor and find out about life aboard a wooden sailing ship. Become a ship designer as you create and test your own model vessel. Build and launch a boat that actually holds a person! Sail aboard the historic vessel *Onrust*—hoist her sails and immerse yourself in the life of a sailor. > *Located at the Museum campus in Essex*.

#### **Critters, Coves & Currents**

August 3-7 | Ages 6-8

Discover what is over, under, and along the Connecticut River! Try your hand at catching critters using dip and seine nets, create nature crafts, and take a journey on the River to spot wildlife! Learn about the many fish, plants, birds, and animals that call the Connecticut River Valley home. > Located at the Museum campus in Essex

# **Building, Baiting & Boating**

August 10-14 | Ages 9-12

Exploration and adventure await when you join the Building, Baiting & Boating Camp! Challenge yourself to find out all you can about the River. Spend each day in coves, on islands, and on the water. Collect samples, conduct experiments, and build a river aquarium at the Museum. > Located at the Museum campus in Essex.

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