

Circus Summer Camp 2015
Fees, conditions and policies

FEES AND DISCOUNTS

TUITION COST

\$275 for 1 week (sessions 1, 3, 5, 6,7)

\$575 for two weeks (sessions 2 & 4)

This does not include the registration fee \$ 25.00 (non-refundable)

REGISTRATION

Is secure once payment in full is collected and all forms are completed and returned to the Circus Arts Conservatory

REGISTRATION FEE

All families must pay a non-refundable registration fee of \$25 once per summer, per family.

MULTI -SESSION DISCOUNT

Register for two sessions take \$25 off the total tuition price. Register for 3 or more sessions take \$50 off the total tuition price. Only to be used once per family, per summer.

SIBLING DISCOUNT

One child will be at full tuition price. Each additional sibling can take \$25 off the tuition price.

For example a family registering 2 children for a 1 week session would pay for one child at \$275 + \$25 registration fee = \$300 and 1 sibling at \$275 (-\$25 sibling discount) = \$250. The grand total for the family would be \$550

CAMP HOURS – Camp hours are 9 a.m. to 3p.m. Campers should arrive between 8:50 a.m. & 9 a.m. and must be picked up by 3:15 p.m.

Families later than 3:15 will be charged \$10 for every additional 5 minutes.

BEFORE AND AFTERCARE

There is no before or after care services.

CONDITIONS OF REGISTRATION

ENROLLMENT

Campers are enrolled on a first come, first served basis as per the date of receipt of the registration form and fee. Confirmation of enrollment and receipt, along with an invoice for balance due (if applicable) will be sent via email.

BALANCE DUE IN FULL

Balance is due in full at the time of registration – payment plans are available

WAITING LIST

When a camp session fills, a wait list is started. Applicants will be notified of their wait list status by email and phone. Registration fees are not processed until applicants are placed in a session.

SESSION CHANGE

Session change requests are based on availability of spaces in camp.

CANCELLATION

If a cancellation occurs at least 10 days prior to the start of the session enrolled, tuition already paid will be applied to another week of camp or a percentage refunded.

REFUNDS

There are no refunds for campers dismissed from the program due to disciplinary reasons, or for campers who choose to withdraw early from

a program already in session. If camper leaves due to an injury incurred at camp, a prorated portion of the tuition will be refunded.

RELEASE

Parents/Guardians are required to sign a general release and waiver of liability and indemnity agreement prior to camper being placed in a session. In addition to a release proof of insurance is required for all campers.

CAMP POLICIES

PARKING/ DROP OFF /PICK UP

Drop off and pick up parking are located in the EAST PARKING Lot of Sarasota High School. Drive past the big top heading east on Bahia Vista Street and make your second left into the gates.

SIGN IN / SIGN OUT

Parents/guardians must come inside and sign campers in and out every day. If someone other than you is allowed to pick up your child, please indicate who that is on the registration form under who is authorized to pick up this camper? Additionally, ID may be required for pick up.

SNACK

- Snack will be provided twice daily by THE CAC. Snacks are fruits and veggies, and other healthy options.
- Our camp is very physical and it can get very hot in the arena.
- Bring a water bottle to refill during the day.
- If your child has special dietary needs, please supply special snacks.

LUNCH

- Campers must bring their own lunch.

- ABSOLUTELY NO PEANUT BUTTER AT CAMP! Parents, please refrain from packing peanut butter sandwiches, other peanut products in your children's lunches.
- Campers need healthy lunches to supply them with enough energy to excel. Please send your child to camp with a good protein source and fruit and/or vegetables.
- We do not allow soda, gum or candy, cookies other junk food at camp. Please don't send it with the students.
- We do not have a microwave to heat lunches

ATTIRE

- Campers should wear clothing that is easy to move in and appropriate for being upside down.
- Circus girls leotards or one piece bathing suits with leggings or shorts to go over leotards; hair ties (hair must be up if long), closed toed shoes and socks are preferred.
- For Circus boys tee shirts, gym shorts, briefs (no boxer shorts), sliders or leggings for aerialist, close toed shoes.
- NO pajamas, cargo shorts or jeans, flip flops, sandals or slippers
- Foot protection is very important at camp. Crocs are perfect camp shoes.
- NO jewelry, or watches, or other valuables are allowed at camp
- We do not have secure lockers for personal valuable storage.
- NO Electronics such as cell phones, lap tops, mini computers, I pods, MP3 players, money or checks, and portable game consoles.
- If such items are brought to camp and are lost, stolen or damaged The CAC is not responsible.

HEALTH AND SAFETY

- Personal hygiene is very important for your health and our safety. Body to body contact spreads germs so keep your body clean.

- All cuts or open wounds must be covered with a bandage.
- Please do not share clothes, hair ties, combs or hair brushes.
- Do not share drinking containers.
- Wash your hands often and use the hand sanitizers located throughout the facility.
- We do our best to keep the facility and equipment clean with regular sanitary maintenance. You must do the same yourselves.

CODE OF CONDUCT

- All campers will adhere to the full values contract below. Full Values Contract is a verbal agreement within a group to try, support, and encourage everyone to achieve their personal best.
- The F.V.C. is used to secure the bonds of teamwork, perseverance, and dedication in a learning environment.
- We will ask the campers to abide by the following philosophy: “I will try everything and be respectful to my instructors; I will try everything and support and encourage myself and my friends; I will model this behavior all the time because I am a leader by example”.
- Parents please discuss examples of good behavior with your children to aid in the cohesion and flow of camp functions.
- The consequence for not adhering to this policy is removal from camp activities, removal from the showcase or dismissal from camp.
- Bullying or another disruption to the learning environment will not be tolerated under any circumstances.

SHOWCASE DETAILS

- On Friday (see schedule below) at 4:30 pm we will end the camp experience with a showcase for friends and family.
- During sessions 2 & 4 we will conclude our two week camps with a showcase for friends and family on the second Friday.
- See the dates of the showcase below

- All campers may invite people to attend the showcase we have seating for 800!
- Beyond immediate family, we ask for a small donation of \$5 to support the outreach programs that operate throughout the year.
- Parents can take photos of campers in costume from 4-4:30. The show will last approximately 1 hour.
- Parents please dress comfortably as it is warm in the arena in the summer. We will have refreshments on hand, as well as camp merchandise available for purchase.
- After the show, campers will need to change out of their costumes back into clean clothes. Please send campers with a fresh change of clothes on showcase Friday.
- Campers will stay with us all day on Friday to prepare for the show. We will feed them pizza, salad and fruit for dinner. Please pack extra snacks for them if they do not like pizza or have a food allergy. We do not have a microwave available.

SAVE THE DATE!

Session 1 showcase: June 12

Session 2 showcase: June 26

Session 3 showcase July 3

Session 4 showcase: July 17

Session 5 showcase: July 24

Session 6 showcase: July 31

Session 7 showcase : Aug 7

FIELD TRIP DURING S2 & 24

Students participating in session 2 & 4 will be spending a day (dates TBA) at the Ringling Museum, spending time in the new Tibbals Learning Center, and viewing the Circus Sarasota Summer performance at the Historic Asolo Theatre.

- We will provide bussing to and from the museum. There is no additional cost to participate and campers will need to pack a lunch.

WATER DAY

- On the first Wednesday of a new camp session, we will be taking a break from our usual programing and offering flying trapeze, circus relay and a waterslide in the front yard.
- Students are encouraged to bring sunscreen, a towel and a change of clothes. Water play is not mandatory but encouraged.
- Students 6-9 will be have an opportunity to swing on the trapeze from 9:30-11:30 and students 10-15 will have an opportunity to swing from 12:30-2:30pm
- If it rains we will set up alternative activities and have the waterslide in the arena.