

## Registration Info

Limited spaces, first come first serve, need based sliding scale tuition and scholarships available. For more information and to register:

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## Ways to Help

Go to [www.metalcowboy.com](http://www.metalcowboy.com) to make cash, goods and service donations, volunteer and buy the founder of **CAMP CREATIVE's** latest book - an epic, Huck Finn on wheels family travel adventure. \$20 (that's 80%) of each web and direct sale will help raise \$500,000 for camp.



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# CAMP CREATIVE

**NO CHILD LEFT INSIDE!**

ARTS AND  
EXPEDITION  
PROGRAMS



**SUMMER 2007**



# Welcome

Looking for something a little **different** in an overnight summer camp experience? One which starts with traditional recreation activities, adds the physical joys of **biking** and **hiking** expeditions, the relationship and confidence building of an Outward Bound, and mentorships with **world-class artists and writers**, all set to the innovative back beat of **place and project-based education**.

You've found **CAMP CREATIVE!**



## Campwide Programs

- **Travel Expeditions:** think Lewis & Clark meets PBS's Zoom with 20-30 mile daily bike (vehicle supported) or 4-6 mile daily hike.
- **Traditional:** sports, campfire, nature crafts, water activities, fly-fishing, music, camp olympics, etc.
- **Project/Place Based Education:** see next section.
- **WORDS: Writers On RoadS:** professional mentorships, workshops and readings.
- **Public Service:** public service activities each camp session.
- **Nutrition:** local, seasonal and balanced camp meals used as tools for food education.

## Project/Place-Based Education

Most expedition programs move through a region without really experiencing it; the folkloric, historic, economic, social, environmental and so on. Our campers will be engaged travelers, not tourists. In addition to camp wide daily activities, each cabin group will select a week-long project based on expedition location (ex: covered bridges, old-growth forests, island life). Each camper will choose an interest area (ex: photography, illustrations, journalism, birding, painting, cooking, meteorology) then, with counselor guidance, thoroughly explore it, culminating in a closing festival/gallery/exhibit celebrating the projects. Future sessions build on previous work and accomplishments.

## Sample Schedule

- Breakfast & morning circle
- Break camp
- Morning pedal or hike
- AM stop: project/place-based activities
- Biking or hiking continued
- Lunch, with designated program stop (explore museum, monastery, farm, etc.)
- Afternoon pedal or hike with recreation stop (fishing, frisbee, swimming, etc.)
- Pedal/hike to pm camp set up (typical 2-3 pm arrival)
- Cabin group & or individual activities
- Dinner
- Evening programs (all camp)

## Dates, Locations and Tuition

### Sessions 1&2 (Kids Only)

June 16-21 (Sauvie Island)

June 23-28 (Columbia Gorge Loop)

- \$495 children ages 9-17

### Sessions 3&4 (Family Camp)

Discounts for families of 3 or more.

June 30-July 5 (Columbia Gorge Loop)

July 7-12 (Olympic NP)

- Free children birth-2
- \$250 children ages 3-8
- \$395 children ages 9-17
- \$495 adults

## Staff

Founders have decades of ACA accredited camp directing, non-profit organizing and safety and risk management experience. Support staff includes bicycle tour guides, award winning art, science and English teachers, recreation specialists, doctors, nutritionists and professional writers and artists - all with childcare experience and enthusiasm for a week of safe, summer fun and learning. High staff to camper ratios (1:4), first-aid certifications, background screenings, pre-camp training.

