



RODGERS FORGE
Elementary School

3rd Annual Tech Trek Summer Camp Auction!

This week only! Monday, March 16 – Friday, March 20
All bids due this Friday, March 20th at 4:00 p.m.

How to Bid

- Review the camp descriptions (sports, arts, and general)
- Check out the camp websites for additional information
- Fill out the last two pages of this flyer, the Camp Bid Sheet.
- Return your Camp Bid Sheet to school in the attached envelope through your child's take-home folder or drop it off in the Tech Trek Box in the front office. (Tech Trek volunteers cannot accept bid sheets).
- This is a sealed bid auction. **You have one chance to make your best bid! All bids will be opened at 4:00 p.m. on March 20th.**
- Only winners will be notified within 3 days (no later than Monday, March 23, 2009), with specific registration procedures.
- **PLEASE NOTE: each winner should contact his/her camp within 10 days of being notified as the winner.** Please be sure to inquire about registration deadlines and register as soon as possible.
- RFES cannot issue refunds if winning bidder is unable to use the camp for any reason.
- Winners should make checks payable to the "Baltimore County Public Schools Foundation – RFES."
- **REMEMBER:** All dollars go directly to support the RFES technology program our children use every day.
- The camps listed have generously donated their camp tuitions or savings certificates to RFES. Please support them in the future wherever possible!

CAMPS UP FOR BID

Sports Camps

Velocity Sports Personal Training www.velocity.com

Designed to introduce and create a foundation of overall athleticism in a fun environment. One month of personal training. Ages 8 and up. Valid for one year.

Dates: One month of personal training valid for one year.

Times: Call to schedule.

Value: \$334 MINIMUM BID: \$200

Towson University Boys' Lacrosse Day Camp www.towsontigers.com

Campers will receive instruction on the fundamental skills related to the game, individual skill development, offensive and defensive strategies, and specialized position work. Led by the Towson University Head Lacrosse Coach Tony Seaman and his assistant, former All-American from the University of Maryland, Buggs Combs.

Dates: July 6-10

Times: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Value: \$300 MINIMUM BID: \$180

Bryn Mawr School – Lacrosse Camp for Girls www.brynmawrschool.org/summer

Lacrosse camp for girls entering grades 3-9. Cost includes lunch and extended care (morning and afternoon).

Thanks to RFES parent, Vicky Burns, for making this offer possible.

Dates: July 20-23

Times: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Value: \$225 MINIMUM BID: \$135

Towson University Gymnastics Camp www.towsontigers.com (follow links to gymnastics)

Gymnastics camp will teach, improve, and fine tune gymnastics skills on Vault, Bars, Beam, and Floor.

Teaching aids include, but are not limited to, Tumble Track, pits, trampoline, and overhead belt systems. Ages 6-14.

Dates: Choice of June 22-26 or June 29-July 3rd

Times: 9:30 – 4 p.m. daily

Value: \$285 MINIMUM BID: \$171

Towson University Hitting Camp www.regonline.com/towsoncamps

The Towson University Hitting Camp is for the baseball player who wants to improve both their knowledge and skills of hitting, while having fun. Camp takes place at Schuerholz Park which is T.U.'s baseball complex.

Dates: July 20-24

Times: 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon daily

Value: \$100 MINIMUM BID: \$60

Mast Tennis Academy www.masttennisacademy.com

This camp is co-ed ages 4 to 16, with all skill levels welcome. Camps are held at Garrison Forest School and College of Notre Dame. All skills welcome!

Dates: Offer is for a 1 week session between June 8th and August 17th

Times: 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. (lunch not included - extended day available for \$40 weekly additional)

Value: \$275.00 MINIMUM BID: \$165.00

Steve Krulevitz's Summer Tennis Campwww.krulevitztennis.com

Steve Krulevitz leads boys and girls ages 5-16, in skill development and the fundamentals of the game. All abilities welcome. Located at Gilman School.

Dates: 1 week session, June, July or August

Times: 9 a.m. – 12 noon, M – F

Value: \$175 MINIMUM BID: \$105

Baltimore Fencing Summer Programwww.baltimorefencing.com

Half day beginner camp for young fencers (ages 8-13) at Baltimore's best fencing facility, Timonium location.

Dates: Offer is for 1 week: July 6-10, July 20-24, August 3-7, or August 10-14 (space permitting)

Times: 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

Value: \$175.00 MINIMUM BID: \$105

Mark Mettrick Soccer Camp www.mettricksoccer.com

Loyola College men's soccer coach offers a week of skill-building, team tactics and soccer fun, for boys and girls, ages 5-16, held at Dumbarton fields. (2 slots up for bid)

Dates: Offer is for August 3-7 only.

Times: 9:00 a.m. – 12 noon

Value: \$155.00 MINIMUM BID: \$93

Mike Stankovic Summer Soccer Camp at Dumbartonwww.mikestankovicsoccer.com

Learn soccer strategies for offense and defense, with an emphasis on team play. Accuracy, power shooting, dribbling moves, agility and passing are just a few skills developed. Camp is held at Dumbarton Middle School.

Dates: August 10-14th

Times: 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

Value: \$140 MINIMUM BID: \$84

TRC Football Camp www.towsonrec.com (then choose Football)

For boys, ages 8 – 14, this camp teaches non-contact skill development with daily contests in passing accuracy, punting, kicking, agility course, and the 40-yard dash. Camp is held at Dumbarton Middle School.

Dates: Offer is for 1 week, June 22-26 OR June 29-July 3.

Times: 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Value: \$125 MINIMUM BID: \$75

Tom Marechek's All-Pro Lacrosse Camp – Goucher College <http://allprolaxcamps.com>

Join Baltimore Bayhawks' star and National Lacrosse League Hall-of-Famer Tom Marechek to learn or improve lacrosse techniques, stick skills and team tactics in one of the nation's best instructional lacrosse camps. Camp is held at Goucher College; offer may be used for day camp (boys under 11) or overnight camp (boys 11 and up).

Offer: This offer is not for the full cost of the camp. You are bidding on an offer for *25% off the posted fee of the camp, plus a signed STX full strung lacrosse head. Balance of the camp cost is winner's responsibility.*

Dates: Day camp (4 days, 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., lunch included) **OR** overnight camp (meals included); both camps run June 20-24 OR June 24-27

Camp Cost: \$355 for day camp or \$485 for overnight

Value: 25% off certificate (minimum of \$88.75 value) + lacrosse head (\$89 value) MINIMUM BID: \$88

Merritt Athletic Club Swim Academywww.merrittclubs.com

Choice of six-week swim session.

Dates: April, May or June

Times: (class schedule on website)

Value: \$83 MINIMUM BID: \$50

Art and Music Camps

Student Writers' Workshop at Towson University www.towson.edu/mwp

This enrichment camp, held at Towson University, is for young people entering grades 2-12 who love to write and will enjoy sharing their creative writing (poetry, short stories, novels, or scripts) with their peers. Children must have completed first grade and be entering second grade in September 2009.

Dates: Monday, July 6 through Friday, July 24 (15 mornings)

Times: 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

Value: \$375.00 MINIMUM BID: \$225

Summer Camp at the Walters Art Museum www.thewalters.org

Lots of fun with art techniques and cultural themes explored through gallery visits, art projects, books, and theater activities. For children in 3rd – 5th grade.

Dates: Choice of 1 week session July 6-10, July 12-17, July 20-24, or July 27-31

Times: 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Value: \$320 MINIMUM BID: \$192

The Painting Workshop <http://www.thepaintingworkshop.com>

The Painting Workshop offers a summer camp for kids ages 5-10. In the morning, painting and drawing projects include e-tempera paint on paper and painting on canvas. In the afternoon, children create clay and paper mache crafts, and go outside for activities and games. Mt. Washington location.

Dates: Offer is for 1 week, anytime this summer

Times: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Value: \$235 (full day) MINIMUM BID: \$141

DayJams Rock Music Day Camp www.dayjams.com

Live your Rock Star dreams this summer! Our creative environment guides campers through songwriting, instrument lessons, band promotion, and a live concert performance. Ages 8-15. Roland Park Country School location. *\$275 certificate toward tuition of \$575. Balance of camp tuition is winner's responsibility.*

Dates: Pick 1 of 4 weeks available - July 6-10, 13-17, 20-24, 27-31

Times: 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.

Value: \$275 certificate toward tuition of \$575 MINIMUM BID: \$165

A Step Ahead Dance Center www.astepaheaddancecenter.com

Join A Step Ahead on Joppa Road for an exciting week of dance camp, mixing classes in jazz, tap, hip-hop and ballet, as well as watching and imitating dance movies and learning routines. Students will work on choreographing a group piece to perform in their very own showcase.

Dates: June 22-26, July 13-17, or August 10-14

Times: June & Aug. camps 9 a.m. – 4 p.m., July camp 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Value: up to \$325 MINIMUM BID: \$195

Merritt Athletic Clubs Summer Dance Camp www.merrittclubs.com

Dance Camps for ages 3-11. *Certificate for \$50 toward camp of your choice. Balance of camp tuition is winner's responsibility.* Towson or Cranbrook Merritt location.

Dates: Pick 1 of 4 sessions, June 8-12 Dancing Princess Camp for ages 3-6, June 22-26 Musical Dance Camp for ages 5-8, July 13-17 Musical Dance Camp for ages 6-9, or July 27-31 Musical Dance Camp for ages 7-11.

Times: June 8-12 session is 9:30-12, all other sessions are 9:30-1 p.m.

Value: \$50 certificate toward camp tuition of \$155 MINIMUM BID: \$25

General Nature, Science, and Multi-Themed Camps

Irvine Nature Center www.explorenature.org

Children 13-15 years old learn about the connections between art, nature and science while creating art projects. Visit the American Visionary Art Museum and hike through trails at the center exploring live animal exhibits.

Visionary Nature and Art Camp

Dates: July 27-31

Times: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Value: \$420 MINIMUM BID \$252

ESF Camps at Gilman www.esfcamps.com

ESF has provided award winning camp programs for over 27 years. Choose between Day Camp (ages 4-8), Sports Camp (ages 7-14), or Senior Camp (ages 9-15). The Day Camp and Senior Camp offer a wide variety of activities including swimming, art programs, sports, theme days and eco-adventures. The Sports Camp offers a variety of sports in an action packed program promoting the development of athletic skills, sportsmanship, leadership, teamwork and self-confidence.

Dates: Choose 1 week from June 15 – August 7th.

Times: 9 a.m. – 3 p.m.

Value: up to \$430 MINIMUM BID \$258

Kids for Peace Camp www.kidsforpeacecamp.com

Kids ages 6-14 are immersed in the culture, language, art, food and history of other countries to promote understanding and an awareness of peace and justice throughout the world. *Certificate for \$215 toward camp of your choice. Balance of camp tuition is winner's responsibility.*

Dates: Offer is for 1 week from June 22-August 14 at the Towson University site.

Times: 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. (before and after care available for \$15/week additional)

Value: \$215 (toward cost of your choice of camps ranging from \$215-\$325) MINIMUM BID: \$129

Nature Camps, Inc. www.naturecamps.com

Nature Camps is an outdoor adventure and environmental education program committed to the use of experiential education to promote individual growth, sensory awareness and nature appreciation. Co-ed ages 2 ½ - 16. *Offer is for one free week of a two week session of your choice. Second week is full price. Balance of camp tuition is winner's responsibility.*

Dates: Offer is for 1 free week of a 2 week session, between June 15 and August 7.

Times: 8:45 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Value: \$337.50 MINIMUM BID: \$202

Baltimore Museum of Industry's Green Kids Urban Ecology Camp www.thebmi.org

Green Kids will engage children in a fun-filled educational program that addresses science, engineering and math, all linked to the environment. Location is outside the BMI on the historic waterfront campus and in the museum's 1865 historical oyster cannery building. For children entering grades 3, 4, and 5.

Dates: July 13-17

Times: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Value: \$175 MINIMUM BID: \$105

Camp Bravo www.campbravo.com

Conveniently located on the beautiful grounds of Towson University, Camp Bravo offers your child many enjoyable and exciting summer activities. There's sports and swimming, arts and crafts, introduction to the performing arts and exploration of the amazing world around us. Camp is open to children ages 4½ through the 6th grade. We offer two four-week sessions. *Offer is for \$100 voucher toward camp tuition. Full camp cost is \$930 for 4 week session. Balance of camp tuition is winner's responsibility. (Two vouchers are available – limit one per family.)*

Dates: June 22-August 14th

Times: Visit website or call for details, 410-358-3221

Value: \$100 voucher toward tuition

MINIMUM BID: \$50



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TECH TREK CAMP AUCTION FORM

Please return this form in your child’s take home folder or directly to the Tech Trek Box in the RFES front office. This form must be completed, signed, sealed and submitted NO LATER than 4 p.m., Friday, March 20th. Any bids received after this will not be accepted.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Best number to contact me: home/cell/work: (_____) _____

Email: _____

Signature

Date

I have read and understand the “How to Bid” process. I understand that payment is due upon notification of winning.

I am bidding on the following (check all that apply):

- Velocity Sports Personal Training** Value: \$334 Minimum bid: \$200 MY BID: \$_____
- Towson University Boys’ Lacrosse Day Camp** Value: \$300 Minimum bid: \$180 MY BID: \$_____
- Bryn Mawr School Lacrosse Camp for Girls** Value: \$225 Minimum bid: \$135 MY BID: \$_____
- Towson University Gymnastics Camp** Value: \$285 Minimum bid: \$171 MY BID: \$_____
- Towson University Hitting Camp** Value: \$100 Minimum bid: \$60 MY BID: \$_____
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- Merritt Athletic Clubs Summer Dance Camp** Value: \$50 Minimum bid: \$25 MY BID: \$_____
- Visionary Art and Nature Camp at Irvine** Value: \$420 Minimum bid: \$252 MY BID: \$_____
- ESF Camps at Gilman** Value:\$430 Minimum bid: \$258 MY BID: \$_____
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**ALL PROCEEDS FROM THE SUMMER CAMP AUCTION
DIRECTLY BENEFIT TECHNOLOGY AT RFES.**

Thanks for supporting the TECH TREK program!

Your participation makes a real difference in the education of our children.