

Bertrand Farm Summer Farm Camp Schedule 2017



Fun
Adventurous
Nutritious &
Educational

Farm Camp was the first program started at the farm in 1996. What began as a trial two-week program has grown into a community of summer friends. This summer we begin our 21st year on the farm. We grow to serve more children and families each year.

Farm camp is a day camp program for children 4-13 years old. Children are hands on involved in the everyday activities of a small working farm. Each day includes farm chores, agriculture lessons, harvesting, cooking or nature projects. Nutrition and ecology are intrinsic parts of the experience.

Children come from all walks of life and many different surrounding communities to join our summer programs. We welcome all and provide scholarships when needed. Although the lesson plan is the same for each weekly summer session, we are working and learning in a naturally changing environment which makes every week a little different.

Our goal is always to follow the child's excitement and wonder as we visit and learn about the special places on the farm. From the barnyard to the gardens to a very special secret place it is a week of new and exciting discovery.

Come grow with us this summer.

Register at online or mail the following registration with payment

Farm Camp 4 – 6 year olds: Farm Adventure

Children will use their 5 senses to discover 4 special places on the farm including the barnyard, vegetable gardens, the orchard and crop land. (children should be 4 before May 1 for this class) M – TH, 9am -11:30(11:30 -12 is optional show and tell time with guardians). June 19 - August 03 (8 – 1 week sessions). The cost is \$110. per camper.

Farm Camp 7 -10 yr olds: Discovering Where Our Food Comes From is a non-stop immersion into the nature of a small working farm. Campers will work and harvest in all areas of the farm. M-TH, 9am -12noon, June 26– Aug 4 (7 – 1 week sessions). \$110. per camper.

Farm Camp 11 – 13 year olds: I Can Grow teaches basic farming. Campers will work along side interns in the field and with the livestock. Each day will include field work, harvesting and an interactive food preparation class. Class size is limited to 8. A great class for future Jr counselors. M - TH, 9am – 12 noon. June 26 –Aug 04 (7- 1 week sessions). \$120. per week

Optional extended day available for 8yrs and older-\$100. (3pm pick-up)

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To register send payment and the following information to
Bertrand Farm, 3575 W Bertrand Rd, Niles, MI 49120

Childs Name: _____

Age on May 15,2017: _____

Parent Name & Email: _____

Address: _____ Phone: _____

1 st Choice week for Camp _____

2nd choice _____

Camp Extended Day Option: Yes or NO

Any special needs?

Camp Logo T-shirt- add \$15.00 ea., Youth S M L ADULT S M L

Please consider a tax deductible donation to our Farm Camp Scholarship Fund (5
given each week) \$ _____

You will receive an email confirmation upon receipt of registration and payment.

Thank You!