

Camp McLean 2026

The Making of Heroes!

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Our dynamic **Camp McLean** program provides a wide array of fun experiences for McLean's youth. Campers can enjoy trips and performances; explore the world of fitness, have fun and much, much more! During each session, our trained facilitators will lead campers on some unforgettable adventures and provide enrichment opportunities from crafts to nature to just plain summer fun!

Camp McLean location:

Kent Gardens Elementary School: 1717 Melbourne Drive, McLean, VA 22101

Session I: July 6th – July 10th

Session II: July 13th – July 24th

Session III: July 27th – August 7th

Camp McLean Hours

Iron Patriots/ Thunderbolts/ Guardians:

Camp Hours: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Registration begins on Monday, February 2nd at 9 a.m. 2026, for all residents. For information about the registration process, please contact Barry Pinder-Robinson at the Old Firehouse at 703-448-8336.

Please read the **Parent Handbook** for Camp McLean policy. It contains important information about our camp and campers' code of conduct. The Parent Handbook, as well as other required forms can be found online at <https://mcleancenter.org/camp-forms/>

Requirements for Registration

These additional forms will be required no less than one month prior to the start of camp. You may drop off completed forms to the Camp Director, at the Old Firehouse Center, 1440 Chainbridge Rd, McLean, VA 22101. **Note: Without these forms your child will not be admitted to camp.**

- A current and completed **Certification of Immunization** signed by a doctor
- A **Physical Examination** signed by a physician dated after August 2025. A copy of the form is acceptable.
- In accordance with Virginia law, the Center's staff is required to see a **document with proof of your child's age**. You must bring one of the following when you register your child for camp
 - a certified copy of his or her birth certificate
 - a U.S. passport (or State-Department-issued documentation)
 - Virginia school report card. **Note: Please do not leave the originals at the Old Firehouse**

Camp McLean registration forms will not be accepted prior to Feb 2nd, 2026.

Camp McLean Information

Iron Patriots (Ages 5-6): 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Camp participants must have turned 5 years old by May 29th, 2026

Session I includes one pool trip, and one field trip. Session II will include two pool trips, one in-house entertainment, and one field trip. Session III includes two pool trips, one in-house entertainment event and one field trip. Each session, campers participate in specialist-planned activities.

8004.126 **Iron Patriots: Session I**
July 6th – July 10th
\$275/\$250 McLean district residents

8005.126 **Iron Patriots: Session II**
July 13th – July 24th
\$575/\$525 McLean district residents

8006.126 **Iron Patriots: Session III**
July 27th – August 7th
\$575/\$525 McLean district residents

Thunderbolts (Ages 7-8): 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Camp participants must have turned 7 years old by May 29th, 2026

Session I includes one pool trip, and one field trip. Session II will include two pool trips, one in-house entertainment, and one field trip. Session III includes two pool trips, one in-house entertainment event and one field trip. Each session, campers will participate in specialist-planned activities.

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| 8007.126 | Thunderbolts: Session I
July 6 th – July 10 th
\$275/\$250 McLean district residents |
| 8008.126 | Thunderbolts: Session II
July 13 th – July 24 th
\$575/\$525 McLean district residents |
| 8009.126 | Thunderbolts: Session III
July 27 th – August 7 th
\$575/\$525 McLean district residents |

Guardians (Ages 9-10): 9 a.m. - 4 p.m.

Camp participants must have turned 9 years old by May 29th, 2026.

Session I will include one pool trip, and one field trip. Session II will include two pool trips, one in-house entertainment, and one field trip. Session III includes two pool trips, and two field trips. Each session, campers will participate in specialist-planned activities.

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| 8010.126 | Guardians: Session I
July 6 th – July 10 th
\$275/\$250 McLean District Residents |
| 8011.126 | Guardians: Session II
July 13 th – July 24 th
\$590/ \$540 McLean District Residents |
| 8012.126 | Guardians: Session III
July 27 th – August 7 th
\$590/\$540 McLean District Residents |

*** The Iron Patriots, Thunderbolts & Guardians will spend periods of each day with specialists in various disciplines in addition to their other camp activities. ***

Refund Policy

- Request made **BEFORE the first Friday in April** and submitted in writing to refunds@mcleancenter.org: Patron will receive a full refund.
- Requests made **AFTER the first Friday in April but MORE THAN 21 days ahead of the camp start date**: Patron will receive a full refund less a 20% administrative fee.
- Requests made **LESS THAN 21 days before the start of the camp**: Refunds will only be granted if the vacant spot is filled. Patron will receive a full refund less than 20% administrative fee.

For additional camp information, contact Barry Pinder-Robinson at Barry.PinderRobinson@fairfaxcounty.gov, or call the Old Firehouse at 703-448-8336

Camp McLean Camper Information Sheet

Camper Name:

Last

First

Date of Birth: _____ Age: _____ Gender: _____ Shirt Size (YXS-AM): _____

Grade (Fall 2026) _____ School (Fall 2026): _____

Person(s) authorized to pick up child (parents included):

Person(s) not authorized to pick up child:

(additional documentation may be required)

Parent/Guardian Information

Home Address:

Street _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Parent/Guardian: _____
Last Name _____ *First Name* _____

Parent/Guardian Contact Numbers:

Work Phone _____ *Cell Phone* _____ *Home Phone* _____

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Work Phone *Cell Phone* *Home Phone*

Emergency Contact Information

Please list full names, full address, relation to the camper and a phone number to be reached in the event of an emergency.

1. Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone No. _____

Relation to Camper: _____

2. Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone No. _____

Relation to Camper: _____

Physician Information

Physician Name: _____

Phone No. _____

Virginia Proof of Identity and Age

Please list the names and dates of attendance of all previous schools and/or day care centers which the applicant has attended. Please attach a separate sheet, if necessary.

Name of School or Day Care Center: _____

Start: ____/____ End: ____/____

Name of School or Day Care Center: _____

Start: ____/____ End: ____/____

Additional Supports

We believe all children can succeed; some may need additional support to make programs/camps more enjoyable. If there is additional information that you can provide that will help Camp McLean staff create environments best suited for your child's success, please let us know (this may include information such as doing better in smaller groups, needing breaks, etc). If your child has a success/action plan that they have implemented at school or at another program, please share that with us. Information collected is used only to assist staff in creating positive and successful environments for your child.

(Please e-mail Camp Director Barry Pinder-Robinson at
Barry.PinderRobinson@fairfaxcounty.gov)

Allergies/Dietary Restrictions

Does your child have Allergies? YES NO
If YES, please fill out **Allergy Care Plan** form located on the Camp McLean page.

Does your child have any dietary restrictions? YES NO

Please list any dietary restrictions:

Medication

Does your child take medication? YES NO
Please list the medication(s) your child takes:

Will your child need medication during program hours? YES NO
If YES, will your child need Camp Staff to Administer Medication? YES NO
If Yes, please fill out the **Medication Authorization Form** located on the Camp McLean page.

Water Play / Swimming Assessment

Water Play & Swimming Skills Information

- Uncomfortable in water
- Comfortable in water
- I Do Not** give permission for my child to participate in water or pool activities

Additional Notes: (Swimming Level, Ear Plugs Needed, Hearing Aids, etc.):

Sunscreen Permission Form

Date: _____

Name of Child: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Name of Sunscreen product and SPF number:

Does your child have allergies to sun protection products? _____ YES, _____ NO

If yes, name the product: _____

Special Instructions:

_____ In the event that my child's sunscreen is not readily available, my child may use sunscreen provided by Camp McLean Staff.

Camp McLean will be using Coppertone Water Babies Sunscreen Lotion Spray, SPF 50 Waterproof, Extra UVA Protection, No.1 Pediatrician Recommended Brand

_____ I do **not** want my child to use any sunscreen other than the brand he/she brings.

Camp McLean Staff will assist participants with applying sunscreen to bare skin surfaces, including the face, tops of ears, and bare shoulders, arms and legs when outdoor activities in direct sunlight are scheduled.

Insect Repellant Permission

Camp McLean Staff are not allowed to assist in the application of insect repellent without written permission. If you would like your child to be able to use insect repellent during camp, you must complete this form stating you agree that you will allow Camp McLean Staff to assist your child in the application of insect repellent.

Date: _____

Name of Child: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Does your child have allergies to insect repellent ingredients? YES NO

If yes, name(s) of the ingredient(s): _____

If providing your own insect repellent, please specify the name of insect repellent provided:

Camp McLean will be using OFF! Family Care Insect Repellent-Unscented with Aloe Vera, a Pediatrician Recommended Brand

Special Permissions and OPT OUT:

In the event that my child's insect repellent is not readily available, my child may use insect repellent provided by Camp McLean Staff.

I do **not** want my child to use any insect repellent other than the brand he/she brings.

Camp McLean Staff will assist participants with applying insect repellent to bare skin surfaces, including the face, tops of ears, and bare shoulders, arms and legs when outdoor activities as needed.

PARENT/GUARDIAN PERMISSION AND AUTHORIZATION

I, the undersigned adult, am the parent or legal guardian
of _____

(hereinafter referred to as "my child")

Permission to Participate in Camp McLean

I give permission for my child to participate in Camp McLean (Camp). I understand and agree that My Child may be transported in the commercial carriers or Fairfax County approved vehicles.

I understand that my child's participation in camp activities, including field trips, is conditional upon the willingness of my child to abide by rules of conduct established by the camp, the McLean Community Center, and/or Fairfax County Public Schools. I agree that the participation of my child in any camp activities, including field trips, may be terminated for failure to behave and act in accordance with such rules of conduct, for failure to follow the instructions and directions of camp personnel, including but not limited to persons supervising or chaperoning field trips, or for any acts deemed to be detrimental to or incompatible with the interest, harmony, comfort, or welfare of the Camp generally. I agree that if my child's participation is terminated, no refund of any fees paid for his/her participation shall be due.

I understand the nature of camp activities and the risks involved. I agree to indemnify, protect and hold harmless Camp McLean, Fairfax County Public Schools and the McLean Community Center, and board members, officers, employees and agents of these entities, and all private persons and organizations volunteering services without charge to supervise or chaperone camp participants, and the County of Fairfax and its Board of Supervisors, officers, employees, agents, and volunteers, from any and all claim or liability whatsoever, including but not limited to personal injury, property damage, court costs, attorney's fees, and interest, however caused, as a result of the participation of My Child in any camp activities, including field trips.

Permission for My Child to Go on Field Trips

I give permission for my child to be taken on field trips off the site of Camp McLean. I understand that these trips will be taken using commercial carriers or Fairfax County approved vehicles and will be supervised by camp staff.

Policy Regarding Illness

I understand I cannot send a child to camp who has been sick within the last 24 hours. Campers that are sick and arrive at camp with conditions such as a temperature of over 100 degrees, vomiting, diarrhea, Pinkeye (Conjunctivitis), or lice will not be able to stay at camp. The camp agrees to notify the parent/guardian whenever the child becomes ill. The parent/guardian will arrange to have the child picked up as soon as possible but not more than one hour from the time of notification. A sick child will be made as comfortable as possible in the camp office away from the other children until arrangements can be made to have the child taken home. In the event your child becomes ill while participating in a field trip you may be required to travel to the field trip site to pick up your child.

Authorization for Medical Treatment

I understand that in case of a medical emergency concerning my child, if the effort described above to reach me or my Alternative Contact as described above is unsuccessful, or if it is reasonably determined that there is insufficient time under the circumstances to attempt such contact, or if I am otherwise unable to give consent for any necessary emergency treatment of my child as recommended by competent medical authority, I authorize the camp staff or the McLean Community Center to consent to such treatment for my child, including medical or surgical examination, diagnosis and treatment, anesthesia and hospital care.

Camp McLean reserves the right to photograph and videotape all the activities associated with Camp McLean.

I agree to be responsible for updating any of the above medical and contact information in writing as and when necessary.

I have read, understand and agree to the permissions, policies outlined in the parent handbook, refund policies, conditions, liability and medical releases, late fees and other matters set forth on the registration form and the camper information sheet.

Print Name: _____

Signature: _____

DATE: _____