

Welcome to an Awesome Summer Adventure!

ASA (After School Adventure during the school year) is providing a summer option, in conjunction with Fircreek Day Camp, for families who are pre-approved DSHS and/or families who are only looking for 1-3 days of childcare a week. To register your child for summer ASA, please submit your completed forms to The Firs Registration Office or mail to:

The Firs Registrar, 4605 Cable St., Bellingham, WA 98229.

A registration confirmation will be sent to you.

If you have questions, please call **(360)733-6840, ext. 223.**

COST: \$38 per day, per child.

We are looking forward to a great summer, packed full of action, adventure, hilarious laughter, crazy Summer Staff friends and meaningful encounters with God, for your child and friends. Situated in a spacious grove of fir and cedar trees, Fircreek and ASA provide a great environment for having fun, making new friends, cultivating new interests and just being kids!

ASA and Fircreek are working together to provide your child with the perfect, affordable summer-time experience, for children going into 1st – 6th grades. This broad age range is divided into two groups – grades 1-3 and 4-6, specifically addressing the needs of each group.

ASA provides care for children who are either sponsored by DSHS and need to attend a licensed childcare program approved by DSHS or who only need care for a few days a week. Children who are part of the Awesome Summer Adventure program will join Fircreek for a wide variety of outdoor activities. What could be better – having more childcare options available to parents, while your child gets to participate in our popular Fircreek program?!

Your child is our #1 priority at Fircreek and ASA, as we offer a safe, exciting and caring environment, for children to grow and experience new challenges. We warmly invite children of any ethnic or religious background to “choose your adventure” at an Awesome Summer Adventure and Fircreek Day Camp, this summer.

We look forward to meeting you.

Stacy Smith, Awesome Summer Adventure Director
& **Darell Smith**, Fircreek Day Camp Director

WHAT TIME

You may drop off your child at 6:45 – 9:00 AM and pick up between 4:45 – 5:30 PM. If unable to pick up your child by 5:30 PM, we may have a staff member available on site until 5:45 PM. Please notify us if you will pick your child up after 5:30 PM. Please be on time!

WHAT TO BRING

Sack lunch and water bottle, swim suit, towel, extra shoes, active clothing, and medications. Candy shack money is optional and limited to \$1 per day. Please write your child's name in ALL articles of clothing! (We are not responsible for lost or stolen items. Unclaimed lost and found items are given to charity October 1.)

SAMPLE SCHEDULE

6:45 AM	Doors Open for ASA
6:45 - 9:00	Arrival and Open Play Time
9:00 - 9:30	Kick-Off (songs, skits and story)
9:40 - 11:20	Adventure Zone Activity (crafts, waterfront, field games, woods, etc.)
11:30 - 12:15 PM	Lunch (candy store open; \$1 per day maximum)
12:30 - 2:45	Adventure Zone Activity (crafts, waterfront, field games, woods, etc.)
3:00 - 3:30	Encounters with God
3:30 - 4:30	All-Camp Game and Activity
4:30 - 4:45	Wrap-Up
4:45 - 5:15	Parents Pick Up Kids

ASA & FIRCREEK SUMMER WEEKLY THEMES

Week 1	June 21-26	Knights of the Square Table
Week 2	June 28-July 2	Ninjas in the Kitchen (No Event)
Week 3	July 5-10	Where the Wacky Things Are
Week 4	July 12-16	Fairytale Fantasia (FN)
Week 5	July 19-24	Surf's Up at The Creek
Week 6	July 26-30	Super Hero Olympics (FN)
Week 7	August 2-7	Sponge Bob Flair Pants
Week 8	August 9-13	Billy the Kid's Backlash (FN)
Week 9	August 16-21	Wahooooo!!!!
Week 10	August 23-27	The Infamous Candy Napper (FN)
Week 11	Aug 30-Sep 2	Pirate's Cove (Mini-week**)

THURSDAY FAMILY NIGHTS (FN)

A night for your entire family to come and enjoy a BBQ dinner and some fun entertainment! Time is Thursdays from 5:30-7:30 PM. No extra fee for Family Nights (Weeks 4, 6, 8, 10).
(Please note: Overnights are not available to the Awesome Summer Adventure campers.)

SUMMER ACTIVITIES & FUN

Each week we will:

- Participate in wild and zany all camp games and team competition.
- Take a weekly field trip beyond the grounds of ASA & Fircreek, for grades 4-6.
- Explore the 4 “Adventure Zones” of Fircreek.

Woods Zone: Tree houses, giant swing, archery, fort building, with lots of room to run and play.

Sports Zone: Basketball court, badminton, and a spacious athletic field to host various team sports.

Wet Zone: Ski boats, tubing, water trampoline, kayaks, swimming, water polo at The Firs' waterfront.

Arts Zone: Pottery and clay sculpting, drawing, crafts, masks, and more.