

# SPX Summer Camp 2018 Schedule

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## June 11-15

**BEACH BASH** (rising K – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Bekki Reid) Let's get the summer started right with a beach bash! Are you ready to make a splash? Join us for some fun in the sun! Although we are a few hours from the beach, we will do our best to bring the best of the coast to you! We will explore water science experiments. Create sand art and explore ocean wildlife this week. We may even make some amazing crafts that you can take on your beach trip. Close your eyes and you might think you're really at the beach! Sign up now for a week of fun in the sun!

**IT'S A LEGO® PARTY** (rising K-6<sup>th</sup> grades – Mrs. Lucinda Hernandez) – Have you ever wanted to build your own house, design your own car, or make your own airplane? Maybe you would like to create a dinosaur or castle? The sky is the limit! Sign up for a week of creative building fun using Legos®. We will spend our days building models and helping others build the best creations. We will have relay races and see how to make the fastest model. We will also put all of our teamwork together to make the largest masterpiece ever! We guarantee a week of busy fun building that you don't want to miss.

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**KIDS ON BROADWAY** (rising 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> grade –Roz Fulton) Do you love to perform? Do you see your name in lights? Here is your chance to develop your skills!!! Sing and dance your way through some of Broadway's most popular hits from selections such as ANNIE, MATILDA, THE LITTLE MERMAID and more! You will spend this week learning music, learning character development and learning basic choreography while having the time of your life! Come learn how to develop your dramatic skills.

**VOLLEYBALL** (rising 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Coach Amanda Mercer) - Bump....Set...Spike! This camp will help you develop some basic volleyball skills all while enhancing your love for the game! With a focus on the development of the core fundamentals, our coaches will teach you the proper technique and form essential for the success of all young players. The #1 priority is to help each player improve regardless of initial skill level, and campers will learn the importance of stretches and warm ups, as well as important skill sets of passing, setting, spiking, digging, serving, blocking, and being a team player. Highlights of the week will be scrimmage game, queen's court, knee tag, ball tag, pepper, and passing with a partner. Whether it's on the court, in the pool, or on the beach, volleyball is a favorite! Boys and girls are welcome to join Coach Mercer for five days filled with skill development, games, good sportsmanship, and fun!

## June 18-22

**ART EXTRAVAGANZA** (RISING K-2<sup>nd</sup> -Mrs. Anna Martinek – Jenne) Unleash the artist inside of you! Join us for a week of exploring the works and styles of many famous artists as we dive into your creative side and experiment with a variety of media. Plan to get messy, use unusual materials, and celebrate unique expression. We are all artists in some way-- find out what types of art you enjoy best! An awesome week for art enthusiasts and for those who don't think they are...yet

**ENGINEERS** (rising K – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Bekki Reid) – Calling all builders! Are you a budding engineer? Do you love to build? Then join us for a week filled with building simple machines, bridges, and toothpick towers. We'll have fun races to create the tallest tower. We'll learn how to build the fastest paper airplane launcher. You won't want to miss this exciting week of building for future engineers!

**EXPLORE SCIENCE MAGIC** (rising K-6<sup>th</sup> grades – Mrs. Lucinda Hernandez) –Have you ever wondered why things are the way they are? Do you enjoy discovering new things? Then this is the camp for you! We will experiment, create, discover and answer your science questions! You can look forward to many science experiments every day. You may even go home with some concoctions of your own. It will be slimy, fizzy, gooey and loads of fun. We'll have a great time exploding... I mean exploring science.

**COACH SHELTON'S BASKETBALL CAMP** (rising 2<sup>nd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades - Coach Kristin Shelton) - Find the basketball star in you! Do you love to play basketball? Do you want to take your game to the next level? If so, then don't miss this week of basketball camp with Coach Shelton! AAU and college players will help Coach Shelton prepare you to be the best player you can be. Offensive drills will include shooting, dribbling, passing, and setting and using screens. You will learn offensive plays and strategies that will help you compete and understand basketball at a higher level. Defensive drills will focus on man to man defensive principles. Along with skill development in morning stations, afternoon games will be played daily with teams formed based on each camper's rising grade. Each team will participate in daily 30 minute practices, 3 point contests, and 3 on 3 contests. Don't miss out on your chance to be the next professional star! There is a great basketball player in you just waiting to shine!!!

**MOVIE MAKERS** (rising 3<sup>rd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grades – Cindy Gebbia) – Lights, Camera, Action! You will work with iMovies and Claymation to make your own movies during this week of camp! You will learn the fundamentals of making a movie using storyboards, pictures, images and music. With iMovie, you will make movie and book trailers, animate a children's story and film your own adventures. You'll learn how to make stop motion animation videos with characters and props from clay. You'll design your own backgrounds and props. You will make inanimate objects come to life! Hollywood won't be able to hold you back after this week of fun filled movie making!

June 25-29

**MINE CRAFTERS** (rising 2<sup>nd</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grades Cindy Gebbia) –Take Minecraft to a whole new level!!!! Play Minecraft with your friends **AND** create Minecraft stop motion animated movies. Create and explore in this pixelated world. Hunt, sail and farm, while constructing homes and objects by breaking and placing textured cubes in a 3D world. Your creativity is limitless when you join your friends to build, discover and problem solve! But don't stop there! You will also get to make inanimate objects come to life with stop motion animated movies using Minecraft figures! You will use an app designed for Minecraft animation. You'll create your own backgrounds and props. The building, creating and Minecraft movie making is endless! ***Please note students must have their own Minecraft account for the computer to participate in this camp.***

**COOKING CREATIONS** (rising K - 6<sup>th</sup> grades – Mrs. Lucinda Hernandez) - Everyone loves great food and great company! Come spend a week learning how to be the next great chef. You will learn how to prepare special snacks, treats and entire meals. You'll learn specific recipes and techniques for using the crockpot so that you can create a crockpot meal for your family. But for those super hot days when you don't want to add any heat to the kitchen you'll learn how to create no-bake wonders! Won't your parents be surprised when you help them measure ingredients, prepare menus, and assist them in the kitchen. And of course, all great chefs have to eat the gourmet foods they create! Join us for a week of food creation, tasting, and fun!

**STRIKING SOCCER STARS** (rising K-6<sup>th</sup> grades – Coach Sarah Graves) – Coach Graves is ready to mold you into the next striking soccer star! During this fun-filled week, you'll learn soccer skills like kicking, trapping, shooting, dribbling, and defense, while mixing in lots of fun games and challenges. Spend a week with a ball at your feet, juggling and improving your skills to be the next World Cup Champion! World Cuppies, skill relays, soccer dodgeball, indoor games, outdoor fun with throw in competitions, and many more skills and drills will highlight this week. Fill up your water bottle, and double knot those laces for a week of scoring goals and crazy kicking FUN! No cleats are allowed in soccer camp; shin guards are optional.

**BEST OF THE BEST** (rising K – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Bekki Reid) – Do you love all things camp? Science and art? Cooking and water? Building and all-around fun? Then sign up for this camp and experience the best of our favorite camp themes – all in one week! Each day will feature all sorts of activities sure to delight and excite you! You’ll do science, art, cooking, building, and water play! It’s the best of all the camps all rolled into one!

**SHHHH....MATH FUN** (rising 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade – Mr. Michael Cacaci) Do your kids struggle with math or do you just want to give them a head start for next year? This camp is for them!!! Mr. Cacaci has a way with math and kids love him. Children in this math camp will develop their problem solving and analytical skills while fostering their passion for math. They’ll have fun, build their confidence, and really start to like math! REALLY! Aligned with the Common Core Standards for Mathematics, the curriculum will enhance and broaden children’s understanding of core concepts learned during the school year. Through modeling, graphing, and solving real-world problems, participants will refine their problem-solving strategies. They’ll use games, puzzles, and logic and reasoning challenges to provide fun opportunities for teamwork and confidence building activities. And did we mention fun! Help your child build their math skills and boost their confidence.

**MYSTERY SPY CAMP** (rising 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Ms. Liz Foster) – Do you love solving mysteries and coming up with clever solutions to problems? Join Ms. Foster for a week of mystery and wonder! Throughout the week, you will play strategy games and learn the basics as of solving capers as you discover how to dust for fingerprints and use other techniques that help today’s best detectives solve crimes. Every spy will learn how to make secret codes, laser mazes, and invisible ink, all to be documented in our special detective notebooks. Playing mystery board games, going on scavenger hunts with clues, creating “spy” identities, and special visits from mystery guests are just a few of the surprises in store for you! By the end of the week, you will have fine-tuned your ability to notice minor details, draw conclusions, and solve the world’s mysteries. Strap on those gumshoes and join us for a sleuthing adventure you’ll never forget!

July 9-13

**ALL ABOUT ARTS** (rising K – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Bekki Reid) – Are you Picasso or Rembrandt? Maybe Monet? Better yet you are an artist with your own unique style! Come to camp this week to bring out your own inner artist! This week we will explore the arts inside and out. Taking time to paint and draw the world around us. We will explore ways to create art in teams and on our own. By the end of the week you will have a wonderful portfolio of art you have created with many mediums from paint to pencil to pastel.

**BASKETBALL STARS AND “FUN”DAMENTALS** (rising K – 6<sup>th</sup> grades – Coach Sarah Graves) – You don’t have to be an “all star” to play with us, but after a week of this camp you’ll be on your way to be an SPX Basket “ball” star! This camp will focus on the “fun”damentals of the game- ball handling, passing, shooting, layups, defense, and MORE! You will practice skills and play games like Elimination Basketball, Hot Shots, Dribble Knock Out, Speed Passing, Pass and Catch, 3 vs. 3, and 5 vs. 5. Defensive slides, relays, team games, and participating in other exciting games and activities like jump rope and ladder drills will fill the week, keeping you on your toes and active all day. Practice is the only way to get better, so lace up those shoes and be ready for lots of ACTION and FUN this week.

**MATH FUN FOR MATHLETES** (rising 2<sup>nd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade – Mr. Michael Cacaci) Do your kids excel at math? This camp is for those kids who have a knack for math!!! Mr. Cacaci has a way with math and kids love him. Participants in this math camp will build their problem solving and analytical skills while continuing to grow their passion for math. They’ll have fun and their love of math will soar! Aligned with the Common Core Standards for Mathematics, the curriculum will enhance and broaden children’s understanding of core concepts learned during the school year. Through modeling, graphing, and solving real-world problems, participants will refine their problem-solving strategies. They’ll use games, puzzles, and logic and reasoning challenges to provide fun opportunities for teamwork and confidence building activities. And did we mention fun! Help your child continue to build those strong math skills and that great math confidence.

**OUTDOOR ADVENTURES** (rising 2<sup>nd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Ms. Liz Foster) – Join Ms. Foster for an exciting week of learning about nature while making unique camping crafts with natural materials! We'll begin our week learning basic camping survival skills and using compasses to navigate our way through a nature scavenger hunt! This camp will be a great way to begin your summer with ideas you can put to use while camping, trekking at the beach, or exploring around your own backyard. We will have some exciting guests joining us this week. A park ranger, eagle scout, and boy scout leader will show us how to pitch a tent, make a lean-to, tie various knots, and build a fire so that we can enjoy s'mores! This camp will be filled with tents, knots, watermelons and rubber bands, ring tosses, skee ball games, marble run, laser mazes with streamers, secret message decoding, mini science experiments and explosions, magnifying glasses, yoga, time-out bottles, and catapults. Sign up today for an outdoor adventure you'll never forget!

**LEGO® MOVIE MAKERS** (6 – 8<sup>th</sup> grades – Monica Bush) – Lights, Camera, Action! You will work with Windows Movie Maker and Monkey Jam to create your own movies during this week of camp! You will learn the fundamentals of making a movie using storyboards, pictures, images and music. You will build sets using Lego blocks and mini-figures to create a movie trailer. By the end of the week you will have a complete movie short to share with an audience. You will be able to show off your movie at our Hollywood Preview!

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**July 16-20**

**CULINARY CREATIONS** (rising K – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Bekki Reid) - Are you the next best chef? Do you love to create in the kitchen? Would you like to prepare some healthy snacks and meals? Join Chef Reid at camp CULINARY CREATIONS as you ignite your cooking creativity! We'll create and sample fun, healthy foods each day. Each camper will make a cookbook of all the healthy recipes they create! Put on your chef's hat and join us in the kitchen!

**SPLISH SPLASH WATER ADVENTURE** (rising K-6<sup>th</sup> grades – Coach Sarah Graves) - What should you do on a hot, summer day? Go on a wild water adventure, of course! This camp brings you all of your favorite games with a little splash to cool you down in the summer heat. Throughout the week we will have sponge relays, water limbo, water balloon toss competitions, hose challenges, spray bottle tag, ice cube challenges, and many more. To dry off, we will play some team games like Keep it Up, Pilo Polo, kickball, foursquare, and many more! If you like to play games and get wet, sign up now! You don't want to miss out on a week of games and water fun with friends. Grab your sunscreen, towel, a change of clothes, and sneakers for a wet and wild week of fun and games!

**LACROSSE** (rising K – 8<sup>th</sup> – Coach Newton Babb) – Are you a lacrosse player? Would you like to be? Newton Babb, the Paige High School Lacrosse coach will be here to teach you the fundamentals of this great game! He and his assistants will teach grounds balls, catching, throwing, shooting, defense and footwork. They'll spend time teaching the skills along with having a ton of fun games to keep the players moving and enjoying their week. Whether you have never played or if you have been playing for years, this camp will have something for you! You'll have fun and learn a lot! Don't miss a great opportunity to be a part of the fastest growing game on two feet!

**PAINTING ON CANVAS** (rising 2<sup>nd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Ms. Elizabeth Boles) – You don't always have to stay in between the lines when making art, and that's what makes art so fun! Have your frames ready because you are going to spend the week creating some beautiful masterpieces with a local artist! Throughout the week, you will work on a 16 x 20 acrylic painting featuring a landscape on canvas using techniques and tricks to make colorful magic happen. A highlight of the week will be having your own "studio painting time" when you'll receive an opportunity to create a masterpiece of your choosing on a smaller canvas. Whether you're a beginner or need to "brush up" on your technique, this camp is sure to provide you with art treasures you'll enjoy for years to come!

**HARRY POTTER®** (rising 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Ms. Danielle Boltin) - Congratulations!!! You have been accepted to the 2018 Session of Camp HARRY POTTER® for Wizardry!!! Spend your week making potions with Professor Boltin, getting sorted into your wizardry house, competing for the Wizard House Cup, making your own wand, and sampling tasty treats. You'll learn magic tricks, make a few wizarding toys, and sample chocolate frogs. Sign up and reserve your ticket for the train, at Platform 9¾!

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**MATH MAYHEM** (rising 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade – Mr. Michael Cacaci) Do your middle schoolers think math is the worst? Do they think they're the worst and constantly struggle with homework and tests or do you just want to give them a leg up? This camp is for them!!! Mr. Cacaci has a way with math and St. Pius Middle schoolers love him. Participants in this math camp will develop their problem solving and analytical skills while developing a passion for math. They'll have fun, build their confidence, and really start to like math! REALLY! Aligned with the Common Core Standards for Mathematics, the curriculum will enhance and broaden children's understanding of core concepts learned during the school year. Through modeling, graphing, and solving real-world problems, participants will refine their problem-solving strategies. They'll use games, puzzles, and logic and reasoning challenges to provide fun opportunities for teamwork and confidence building activities. And did we mention fun! Help your child build their math skills and boost their confidence.

July 23-27

**LEGO® MANIA** (rising K – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Bekki Reid) - Are you a LEGO® maniac? Can't get enough of this brick building? Then join Mrs. Reid for a week of building fun! You'll spend the week creating and building! You'll have LEGO® balloon car races and build LEGO® catapults! Did you know you could also create LEGO® paintings? Those are just a few of the creations you will make this week while exploring the world of LEGOS®. Join us and see what you can do.

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**ROBOTICS 1 ANIMAL ALLIES** (3<sup>RD</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> grade – Monica Bush) – Think about all the different ways that people interact with animals. Sometimes people help animals and sometimes animals help people! In this camp you **build and program EV3 robots** to accomplish tasks on the playing field of Animal Allies! You will learn the necessary skills to accomplish fun and challenging missions. As a class, we will also be looking at different kinds of animals and their interactions with humans. You will re-search all the different ways that animals and humans work together! *This camp will be limited to the first 21 enrolled. **An additional \$30 materials fee is required for this camp.***

**SPORTS FANATICS** (rising K-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Coach Liz Foster) – What better way to spend your week than playing your favorite sports on the field and court! This camp is packed with sports galore including soccer, basketball, badminton, volleyball, dodgeball, capture the flag, and many of your other favorites! Each day you'll spend the morning learning the basic fundamentals as you focus on skills and drills. You'll end your days with team playoff games and competitions. Good sportsmanship will be emphasized throughout the week, as it is necessary for success in any sport. With shooting, passing, and punting competitions and a special "Sports Fanatics Challenge Day" on Friday, this camp is one you don't want to miss! NOTE: Campers will be divided into small teams based on age and ability so that everyone enjoys a fun and safe week!

**BABYSITTER TRAINING AND THEN SOME** (rising 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Mrs. Desiree Belcher) - We know how to make YOU the most sought after babysitter in town! Our babysitting camp entrepreneurs will start the week by becoming CPR certified by an American Heart Association Certified CPR/AED Instructor and learning basic babysitting curriculum. We'll learn to cook a few easy, healthy meals to add to our resumes and let parents know that we can keep children safe, happy and well nourished! Your CPR Instructor will also teach campers basic first aid that will help with any unexpected boo boos. We'll finish up the week working together to make flyers or resumes to hand out to your potential babysitting clients showcasing all of your training and readiness to be a reliable babysitter. Campers will receive their American Heart Association CPR certification card by mail 3 weeks after camp completion.

*This camp will be limited to the first 12 enrolled. **An additional \$55 fee is required for CPR certification card and teaching materials.***

**THEATER FOR MIDDLE SCHOOLERS** (rising 6<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade – Community Theater of Greensboro Teacher) Does your middle schooler love theater? Can you see their flair for drama? This camp is geared for middle schoolers and is designed to help them develop improvisational skills and create scenes for the stage. They will play theater games and create fun characters all while developing their dramatic abilities. If your child loves drama this is the camp for them!

**July 30-August 3**

**SUPER SCIENTISTS** (rising K – 3<sup>rd</sup> grade – Bekki Reid) - Calling all scientists to a week of wild and wacky experiments. Put on your goggles and come explore with Mrs. Reid. Each day we will uncover some of the magical secrets of science fun! We will make slime, explore solar energy, create rockets and so much more! We will spend a great week experimenting and thinking outside the box. Be prepared to get a little messy and have a lot of fun! You won't want to miss it.

**SPORTS AND GAMES GALORE** (rising K-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Coach Liz Foster) - Is PE your favorite class? Do you love to play games with friends and learn new things? This camp is FIVE days of nothing but sports fun and games, and what could be better than that? If you enjoy teambuilding activities, water fun and sports, be sure to sign up for this camp! Throughout the week, you'll enjoy basketball, kickball, soccer, badminton, volleyball, relay races, capture the flag, dodgeball, and wall ball. You'll compete in sports tournaments, obstacle courses, minute to win it games, sharks and minnows, scooter trash can ball, knock out, 3 legged races, bowlers vs. rollers, and spider web untangle games. Get ready to be wet with water balloon contests and water balloon dodgeball. This is one fun and exciting camp you won't want to miss! AND the best part is YOU get to pick some YOUR favorite games and activities to share! You don't want to miss this exciting adventure! Lace up those sneakers and get ready for some fun! NOTE: Campers will be divided into small teams based on age and ability so that everyone enjoys a fun and safe week!

**MATH FUN FOR MATH LEADERS** (rising 6<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup> grade – Mr. Michael Cacaci) - Do your middle schoolers excel at math? This camp is for those kids who have a knack for math!!! Mr. Cacaci has a way with math and St. Pius Middle schoolers love him. Participants in this math camp will build their problem solving and analytical skills while continuing to grow their passion for math. They'll have fun and their love of math will soar! Aligned with the Common Core Standards for Mathematics, the curriculum will enhance and broaden children's understanding of core concepts learned during the school year. Through modeling, graphing, and solving real-world problems, participants will refine their problem-solving strategies. They'll use games, puzzles, and logic and reasoning challenges to provide fun opportunities for teamwork and confidence building activities. And did we mention fun! Help your child continue to build those strong math skills and that great math confidence.

**UNDER THE SEA** (rising K-5<sup>th</sup> - Ms. Danielle Boltin) Grab your snorkels and creativity as we discover the magic of life under the sea! Join Miss Boltin for all things ocean and beach. In this camp you will create dancing crabs and soaring seagulls, take a dip in a tide pool, and decorate sensational snorkel masks. Help construct amazing sandcastles and create creative sea creatures! Enjoy plenty of refreshing summer beach snacks! Discover life under the sea. Miss Boltin is looking forward to playing beach games with you!

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## August 6-10

**KINDERGARTEN KICK-OFF** (rising SPX Kindergarteners only – Mrs. Patty Delaney) - You will learn everything you'll need to know about Kindergarten at Saint Pius during this week of friendship and fun. Overcome the usual first day of Kindergarten jitters by meeting your new Kindergarten friends, spending time in the Kindergarten classrooms, touring the school, and even meeting the Principal! You will be introduced to life as a Kindergartener with activities, games, and more. It is sure to be an exciting week before the school year begins! Sign up today! You definitely don't want to be the only one to miss it! This camp is limited to rising Kindergarten students at Saint Pius X only.

**YOGA AND CREATIVITY** (rising K-5<sup>th</sup> grades – Leslie Eckle) – Yoga is beneficial at every age! This camp will provide you with a fun and creative experience through yoga- based movements, mindfulness, breathing techniques, centering activities, relaxation activities, storytelling, journaling and art! We will move our bodies and quiet our minds. In this program kids will develop better body awareness, enhance strength, flexibility, coordination and confidence. Kids will practice using breath as a tool to focus and concentrate, to calm and to relax. And perhaps, most importantly kids will CONNECT and HAVE FUN!

**LET'S PARTY** (rising K-6<sup>th</sup> grades – Mrs. Lucinda Hernandez) – This camp is sure to be a highlight of your summer as we wish a “Happy 18th Birthday” to SPX Camps and celebrate with a week full of birthday fun and games! Each day will feature a different theme, special indoor and outdoor theme-related games, and a delicious birthday treat! During this exciting week, we will celebrate with a Splish-Splash Water Party, Character Costume Party, Backyard Fun and Games Party, Popcorn Pajama Party, and Sports Fun and Games Party. Who knows? We may even take a stab at Karaoke! Are you ready to celebrate? Then R.S.V.P. “yes” and meet Mrs. Hernandez for the biggest and best birthday party of the year!

**BACK TO SCHOOL MATH PREP** (rising 3<sup>rd</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grade – Mr. Michael Cacaci) Don't let the summer brain drain hit you!!! Let Mr. Cacaci refresh your skills and have you ready to hit your math classes this school year. If you haven't taken a camp with him yet this summer, come see what all the rage is about –SPX students love Mr. Cacaci and his fun with math. In this camp you will build your problem solving and analytical skills while developing a love of math and you'll have fun doing it! Aligned with the Common Core Standards for Mathematics, the curriculum will enhance and broaden your understanding of core concepts learned during the school year. Through modeling, graphing, and solving real-world problems, you will refine your problem-solving strategies. You'll use games, puzzles, and logic and reasoning challenges to provide fun opportunities for teamwork and confidence building activities. And did we mention fun! It's almost time to go back to school, be sure your math muscles are ready! *Children will be divided by groups to ensure each child is learning at their level.*

**VOLLEYBALL** (rising 5<sup>th</sup>-8<sup>th</sup> grades – Coach Amanda Mercer) - Bump....Set...Spike! This camp will help you develop some basic volleyball skills all while enhancing your love for the game! With a focus on the development of the core fundamentals, our coaches will teach you the proper technique and form essential for the success of all young players. The #1 priority is to help each player improve regardless of initial skill level, and campers will learn the importance of stretches and warm ups, as well as important skill sets of passing, setting, spiking, digging, serving, blocking, and being a team player. Highlights of the week will be scrimmage game, queen's court, knee tag, ball tag, pepper, and passing with a partner. Whether it's on the court, in the pool, or on the beach, volleyball is a favorite! Boys and girls are welcome to join Coach Mercer for five days filled with skill development, games, good sportsmanship, and fun!