

CITY OF LOS ANGELES DEPARTMENT OF RECREATION AND PARKS RITCHIE VALENS RECREATION CENTER

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LUNCHES, SNACKS, AND WEEKLY FIELD TRIPS PROVIDED!

FEE: \$80/WEEK +\$25 REGISTRATION FEE

*DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE, SEE OFFICE STAFF FOR DETAILS!

CAMPER WILL RECEIVE 2 FREE CAMP SHIRTS

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*MUST PAY ALL WEEKS IN ADVANCE, TO SECURE YOUR CAMPER'S SPOT!



SUMMER CAMP 2024 EXPLORE OUR TIMELINE





WEEK 1:

THE AGE OF DINOS DID YOU KNOW THAT FOSSIL RECORDS INDICATE
THAT SEA STARS HAVE EXISTED FOR AT LEAST
450 MILLION YEARS, MEANING THEY WERE
INDEED PRESENT DURING THE TIME OF THE
DINOSAURS, WHICH EXISTED FROM ABOUT
230 MILLION TO 65 MILLION YEARS AGO!
THIS WEEK YOUR KIDS WILL LEARN THIS AND
MUCH MORE ABOUT THE AGE OF DINOSAURS!







WEEK 2:

ANCIENT EGYPT KING TUTANKHAMUN (KING TUT) BECAME A PHARAOH AT 9 YEARS OLD! WE WILL DIVE INTO HIS HISTORY AND THE PYRAMIDS THAT WERE FILLED WITH INCREDIBLE TREASURES!







WEEK 3:

THE EARLY AMERICAS THIS WEEK WE WILL LEARN ABOUT THE VARIOUS TRIBES THAT INHABITED THE AMERICAS (AND STILL DO) THROUGH A LOOK INTO THEIR ART AND CUSTOMS! FIELD TRIP:





WEEK 4:

* 1950S IN THE USA RITCHIE VALENS, THE TALENTED SINGER
BEHIND HITS LIKE 'LA BAMBA,' WAS ONLY 17
YEARS OLD WHEN HE SKYROCKETED TO FAME IN
THE LATE 1950S WITH HIS CATCHY TUNES AND
ENERGETIC PERFORMANCES, WE ARE DIVING
INTO THE MUSIC OF THAT TIME!

FIELD TRIP:





WEEK 5:

ANCIENT GREECE IN ANCIENT GREECE, ATHLETES COMPETED IN EVENTS LIKE RUNNING, WRESTLING, AND EVEN CHARIOT RACES AT THE OLYMPICS. BUT HERE'S THE TWIST – WINNERS DIDN'T GET MEDALS LIKE THEY DO TODAY. INSTEAD, THEY WERE AWARDED OLIVE WREATHS TO WEAR ON THEIR HEADS, LIKE A LEAFY CROWN!

FIELD TRIP:





MEDIEVAL TIMES BACK IN MEDIEVAL TIMES, KNIGHTS FOLLOWED A SPECIAL CODE CALLED CHIVALRY. THIS CODE WAS ALL ABOUT BEING BRAVE, KIND, AND HONORABLE. KNIGHTS PROMISED TO PROTECT THE WEAK, BE POLITE TO EVERYONE, AND ALWAYS TELL THE TRUTH. IT WAS LIKE BEING A SUPERHERO WITH A HEART OF GOLD, FIGHTING FOR JUSTICE AND KINDNESS

FIELD TRIP:





WEEK 7:

THE AGE OF PIRATES DID YOU KNOW THAT PIRATES HAD THEIR OWN VERSION OF DEMOCRACY ONBOARD THEIR SHIPS? THEY CALLED IT THE ARTICLES' OR 'THE PIRATE CODE.' THIS CODE OUTLINED RULES FOR SHARING TREASURE AND RESOLVING DISPUTES!

FIELD TRIP:





SPACE & TOMORROW COMETS ARE LARGE OBJECTS MADE OF DUST AND ICE THAT ORBIT THE SUN. WE WILL LEARN ABOUT THIS AND MUCH MORE ABOUT OUR UNIVERSE. WE WILL END WITH A HOPE FOR A BETTER TOMORROW! FIELD TRIP:

