

## Summer School 2018 Description of Sectionals

**Swimming Lessons** (Grades 1-12) We have great fun in store for you in the pool this year! We will have lessons at the Bayfield Recreation Center with a licensed swim instructor, lifeguard, teacher, and helpers.

**Open Swimming** (Grades 1-12) Apply learned swimming skills in the Bayfield pool. This is for students who have already gone through swimming lessons (either this year, or prior years, through South Shore or some other organization).

**Driver Education Classroom** (Grades 9/10 and up-depending upon age-) - Classroom portion of driver education, which is one of the requirements for a student younger than 18 years of age, if they wish to get a Wisconsin driver's license.

**Drama Camp** (Grades 2-12) This week-long class prepares students for stage acting and/or preparation. Practice a play all week, with the production of the play for the community taking place Friday.

**Young Naturalists** (Grades 6-12)

We'll visit some amazing natural areas while learning about the habitats, plants, and wildlife of the north woods. Students will use a variety of tools to identify and document the species we encounter, including identification guides, digital microscopes, cameras, binoculars, and plant presses. Students will finish the week with eyes open to details of nature that they never noticed before.

**Sailing** (Grades 10-12)

Our sailing class will include such essential basics as knowledge of the vocabulary that applies to the parts of the boat, its rigging, and sailing maneuvers. It will include learning of knots and cleats and handling of the running rigging. It will include basic boat maintenance and use of the motors. There are sailing 'rules of the road' to know and of course safety, including drills in the rescue and retrieval of someone who might fall overboard. Use of charts for navigation and the radio for communication are important, as well.

The class will begin with some on-shore instruction, moving to sailing close to shore on Superior and possibly a smaller lake 'inland' a little very soon. We will then venture farther from shore, sailing into the western Apostle Islands as skills are developed and experience accrued.

The class is open to high school students, at least fifteen years old. Participants need to be strong swimmers. Expect a swim check at the Bayfield pool to ensure swimming ability. (We will wear life jackets when on the decks of the boats, but being 'comfortable' in the water is essential in an emergency even when wearing a life jacket.) The class will need to have at least three participants and be limited to six.

Because those of age to participate are likely to have work responsibilities and possibly sport activities on their summer schedule, and because weather conditions will dictate when it is suitable to be on the water, we are setting no advance schedule of days and times to meet. When or if a class groups forms, we will work out the best times to meet to learn on-land basics and then spend time sailing.

**Gardening at South Shore** (Grades 6-12)

We'll explore and discover native and non-native plants growing in our woodlands and school garden. Activities include hiking through woodland habitats, planting in the school garden, making nature journals, and cooking to name a few.

**Art** (Grades 1-6)

Art is an adventure when you begin exploring new art materials and methods! Artists will do drawing, painting and sculpting media while finding inspiration from the outdoors. This class will also discover artworks and styles of fun contemporary artists. Students will be given many opportunities to express themselves through a variety of media.

**Oulu Heritage: June 18-22:** Local Culture and History, Part 1: Students will spend the week immersed in Scandinavian culture at the Oulu Heritage Center. Ms. Mirva Johnson will be back to teach daily Finnish language lessons. Scandinavian foods, crafts, singing, dancing and games will keep students moving and learning throughout the day.

**Oulu Heritage: July 16-20:** Local Culture and History, Part 2: Local cultures that haven't previously been studied will be the focus of this week at the Oulu Heritage Center. A couple of possibilities are German and/or Irish cultures. Community members who would like to share their heritage will be invited to speak with us. Foods, crafts, and games will be incorporated into our learning.

**Oulu Heritage: July 23-27:** Local History-The Great Depression: This week will be spent at the Oulu Heritage Center recreating life in our area during the Great Depression. Students will experience learning in a one room schoolhouse, prepare typical recipes, play games and sew crafts. Hands-on activities will help students imagine what life was like during that time period.

**P.E. – Sport Camp:** The following sports will be played in this fun, summer camp: Volleyball, Basketball, Baseball, Softball, Disc Golf, and Soccer.

**Academic Skills Development:** (Grades 1-12)- Tutoring, skills development/recovery, credit recovery (grades 9-12) for students with a licensed teacher. Students can be referred for this program by parents or teachers.